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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

June 12, 2009

Randall Pullen, Treasurer (Attn: Jay Banning)
Republican National Committee
310 First Street, SE
Washington, DC 20003
Identification Number: C00003418

Response Due Date:
July 20, 2009

Reference: February Monthly Report (1/1/09-1/31/09)

Dear Treasurer:

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This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) 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 2 items:

1. Your report discloses activity that falls outside the reporting period. Please amend this report by including only the financial transactions that occurred between January 1, 2009 and January 31, 2009. Any activity occurring outside this reporting period should be included in the appropriate report(s). 2 U.S.C. §434(b)

2. Schedule F supporting Line 25 of your report discloses a coordinated expenditure(s) on behalf of "McCain, John," which appears to have been made after the general election date. Please be advised that if a service is provided or a communication is aired in one reporting period and the payment is made in a later reporting period, the coordinated expenditure should be reported as a memo entry on Schedule F when the service is provided or the communication is publicly disseminated or distributed, and on a Schedule D if it is a reportable debt under 11 CFR §104.11. When the payment for the coordinated expenditure is made, the report should show a payment on Schedule F and the same payment on Schedule D, if applicable.

Please amend your report to provide further clarifying information regarding the coordinated expenditures disclosed after the general election date.

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.

Sincerely,

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Senior Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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