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Dear Ms. Chacona:

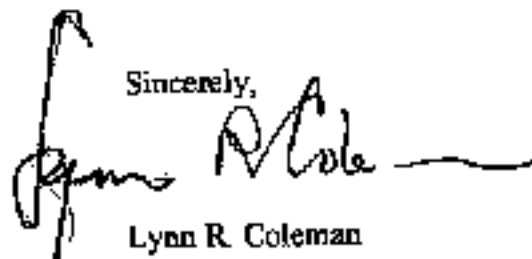
I am writing in response to your February 16 letter in which you state the Skadden Arps Political Action Committee ("Skadden Arps PAC") did not disclose payments for administrative expenses in its Mid-Year Report (1/1/99-6/30/99).

When Skadden Arps filed its 1999 mid-year "Report of Receipts and Disbursements" with the Federal Election Commission the report included Schedule A and Schedule B attachments. On Schedule A, the Skadden Arps PAC disclosed "Exempt Legal & Administrative Fees" totaling \$1,686.25.

I understand that Kenneth Gross, the Assistant Treasurer of the Skadden Arps PAC, relayed this information to you by phone on March 2 and that in a subsequent call you requested that the information be provided to you in writing.

If you have any further questions regarding the mid-year report please contact me.

Sincerely,



Lynn R. Coleman
Treasurer

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