

June 16, 2008

Identification Number: C00386573

Year End Report (7/1/07 -12/31/07)

This is in response to the FEC letter dated May 14, 2008, involving reports filed by the Northstar Leadership PAC (LPAC) for the Year End Report 7/1/07 to 12/31/07.

1. There were two contributions made to Collins for Senate during this filing period, both for \$5,000. Due to clerical error in filing the report, both were described as contributions for the Primary 2008 race. A review of committee records, however, indicates that the 9/26/2007 payment was for the General Election 2008. This has been corrected on the Amended filing for this Year End Report and, therefore, no excessive contribution resulted.
2. The totals as originally reported are correct, based on the revised 'Calendar Year-to-Date' column from the Amended Mid-Year report for 1/1/07 - 6/30/07 filed on June 16, 2008.
3. The totals as originally reported are correct, based on the revised 'Calendar Year-to-Date' column from the Amended Mid-Year report for 1/1/07 - 6/30/07 filed on June 16, 2008.
4. All expenditures in this report that were labeled 'Fundraising ' were for the sole benefit of the Northstar LPAC and were not for any other candidate or committee. As such, the word 'PAC' was included in these descriptions in the Amended Year End Report.
5. We have amended the Schedule B disclosure to further clarify that all Direct Mail expenses were for the sole benefit of the Northstar LPAC. None of these disbursements expressly advocated the election or defeat of any candidate.
