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Edward D. Ryan
Reports Analysis Division
Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, NW
Washington, DC 20463

RE: ID# C00000935
Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee ("DCCC")
RFAI dated January 20, 2006 regarding:
May Monthly Report (4/1/05-4/30/05)

Dear Mr. Ryan:

The Committee received payments from Names in the News in consideration for the rental of lists that were developed by the Committee for its own political and campaign purposes. These payments reflected the usual and normal charge for the lists, which have an ascertainable value. The amounts of the payments were determined by looking to the amounts paid for similar lists under normal commercial practices.

The DCCC has disclosed all contributor information that has been made available and we have used our best efforts to obtain any missing information. We follow the best efforts procedures as stated in the Campaign Guide. In our original solicitation we inform the contributor of federal law reporting requirements and clearly and conspicuously request the contributor's name, address, employer and occupation for all contributions in excess of \$200.00. If any information is still missing when a contribution is received, we send a separate follow-up letter to request the missing information (without soliciting a contribution) and inform them again of federal law reporting requirements. With the letter we include a pre-addressed, postage paid return envelope. The committee has amended Schedule A to include additional contributor information received.

We have amended the above referenced report to correct the calendar year to date cash-on-hand and to clarify expenditures made for catering, photography and publications. None of the expenditures made on Line 21b were made on behalf of federal candidates.

Thank you for your attention to this response. Please contact us if you have any questions at (202) 485-3401.

Sincerely,

John Lapp
Treasurer