



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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April 13, 2015

MITCH GLAZIER, TREASURER
THE RECORDING INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION
OF AMERICA POLITICAL ACTION
COMMITTEE
1025 F STREET, NW, 10TH FLOOR
WASHINGTON, DC 20004

Response Due Date
05/18/2015

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00009357

REFERENCE: 30 DAY POST-GENERAL REPORT (10/16/2014 - 11/24/2014)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report 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 1 item(s):

1. Schedule B of your report (see attached) discloses one or more contributions which appear to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. Please be advised that 52 U.S.C. §30116(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. §441a(a)) prohibits a multicandidate committee and its affiliates from making a contribution to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$5,000 per election.

If any apparently excessive contribution in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information.

If any contribution you made exceeds the limits, you must request a refund of the excessive amount or provide a written authorization for a redesignation of the contribution pursuant to 11 CFR §110.2(b) within 60 days of the treasurer's receipt.

If the foregoing conditions for redesignations were not met within 60 days of the treasurer's receipt, your committee must obtain a refund of the excessive amount.

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action promptly in writing

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and provide a photocopy of the refund or redesignation request sent to the recipient committee(s). In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on Schedule A supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received. Any redesignations should be disclosed as memo entries on Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the report covering the period during which the redesignation is made. (11 CFR §110.1(b))

Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the excessive contribution(s), your prompt action in obtaining a refund and/or redesignating the contribution(s) will be taken into consideration. (11 CFR §103.3(b)(1) and (3))

- Your report discloses certain categories of financial activity that have been reflected on the wrong lines of the Detailed Summary Page. For your information and consideration when preparing future filings, contributions from other political committees (such as PACs) should be properly disclosed on a separate Schedule A, supporting Line 11(c) of the Detailed Summary Page. Please refer to the instructions for each line when determining the proper categorization(s) for your next filing. (52 U.S.C. §30104(b) (formerly 2 U.S.C §434(b)) and FORM 3X Instructions)

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.**

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) 694-1177.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brian Jones". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal line extending from the end of the name.

Brian Jones
Sr. Campaign Finance & Reviewing Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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Excessive Contributions**The Recording Industry Association of America Political Action Committee (C00009537)****Excessive Contributions to a Candidate Committee**

| Recipient Name | Date | Amount | Election | Report |
|---|-------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| BOB GOODLATTE FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE | 1/31/13 | \$2,000.00 | G2014 | 2013 April Quarterly |
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| BOB GOODLATTE FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE | 5/20/13 | \$1,000.00 | G2014 | 2013 July Quarterly |
| BOB GOODLATTE FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE | 8/14/14 | \$1,000.00 | G2014 | 2014 October Quarterly |
| BOB GOODLATTE FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE | 10/14/14 | \$2,000.00 | G2014 | 2014 30 Day Post- General |
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| CONYERS FOR CONGRESS | 1/31/13 | \$2,000.00 | G2014 | 2013 April Quarterly |
| CONYERS FOR CONGRESS | 1/31/13 | \$1,000.00 | G2014 | 2013 April Quarterly |
| CONYERS FOR CONGRESS | 1/25/14 | \$2,000.00 | G2014 | 2014 April Quarterly |
| CONYERS FOR CONGRESS | 10/24/14 | \$1,000.00 | G2014 | 2014 30 Day Post- General |