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(Part 3, Letter 1) In-kind donations from the ASGP were a temporary part of the transition from the ASGP to the Green Party of the US. The ASGP paid for some early fundraising expenses to cover administrative expenses until the Green Party was established. No such contributions have been made recently and there will be no more of them. The ASGP will be disbanded shortly.

Similarly, the Green Party of Minnesota also prohibits corporate contributions. These prohibitions flow from our political philosophy that corporate money is not an appropriate source of political influence. As such, we would not accept corporate money even if from a segregated fund committee. So our rules regarding corporate donations are more strict than those of the FEC. Relevant sections of the bylaws of the Green Party of Minnesota can be presented upon request.

Your letter also requests an amendment to this report to properly describe disbursements of the Green Party. The use of the descriptive word 'split' results from an artifact in our accounting software when we download expense information into FEC software. If the check spans more than one accounting category, (cont'd)