



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
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Reference: July Monthly Report (6/1/00-6/30/00)

Dear Mr. Barton:

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:

-Schedule B supporting Line 23 of your report discloses a contribution(s) to a candidate(s) for the primary election; however, the funds were disbursed after the election date(s) (pertinent portion(s) attached). Please note that contributions may not be designated for an election which has already occurred unless the funds are to be used to reduce a candidate committee's debts incurred during that election campaign. Please clarify the contribution(s) and disclose any redesignations or refunds as necessary on the appropriate schedules.

-Your report discloses the receipt of an earmarked contribution of \$1000.00 from Micro Warehouse Political Action Committee directed for Frist 2000 Inc. However, your report does not disclose the disbursement of this earmarked contribution to Frist 2000 Inc. As a conduit or intermediary, a committee must forward earmarked contributions, along with a transmittal report, within ten (10) days of receiving an earmarked contribution greater than \$50 and within thirty (30) days if the earmarked contribution is \$50 or less. 11 CFR §§102.8 and 110.6(c)(1)(iii)

If the earmarked contributions were incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your report with clarifying information.

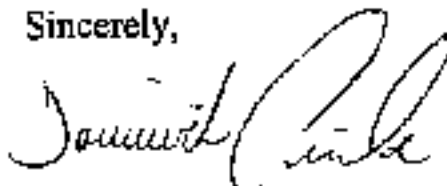
Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the earmarked contributions, your prompt action addressing the concerns raised will be taken into consideration.

-Pursuant to 11 CFR §110.6(c), all earmarked contributions, that have passed through a conduit's account, must be itemized on the receipt (Schedule A) and disbursement (Schedule B) schedules, regardless of the amount. Please identify the original contributors for the earmarked contributions disclosed on Schedule B.

-Your report disclosed a category of financial activity that has been reflected on the wrong line of the Detailed Summary Page. Voided contributions to other Political Committees should be properly disclosed on a separate Schedule B, supporting Line 23 of the Detailed Summary Page. Please refer to the instructions contained on the forms to determine the proper categorization when preparing your next filing.

A written response or an 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. 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,



Dominick Ciaraldi
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

SCHEDULE B	ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS	Use separate schedule(s) for each category of the Detailed Summary Page	9 / 16
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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)
DIRECT VOICE, THE POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE OF THE DIRECT MARKETING ASSOCIATION

Full Name, Mailing Address, and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement (Senate - IL - 00) Earmarked: ACXION PAC	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
FITZGERALD FOR SENATE INC 50 NORTH BROCKWAY STREET SUITE 4-9 PALATINE IL 60067	Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): 1998 Primary DR	06/05/2000	1000.00
FITZGERALD FOR SENATE INC 50 NORTH BROCKWAY STREET SUITE 4-9 PALATINE IL 60067	Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): 1998 General DR	06/05/2000	1000.00
FITZGERALD FOR SENATE INC 50 NORTH BROCKWAY STREET SUITE 4-9 PALATINE IL 60067	Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): 1998 Primary DR	06/05/2000	2000.00
EVAN BAYH COMMITTEE PO BOX 40977 INDIANAPOLIS IN 46240	Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General Other (specify):	06/07/2000	500.00
EVAN BAYH COMMITTEE PO BOX 40977 INDIANAPOLIS IN 46240	Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General Other (specify):	06/07/2000	500.00
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EVAN BAYH COMMITTEE PO BOX 40977 INDIANAPOLIS IN 46240	Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General Other (specify):	06/09/2000 1st Primary = 5.2.00	1800.00
EVAN BAYH COMMITTEE PO BOX 40977 INDIANAPOLIS IN 46240	Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General Other (specify):	06/09/2000	2200.00
FRIENDS FOR HARRY REID PO BOX 38008 RENO NV 89533	Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General Other (specify):	06/12/2000	500.00



SUBTOTALS of Disbursements This Page (Optional)

TOTALS This Period (last page this line number only)

