FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON D.C. 20463

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Glen O'Connell, Treasurer
South Carolina Republican Party
1508 Lady Street
Columbia, SC 29201

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Identification Number: C00034033

Reference: Amended 12 Day Pre Runoff Report (5/23/02-6/05/02), received 10/24/02

Dear Mr. O'Connell:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-On Schedule D of your previous report, you disclosed a debt(s) owed to "SCGOP Non-Federal Account". This obligation(s), however, has been omitted from this report. Please amend your report to include this debt(s) on Schedule D and Line 10 of the Summary Page. All debts and obligations must be disclosed until extinguished. 11 CFR §104.11

-Schedule D discloses $36682.39 in debts owed to "SCGOP Non-Federal Account" (pertinent portion(s) attached). You are advised that 11 CFR §102.5 prohibits a non-federal account from financing activity in connection with federal elections. Please clarify whether the debts owed to the non-federal account relate to activity conducted in connection with federal elections and if so, provide the date(s) when the original activity was conducted by the non-federal account. Any payments on debts related to the election or defeat of federal candidates should be allocated accordingly and disclosed as either in-kind contributions on Schedule B supporting Line 23, or as Independent or Coordinated Expenditures on Schedule E or F supporting Line 24 and 25. 11 CFR §§104.3(b)(3) and 106.1

Although the Commission may initiate legal action regarding the activities conducted by your non-federal account, prompt repayment of the debt and any clarifying information that you provide will be taken into consideration.

A response or amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. 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 need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

Jane Parks
Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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SCHEDULE D

DEBTS AND OBLIGATIONS

Excluding Loans

(Use separate schedule(s) for each numbered line)

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FOR LINE NUMBER (check only one): [ ] 9 [x] 10

NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full)
South Carolina Republican Party

A Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) of Debtor or Creditor
SCGOP Non-Federal Account

Nature of Debt (Purpose):
dbt fr amdmt4 for 7/1/01-1/7/02

Mailing Address
1508 Lady Street

City: Columbia State: SC ZIP Code: 29201-

Outstanding Balance Beginning This Period: 38682.39

Transaction ID: 7LS10022002104459

Amount Incurred This Period: 0.00

Payment This Period: 0.00

Outstanding Balance at Close of This Period: 38682.39

B Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) of Debtor or Creditor
Taylor Street Printing

Nature of Debt (Purpose):
Vendor Debt

Mailing Address
1520 Taylor Str

City: Columbia State: SC ZIP Code: 29201-

Outstanding Balance Beginning This Period: 2781.85

Transaction ID: 6LS10142002410E4556

Amount Incurred This Period: 0.00

Payment This Period: 0.00

Outstanding Balance at Close of This Period: 2781.85

C Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) of Debtor or Creditor
Seawells

Nature of Debt (Purpose):
Vendor debt

Mailing Address
1125 ROSEWOOD DR

City: Columbia State: SC ZIP Code: 29201-

Outstanding Balance Beginning This Period: 33083.50

Transaction ID: 2LS10142002308E4569

Amount Incurred This Period: 0.00

Payment This Period: 0.00

Outstanding Balance at Close of This Period: 33083.50

1) **SUBTOTALS** This Period This Page (optional)	72547.74
2) **TOTALS** This Period (last page this line number only)	
3) **TOTALS OUTSTANDING LOANS** from Schedule C (last page only)	
4) **ADD** 2) and 3) and carry forward to appropriate line of Summary Page (last page only)	

FEC Schedule D (Revised 9/1995)