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February 14, 2002

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

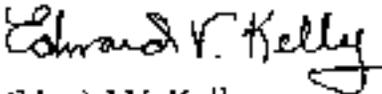
Re: Letter of February 6, 2002  
Amended August Monthly Report  
(7/1/01-7/31/01) dated 12/10/01

Dear Mr. Ryan:

In response to your recent letter, enclosed is a copy of our letter requesting a refund from the "Alaskans for Don Young" and a photocopy of a refund check for an excessive contribution originally designated to the Primary Election 2002. The refund check drawn on "Alaskans for Don Young" account in the amount of \$1,000.00 will be disclosed on Schedule A supporting Line 16 during the period it was received.

Also, your request for all pertinent information on Schedule B supporting Line 23 will be provided electronically.

Very truly yours,

  
Edward V. Kelly  
Treasurer

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Att: Steven Dougherty, Treasurer  
FAX No. 1 (907) 562-0283

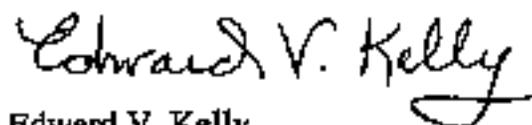
Honorable Don Young  
C/o "Alaskans for Don Young"  
P.O. Box 100298  
Anchorage, Alaska 99510-0298

Dear Mr. Dougherty:

A check #6051 dated 7/12/01 in the amount of \$1,000.00 drawn on the American Maritime Officers, Voluntary Political Action Fund was issued to "Alaskans for Don Young." Please be advised that we are requesting a refund for that check which is an excessive contribution to your Primary Election 2002.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,



Edward V. Kelly  
Treasurer

ALASKANS FOR DON YOUNG

PRIMARY ACCOUNT  
P.O. BOX 100298  
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA 99510

WELLS FARGO  
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

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PAY ONE THOUSAND AND XX / 100 DOLLARS

DATE 02/08/02 \*\*\*\*\*\$1,000.00

TO THE  
ORDER  
OF  
American Maritime Officer  
Voluntary Political Action Fund  
650 Fourth Ave.  
Brooklyn, NY 11232

Refund Excess Primary Contrib.

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Edward V. Kelly, Treasurer  
American Maritime Officers, AFL-CIO  
Voluntary Political Action Fund  
650 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Brooklyn, NY 11232

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Reference: Amended August Monthly Report (7/1/01-7/31/01); dated 12/10/01

Dear Mr. Kelly:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Please amend Schedule B supporting Line 23 by providing the mailing address, office sought (House, Senate, or President), state, and congressional district, if applicable, for each contribution made. 11 CFR §104.3(b)(3)(ii) and (v)

-Schedule B of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses one or more contributions which appear to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(a) prohibits a multicandidate committee and its affiliates from making a contribution to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$5,000 per election.

If any apparently excessive contribution in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information.

If any contribution you made exceeds the limits, you must request a refund of the excessive amount or provide a written authorization for a redesignation of the contribution pursuant to 11 CFR §110.2(b) within 60 days of the treasurer's receipt.

If the foregoing conditions for redesignations were not met within 60 days

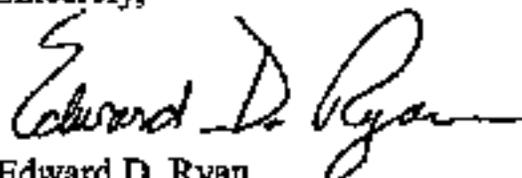
of the treasurer's receipt, your committee must obtain a refund of the excessive amount.

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund or redesignation request sent to the recipient committee(s). In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on Schedule A supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received. Any redesignations should be disclosed as memo entries on Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the report covering the period during which the redesignation is made. 11 CFR §110.1(b)

Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the excessive contribution(s), your prompt action in obtaining a refund and/or redesignating the contribution(s) will be taken into consideration.

A response or amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. Electronic filers must file amendments in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



Edward D. Ryan  
Reports Analyst  
Reports Analysis Division

Federal Election Commission

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