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Federal Election Commission  
Attn: Mr. Ryan J. Lanz  
Campaign Finance Analyst  
Reports Analysis Division

Re: Mississippi Republican Party  
C00084368  
30 Day Post General Report

Dear Mr. Lanz:

This letter is in response to your FEC notice dated March 2, 2005. At this time we have filed amended report FEC-168996 to correct the missing employers and occupations and to report the \$4000 transfer to the Republican Party of LA on the correct line of the report.

The 24 hour notice we filed on October 26, 2004 was the date that the party committed to the expenditure with John Grotta Company. On October 28, 2004 the party actually received the invoice from the company and we also paid the invoice on that same day. The amount we previously reported on the 24 hour was an estimate of the charges. The amount reported on the Post General report was the correct expenditure amount. Therefore, the difference was merely an estimated guess versus the actual cost. You have advised us that we are not allowed to file an amended 24 hour notice. Therefore, the correct expenditure amount is the amount reported on the Post General Report.

Victory 2004 consisted of several fundraising events. However, the last and final event was a telemarketing campaign held on November 1, 2004.

Should you have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely yours,

Thomas B. Butchart, Treasurer