

Democratic Victory 2000

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Debbie A. Chacona
Branch Chief, Party/Nonparty Branch
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Dear Ms. Chacona:

This letter is in response to your letter of December 1, 2000. I will first give you some background information on Democratic Victory 2000, Inc. (DV2) and describe the scope of our relationship with the Democratic Party of Illinois, Inc.

Organization of Democratic Victory 2000, Inc.

Democratic Victory 2000, Inc. is a corporation organized under the laws of the District of Columbia. The purposes for which the Corporation is organized are: to provide political consulting, campaign management, media placement, time buying services, and general public relations advice.

Services Provided to Democratic Party of Illinois

The parties have entered into a services agreement. Services provided include:

1. General political consulting services.
2. Produce radio and television advertising.
3. Provide radio and television buying services.

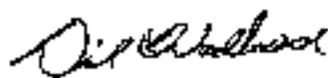
The company charges a fee for its services and the party has agreed to pay such fees.

Payments from Democratic Victory 2000, Inc. to the party are something that would not occur during the normal course of business however, the party did make a request to DV2 for the return of \$859,699.00. The client's reason for the return was that the money had been originally sent from an incorrect account. DV2 returned the \$859,699.00 on 6/23/00. The specific receipt in the amount of \$85,230.00 per the schedule A does not agree with our records.

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If you should have any questions related to this matter, please contact me at 202-548-0618.

Sincerely,



David Woodhouse
Controller

CC: Tad Devine, w/attachments
Bill Knapp, w/attachments

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