



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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December 17, 2003

Meara G. Nisbet, Treasurer  
Washington Bankers Association Political  
Action Committee  
233 Sixth Avenue North  
Seattle, WA 98109

Response Due Date:  
January 16, 2004

Identification Number: C00114090

Reference: August Monthly Report (7/1/03 - 7/31/03)

Dear Ms. Nisbet:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above.** An itemization of the information needed follows:

-Please provide a Schedule B to support the entry reported on Line 22 of the Detailed Summary Page. Each transfer-out to an affiliated committee must be itemized on Schedule B regardless of the amount transferred. 2 U.S.C. §434(b)(6)(B)(i)

-2 U.S.C. §434(b)(3) requires itemization of contributions from individuals and persons other than political committees, where the aggregate total from the contributor exceeds \$200 in a calendar year. In addition, 11 CFR §104.3(a)(2)(i)(B) requires a committee to report the total amount of unitemized contributions (see Line 11(a)(ii) of the Detailed Summary Page). If a committee wishes to disclose contributions regardless of the amount contributed, the committee must separate (on separate receipt schedules) those contributors requiring itemization from those who are not required to be itemized. 11 CFR §104.3(a)(4)(i) For future filings, please submit your reports in this order.

-Be advised that you have used an incorrect committee identification number on the Summary Page of your report(s). Please file all future reports and correspondence using your correct identification number, C00114090, to avoid potential errors in entering your reports onto the public record.

Unlike previous election cycles, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) 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 should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1135.

Sincerely,



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