



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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May 9, 2013

BEN LOMBARD, TREASURER
MAINE REPUBLICAN PARTY
9 HIGGINS STREET
AUGUSTA, ME 04330

Response Due Date
06/13/2013

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00003111

REFERENCE: AMENDED YEAR-END REPORT (11/27/2012 - 12/31/2012), RECEIVED
03/21/2013

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report 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 1 item(s):

- Schedule A of your 2012 reports combined discloses transfers totaling \$144,744.64 from the "Target State Victory Fund," which is a joint fundraising committee(s) affiliated with your committee. You must provide a memo Schedule A disclosing your share of gross receipts. The memo schedule should itemize each individual who has contributed an aggregate in excess of \$200 during the calendar year, and provide the amount of unitemized contributions received. In addition, the memo schedule should itemize your committee's share of all contributions from political committees, regardless of amount. Please amend your report by providing the omitted memo schedule(s). (11 CFR §102.17(c)(8)(i)(B))

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.**

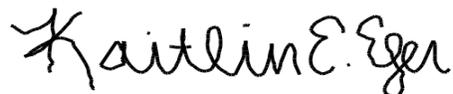
Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports)

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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) 694-1143.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kaitlin Eger". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial 'K'.

Kaitlin Eger
Sr. Campaign Finance & Reviewing Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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