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The Committee is in receipt of the Commission's letter regarding the 2022 Year End Report. In late November 2022, an unknown actor from outside the Alliance for Retired Americans Political Action Fund gained access to the committee emails and presented fraudulent bills for payment. The Alliance processed a bill of \$25,553.57 on December 6 and after discovering the fraud recovered the funds through the committee payment vendor Convera on December 19. Another bill in the amount of \$25,553.57 was processed to Convera on December 14 and recovered on December 15. These two recoveries

totaled \$51,107.14.

The two payments totaling \$51,107.14 plus two fraudulent bills, one for \$20,000 processed to Convera on November 30 and a second of \$78,968 processed to Convera on December 6 totaled \$150,072.14. Subsequent recoveries came outside the reporting period and will be reported in the appropriate filing.