

March 9, 2011

Laura Sinram, Senior Campaign Finance Analyst  
Federal Election Commission  
999 E Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20463

Re: Democratic State Central Committee of CA -Federal (#C00105668)  
August Monthly Report (7/1/2010-7/31/2010)

Dear Ms. Sinram:

The Commission's preliminary review of the report referenced above raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report. We have addressed the questions below and have disclosed any changes in our amended July Monthly Report (see amendment e-filed March 9, 2011)

1. Memo entries from transfers received from California Senate 2010 were previously disclosed on Schedule A, Line 12 as transfers from California Senate 2010 in error. We have amended our report to remove these entries previously disclosed on Schedule A, Line 12 from California Senate 2010 and correctly disclosed the memo entries on Schedule A, Line 11(a)(i).
2. The transfer to San Diego County Democratic Party Federal was inadvertently disclosed on Schedule B, Line 21(b). We have amended our report to remove this entry from Schedule B, Line 21(b) and correctly disclosed transfer to local party committee on Schedule B, Line 22.
3. The beginning cash balance of this report reflects amendments filed in 2011 of subsequent reports. The beginning cash balance of this report equals the ending balance of our Amended July Monthly report (6/1/10 6/30/10).
4. The Detailed Summary Page has been corrected to reflect amendments to the 2009 Year-End (12/1/09-12/31/09); February Monthly (1/1/10-1/31/10); March Monthly (2/1/10-2/28/10); April Monthly (3/1/10-3/31/10); May Monthly (4/1/10-4/30/10); June Monthly (5/1/10-5/31/10); and July Monthly (6/1/10-6/30/10) reports.
5. Schedule D We amended our July Monthly Report on March 9, 2011 to disclose the debt owed to Call Center Services.
6. Schedule H4 supporting Line 21(a) of our report discloses a payment(s) for 401-k employee contribution, bicycle commuter benefit, dental insurance, employee wage garnishment, federal payroll taxes, health insurance, health insurance reimbursement, salary, state payroll taxes, and vision insurance. These payment(s) are administrative and the employees related to these expenses spend less than 25% of their compensated time on Federal election activity or activities in connection with a Federal election.
7. Schedule H4 of our report discloses \$4,000 in payments for fundraising services to Lisa Presta. The individual is not an employee of the Party; she is an independent contractor. The expenses are not Federal election activity or activities in connection with a Federal election.
8. Amendments to subsequent reports reflect changes to correct the event year-to-date totals.
9. The payments to Lisa Presta for fundraising services are for fundraising activity and are disclosed as such on the filed campaign report. We have changed the description to fundraising consultant.

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**ETEXT ATTACHMENT**

10. The memo entry for the reimbursement to Shawnda Westly for internet service is Aircell LLC.

11. Schedule H4 discloses offsets represented by payments from Bob Mulholland and Jane Ranlett that correspond to disbursements made to Blue Shield of California and from Liu Employment Law Firm that correspond to disbursements made to Arthur Levy. See amendment filed March 9, 2011.

12. The transfer to the local party committee is properly disclosed on Line 22 of the Detailed Summary Page.

If you have any further questions, please contact me at (916) 442-5707.

Sincerely,

Katherine Moret  
Treasurer

cc: Shawnda Westly, Executive Director  
Lance Olson, Legal Counsel