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**Response Due Date**  
**07/09/2012**

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00506444

REFERENCE: APRIL QUARTERLY REPORT (03/01/2012 - 03/31/2012)

Dear Treasurer:

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. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 3 item(s):

1. The totals listed on Line(s) 7(a), 7(c), 17, and 22, Column B of the Summary and Detailed Summary Page(s) appear to be incorrect. Column B figures for the Summary and Detailed Summary Pages should equal the sum of the Column B figures on your previous report and the Column A figures on this report. Please file an amendment to your report to correct the Column B discrepancies for this report and all subsequent report(s) which may be affected by this correction. Note that Column B should reflect only the election cycle-to-date totals (11/3/10 through 11/6/12). (2 U.S.C. § 434(b) and 11 CFR § 104.3)
2. Schedule A of your report discloses one or more contributions from an organization(s), which is not a political committee registered with the Commission (see attached). In order for your committee to accept contributions from unregistered organizations, your committee should take steps to ensure that the contributor(s) used permissible funds to make the contribution(s) to avoid violating 2 U.S.C. §§441a(f) and 441b or 11 CFR §102.5(b). Under 11 CFR §102.5(b), organizations which are not political committees under the Act and choose to contribute to federal committees must either: (1) establish a separate account which contains only those funds permitted under the Act, or (2) demonstrate through a reasonable accounting method that the organization has received sufficient funds subject to the limitations and prohibitions in order to make the contribution.

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If any apparently prohibited contribution in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. In addition, please clarify whether the contribution(s) received from the referenced organization(s) is permissible.

If you have received prohibited contributions, you must make a refund. (11 CFR § 103.3(b)(1)) The refund must be made within 30 days of the treasurer becoming aware of the illegality of the contribution. (11 CFR § 103.3(b)(2))

If you have not already done so, please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of any refund checks. Refunds must be reported on a Schedule B supporting Line 20(b) of the report covering the period in which the refund was made. (11 CFR § 104.8(d)(4))

Although the Commission may take further legal action concerning the acceptance of prohibited contributions, your prompt action to refund the prohibited amount will be taken into consideration.

**3.** Schedule A of your report indicates that your committee may have failed to file one or more of the required 48-hour notices regarding "last minute" contributions received by your committee after the close of books for the 12 Day Pre-Primary Report (see attached). A principal campaign committee must notify the Commission, in writing, within 48 hours of any contribution of \$1,000 or more received between two and twenty days before an election. These contributions are then reported on the next report required to be filed by the committee. To ensure that the Commission is notified of last minute contributions of \$1,000 or more to your campaign, it is recommended that you review your procedures for checking contributions received during the aforementioned time period. The failure to file 48-hour notices may result in civil money penalties or legal enforcement action. If any contribution of \$1,000 or more was incorrectly reported, you must amend your original report with the clarifying information. (11 CFR § 104.5(f))

**Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter.** Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. 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. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.**

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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 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1165.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rebecca Hough". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a long horizontal flourish at the end.

Rebecca Hough  
Sr. Campaign Finance & Reviewing Analyst  
Reports Analysis Division

**Excessive, Prohibited, and Impermissible Contributions  
Harriman for Congress (C00506444)**

**Contributions from Unregistered Organizations**

<b>Contributor Name</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Election</b>
Committee to Elect Bob Haida	3/30/2012	\$1,000.00	G2012
Committee to Elect Charles Suarez	3/29/2012	\$1,000.00	G2012
Committee to Elect John Baricevic	3/30/2012	\$500.00	G2012
Committee to Elect Tom Holbrook	3/19/2012	\$150.00	P2012
Friends for Amy M Meyer	3/20/2012	\$100.00	P2012
Friends of Bill Haine	3/19/2012	\$250.00	P2012
Friends of Frank Miles	3/5/2012	\$100.00	P2012
Friends of Rick Stone	3/28/2012	\$1,000.00	G2012
Monroe County Democratic Central Committee	3/19/2012	\$500.00	P2012

**Missing 48-Hour Notices**  
**Harriman for Congress (C00506444)**

Contributor Name	Date	Amount	Election
NATIONAL AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLERS ASSOCIATION PAC	3/8/2012	\$5,000.00	P2012
I.B.E.W - C.O.P.E	3/15/2012	\$4,000.00	P2012
NEW YORK JOBS PAC	3/15/2012	\$5,000.00	P2012