

This letter is being filed in response to the Commission's request, dated September 17, 2008, in regards to the Committee's 2008 August Monthly Report.

1. The expense for Convention Video on Schedule H4 was a generic video about the State Convention that was played only at the State Convention. It did not promote, support, attack or oppose a federal candidate and did not otherwise meet the definition of FEA.
  
2. The transfers to the non-federal account on Schedule B supporting line 29 were for cash flow purposes and was not used to circumvent federal law.
  
3. The compliance software used by the Committee allows us to include voided transactions in our H3 allocations, effectively reducing the transfer allowed by the voided amount. This is basically the same as refunding a transfer to the state account. Furthermore, the Committee does not make regular H3 Transfers which leaves alot of room in our allocation authority. The Committee has not over-transferred from the Non Federal Account.

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