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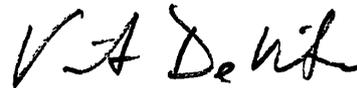
Federal Election Commission
ATTN: Statement of Organization
999 E Street, NW
Washington, DC 20463

**Re: *Special Operations For America, Independent Expenditure
Committee***

To Whom It May Concern:

For filing, kindly find the enclosed Statement of Organization (Form 1) and the enclosed Independent Expenditure Committee Letter (IE-Only Letter). If you have any questions, please contact me. Thank you.

Regards,



Vincent DeVito

cc: Christopher Hyatt (w/enclosures)

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Special Operations For America
336 West 2nd Street
Whitefish, MT 59937

June 14, 2012

Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20463

Re: Form 1, Statement of Organization—Unlimited Contributions

To Whom It May Concern:

This committee intends to make independent expenditures, and consistent with the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit decision in *SpeechNow v. FEC*, it therefore intends to raise funds in unlimited amounts. This committee will not use those funds to make contributions, whether direct, in-kind, or via coordinated communications, to federal candidates or committees.

Respectfully submitted,



Christopher S. Hyatt, Treasurer

cc: Vincent DeVito, Esq.

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FORM 1

STATEMENT OF
ORGANIZATION

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1. NAME OF
COMMITTEE (in full)

(Check if name
is changed)

Example: If typing, type
over the lines.

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SPECIAL OPERATIONS FOR AMERICA

ADDRESS (number and street)

336 West 2nd Street

(Check if address
is changed)

Whitefish

MT

59937

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

COMMITTEE'S E-MAIL ADDRESS (Please provide only one e-mail address)

(Check if address
is changed)

vdevito@bowditch.com

COMMITTEE'S WEB PAGE ADDRESS (URL)

(Check if address
is changed)

www.soforamerica.org

2. DATE

06 / 14 / 2012

3. FEC IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

C

4. IS THIS STATEMENT

NEW (N)

OR

AMENDED (A)

I certify that I have examined this Statement and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete.

Type or Print Name of Treasurer

Christopher S. Hyatt

Signature of Treasurer

Date

06 / 14 / 2012

NOTE: Submission of false, erroneous, or incomplete information may subject the person signing this Statement to the penalties of 2 U.S.C. §437g.

ANY CHANGE IN INFORMATION SHOULD BE REPORTED WITHIN 10 DAYS.

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For further information contact:
Federal Election Commission
Toll Free 800-424-9530
Local 202-694-1100

FEC FORM 1
(Revised 02/2009)

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5. TYPE OF COMMITTEE

Candidate Committee:

- (a) This committee is a principal campaign committee. (Complete the candidate information below.)
- (b) This committee is an authorized committee, and is NOT a principal campaign committee. (Complete the candidate information below.)

Name of Candidate _____

Candidate Party Affiliation Office Sought: House Senate President State District

- (c) This committee supports/opposes only one candidate, and is NOT an authorized committee.

Name of Candidate _____

Party Committee:

- (d) This committee is a (National, State or subordinate) committee of the (Democratic, Republican, etc.) Party.

Political Action Committee (PAC):

- (e) This committee is a separate segregated fund. (Identify connected organization on line 6.) Its connected organization is a:
 - Corporation Corporation w/o Capital Stock Labor Organization
 - Membership Organization Trade Association Cooperative
 - In addition, this committee is a Lobbyist/Registrant PAC.
- (f) This committee supports/opposes more than one Federal candidate, and is NOT a separate segregated fund or party committee. (i.e., nonconnected committee)
 - In addition, this committee is a Lobbyist/Registrant PAC.
 - In addition, this committee is a Leadership PAC. (Identify sponsor on line 6.)

Joint Fundraising Representative:

- (g) This committee collects contributions, pays fundraising expenses and disburses net proceeds for two or more political committees/organizations, at least one of which is an authorized committee of a federal candidate.
- (h) This committee collects contributions, pays fundraising expenses and disburses net proceeds for two or more political committees/organizations, none of which is an authorized committee of a federal candidate.

Committees Participating in Joint Fundraiser

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|----|-------|---------------|--------------------------|
| 1. | _____ | FEC ID number | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. | _____ | FEC ID number | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. | _____ | FEC ID number | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. | _____ | FEC ID number | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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Write or Type Committee Name

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6. Name of Any Connected Organization, Affiliated Committee, Joint Fundraising Representative, or Leadership PAC Sponsor

Grid lines for organization name

Mailing Address

Grid lines for mailing address

Grid lines for city, state, and zip code

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

Relationship: Connected Organization Affiliated Committee Joint Fundraising Representative Leadership PAC Sponsor

7. Custodian of Records: Identify by name, address (phone number -- optional) and position of the person in possession of committee books and records.

Full Name

CHRISTOPHER S HYATT

Mailing Address

336 West 2nd Street

Whitefish

MT

59937

Title or Position

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

Treasurer

Telephone number

406

261

7541

8. Treasurer: List the name and address (phone number -- optional) of the treasurer of the committee; and the name and address of any designated agent (e.g., assistant treasurer).

Full Name of Treasurer

CHRISTOPHER S HYATT

Mailing Address

336 West 2nd Street

Whitefish

MT

59937

Title or Position

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

Treasurer

Telephone number

406

261

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Full Name of Designated Agent

Vincent DeVito

Mailing Address

Bowditch & Dewey, LLP

1 International Place, 44th Floor

Boston

CITY

MA

STATE

02110

ZIP CODE

Title or Position

General Counsel, Assistant Treasurer

Telephone number

617

757

6500

9. Banks or Other Depositories: List all banks or other depositories in which the committee deposits funds, holds accounts, rents safety deposit boxes or maintains funds.

Name of Bank, Depository, etc.

Wells Fargo

Mailing Address

2350 US Hwy 93 North

Kailispell

CITY

MT

STATE

59501

ZIP CODE

Name of Bank, Depository, etc.

Mailing Address

CITY

STATE

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Postmark Illegible

No Postmark

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6/14/12
Next Business Day Delivery

Received from House Records & Registration Office Date of Receipt

Received from Senate Public Records Office Date of Receipt

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Other (Specify): Date of Receipt or Postmarked


PREPARER

6/15/12
DATE PREPARED

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