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Dear Mr. Kell:

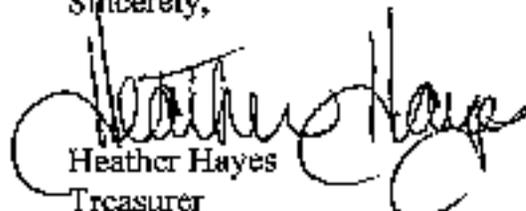
This letter and the attachments are in response to your notice that the Adam Smith for Congress Committee filed the 1997-Year End Report incorrectly. Specifically in reference to contributions in Schedule A which appear to exceed the limits set forth in the Act.

We have corrected the figures and are submitting an amended Year End Report. (see enclosed)

It does appear that we made errors in our data entry process with five contributors: Mark Bloom, Bill Clapp, John Dowell, Christy Gullion, and John Titus. I can assure you the committee is well aware of the contribution limits detailed in (2 U.S.C. §441a(a) and (f); 11 CFR §110.1(b), (c) and (k)) but simply made an error entering the checks into our database. Our procedures for data entry procedure has been carefully reviewed and we have taken the appropriate actions to ensure this does not happen again.

Thank you for the opportunity to correct the unintentional mistakes.

Sincerely,

  
Heather Hayes  
Treasurer