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December 17, 2005

Mr. Christopher J. Morse  
 Campaign Finance Analyst  
 Reports Analysis Division  
 Federal Election Commission  
 999 E Street, N.W.  
 Washington, D.C. 20463

Re: Continuation of previous letter

## III. Re: September Monthly Report (8/01/05-8/31/05)

1. The expenditures made for "Room Rental", "Room Rental & Catering", and "Catering" on Schedule(s) B and H4 were for the Illinois Republican Party's own fundraising activities and do not reference any clearly identified Federal candidate and do not promote, support, attack or oppose any federal candidate.
2. Our Schedule H4 will be amended and payments to individuals that exceed \$500 will be itemized as memo entries regardless of the amount.
3. Our Schedule H4 will be amended and payments to individuals for "Professional Training Reimbursement", "Cell Phone Reimbursement", and "Cell Phone & Office Supply Reimburs" and other goods and services will be itemized as memo entries regardless of the amount.

## IV. Re: October Monthly Report (9/01/05-9/30/05)

1. Commission Regulations require that a committee to disclose the identification of all individuals who contribute in excess of \$200 in a calendar year. Here are our procedures for using our "best efforts" to obtain this information.

i. In every solicitation we include the following:

The Federal Law requires political committees to use their best efforts to obtain and report name, mailing address, occupation and employer for each individual whose contributions aggregate in excess of \$200 in a calendar year.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
 Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

- ii. On a regular basis, and no less than once a month, a list of incomplete disclosure information is created. This list is mailed the following letter requesting that all information is provided per disclosure requirements, and we include a self-addressed, postage-paid envelope.

"MAILNAME"

"ADDRESS1"

"ADDRESS2"

"ADDRESS3"

"CITY", "STATE" "ZIP"

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Dear "SALUTATION",

Thank you for your generous contribution to the Illinois Republican Party this year. I appreciate your confidence in our Party and in our ability to rebuild our organization using a sound plan of action. Your investment helps us to aggressively move forward.

Federal law requires political committees to exercise their best efforts to report the name, mailing address, occupation, and employer for those individuals whose contributions aggregate in excess of \$200 in a calendar year.

To date, we have no record of your occupation or employer. Please take the time to fill out the information below and return it to us as soon as possible. For your convenience a business reply envelope is enclosed. You may also fax the information to us at 312-201-0161 or e-mail me at [randydepre@gmail.com](mailto:randydepre@gmail.com).

Thank you again for your support of Illinois Republicans and your willingness to assist us in this matter. I apologize for any inconvenience.

Sincerely,

Randy DePree  
Director of Operations

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
Company Name, Self-Employed or None for Retirees

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Job Title or Retired

iii. Database is updated with disclosure information, and all information received is reported.

Please note that in further review of our July Monthly, August Monthly, September Monthly, and October Monthly reports we also made changes to include our Schedule L

Sincerely,

Dave Syverson  
Treasurer  
Illinois Republican Party