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Re: PacifiCorp/MidAmerican Political Action Committee (ID C00082800)  
Year-End Report (07/01/2013 – 12/31/2013)

Dear Ms. Juris,

This letter is in response to your inquiry dated May 29, 2014, pertaining to two instances of apparent excessive contributions by the PacifiCorp/MidAmerican Political Action Committee during 2013.

The first instance pertained to contributions to Simpson for Congress. Following a telephone conversation with you, we filed on June 11, 2014 an amended FEC Form 3X covering period 07/01/2013 through 12/31/2013, in which we re-designated the August 19, 2013, contribution of \$2,500.00 to Simpson for Congress as a disbursement for the 2014 General election (the contribution had been previously been designated for the 2014 Primary election). The FEC reporting system then automatically also amended the FEC Form 3X covering period 01/01/2014 through 03/31/2014, even though there were no impacts on the later period's report.

The second instance pertained to contributions to Friends for Harry Reid. It initially appeared that, collectively from among affiliated PAC's (Burlington Northern Santa Fe PAC – C00235739, NV Energy PAC C00153379, and PacifiCorp/MidAmerican PAC – C00082800), there may be excess contributions to Friends for Harry Reid. After I spoke with you by telephone June 3, 2014, I spoke further with Jose Cajayon of PASS to determine whether, in fact, there was an excess contribution and whether such excess needed to be refunded, given the facts and circumstances wherein NV Energy PAC made contributions prior to becoming an affiliated PAC on December 20, 2013. I understand that Mr. Cajayon spoke with you on our behalf and discussed the proper application of Advisory Opinion 1985-27. I also understand that, upon further review of the facts and the Advisory Opinion, you determined that it was not necessary for us to seek and obtain a refund from Friends of Harry Reid.

If you need further explanation on either of these instances, please let me know at either (515) 281-2789 or [srevans@berkshirehathawayenergyco.com](mailto:srevans@berkshirehathawayenergyco.com).

Thank you,

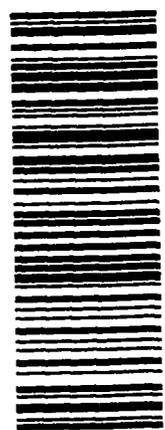
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