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Federal Election Commission
Attn: Ryan J. Lanz, Campaign Finance Analyst

Identification Number: C00025254

Reference: October Monthly Report (9/1/05 to 9/30/05)

This letter is in response to your letter dated 11/16/05 regarding the report referenced above.

I have amended our October Monthly Report to correct a data entry error that caused the contributions for the period to be overstated by \$2160.00. The amendment also corrects the "Calendar Year to Date" totals. These errors were due to corrections made in previous periods. Please refer to the amendment for the correct totals.

While researching your question about the "Dollars for Democrats" joint fundraising entries, I discovered an error in the Unitemized Portion reported. Our amended report includes the addition of \$3683.00 to the Unitemized Portion of the memo entries for the period. The difference between the amounts reported for the quarter is due to the timing of the transfers to our committee. We are transferred the funds after the receipt of the original contributions. As of 9/30/05 we have reported a total of \$255,000 in transfers from Dollars for Democrats and a total of \$473,849.98 in memo entries.

The \$15,000 received on 8/2/05 and reported on our September monthly report is a transfer of federal funds from the Democratic National Committee and not from the Victory Fund. As of 9/30/05 we have reported a total of \$20,016 in transfers from the Victory Fund and a total of \$46,803.65 in memo entries. Again, any difference in the amounts reported of transfers and memo entries is due to the timing of the transfers.

The Administrative Year to Date Total of \$375,549.54 is correctly reported on Schedule H4. This total appears on page 82 of our report. Pages 83 to 96 contain memo entries, which provide the details of employee reimbursements, and travel expenses over \$500. Page 96 contains an entry for Generic Voter Drive and contains the correct year to date totals for this activity.

Please let me know if you have additional questions.

Sincerely,

Mary Bonk
Comptroller
Minnesota Democratic Farmer Labor Party