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October 2, 2007

Kristen DeCarmine
Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division
999 E St. NW
Federal Election Commission
Washington, DC 20463

RE: Women's Campaign Forum

FEC ID No. C00424150

Dear Ms. DeCarmine:

We received a letter dated September 5, 2007 notifying us of our need to take corrective action for excess contributions made in June to the Hillary Clinton for President Committee.

We have requested a refund of the excess contribution from the Committee. The request is currently being processed and we fully expect to receive the refund during the reporting period which ends on December 30, 2007. We will report this refund on Schedule A supporting Line 16 at the time we file. A copy of this refund request, and the original letter we received from the FEC, is being submitted by mail today. Since making this contribution, we have filed for multi-candidate status and are awaiting notification that this change has been made.

Please let me know if there is any additional action we need to take to correct this oversight.

Sincerely,

Katherine Ray

Treasurer

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September 20, 2007

Allison Wright
Compliance Manager
Hillary Clinton for President
4420 North Fairfax Drive
Arlington, VA 22203

Dear Ms. Wright,

The Women's Campaign Forum recently received a letter from the FEC informing us that we exceed our contribution limits in making a \$5,000 primary and \$5,000 general contribution to the Hillary Clinton for President Exploratory Committee. A copy of this letter is attached. When we made the contribution in June, we had not yet achieved multi-candidate status as a Committee. Although we have subsequently filed for multi-candidate status, and are awaiting approval from the FEC, in the interim we need to request a refund of the contribution in excess of the \$2,300 limit we were allowed in June.

We issued two checks, each for \$5,000, to the Hillary Clinton for President Exploratory Committee. The first check for the primary was issued on June 6, 2007 and the second check for the general was issued on June 18, 2007. They checks would have been drawn on the federal account of the Women's Campaign Forum PAC. Copies of the checks are also attached here for your reference.

To correct this error we need to request a refund of the excess contributions. This means we need to request a refund of \$2,700 for the primary and \$2,700 for the general election. The refund checks should be made payable to "Women's Campaign Forum PAC." Please let me know if you will need anything further.

Thank you very much for your prompt assistance in this matter.

Warm Regards.

Katherine Ray Chief Operating Officer



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

September 5, 2007

Allison Thompson, Treasurer Women's Campaign Forum 734 15th Street NW, Suite 500 Washington, DC 20005

Response Due Date: October 5, 2007

Identification Number:

C00424150

Reference:

Mid-Year Report (4/1/07-6/30/07)

Dear Treasurer:

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 item:

-Schedule B of your report (see attached) discloses one or more contributions which appear to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(a) prohibits a non-multicandidate political committee and its affiliates, from making a contribution to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$2,300 per election. However, your filings disclose that your committee may have satisfied the criteria set forth at 11 CFR §100.5(e)(3) for becoming a multicandidate committee.

Please be advised that once a political committee meets-the certification-requirements or becomes affiliated with an existing multicandidate committee, whether or not that political committee has certified its status as a multicandidate committee, it automatically attains multicandidate status and must file a FORM 1M (Notification of Multicandidate Status) within ten (10) calendar days. For further guidance on the multicandidate certification requirements, please see 11 CFR §§102.2(a)(3), 110.2(a)(1) and (2). A copy of FEC FORM 1M can be downloaded from the FEC website at http://www.fec.gov, or requested through the FEC Fax line at (202) 501-3413.

If any apparently excessive contribution in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information.

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If any contribution you made exceeds the limits, you must request a refund of the excessive amount or provide a written authorization for a redesignation of the contribution pursuant to 11 CFR §110.2(b) within 60 days of the treasurer's receipt.

If the foregoing conditions for redesignations were not met within 60 days of the treasurer's receipt, your committee must obtain a refund of the excessive amount.

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund or redesignation request sent to the recipient committee(s). In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on Schedule A supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received. Any redesignations should be disclosed as memo entries on Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the report covering the period during which the redesignation is made. 11 CFR §110.1(b)

Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the excessive contribution(s), your prompt action in obtaining a refund and/or redesignating the contribution(s) will be taken into consideration.

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) 694-1153.

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