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September 12, 2001

Thomas F. Maxwell, III
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division
Federal Election Commission
Washington, DC 20463

Re: Identification Number C00359984
October Quarterly Report (7/20/00-9/30/00)
Southeast Milk, Inc. Political Action Committee

Dear Mr. Maxwell:

Mr. Charlie Garrison, the Treasurer of Southeast Milk, Inc. Political Action Committee, is out of town and his return date is uncertain due to the current grounding of all domestic flights. In order to respond to the above-referenced letter in a timely manner, this letter was prepared at his direction.

The entities indicated on the copy of Schedule A attached to your letter of September 5, 2001 (copy attached for your convenience), are not corporations. They are sole proprietorships, partnerships, or other non-incorporated organizations. Every time a check is received from a non-individual, our staff verifies with the organization that it is not a corporation before the contribution is accepted.

I trust this response will be adequate. If you need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact either Mr. Garrison or myself.

Sincerely, - -

Calvin Covington
Custodian of Records, SMIPAC

CC:dm
Enclosures
Cc: Charlie Garrison

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Charles Garrison, Treasurer
Southeast Milk Inc. Political
Action Committee
P.O. Box 3790
Bellevue, FL 34421

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Dear Mr. Garrison:

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 A of your report (pertinent portions attached) discloses an apparent contribution(s) from a corporation(s). 2 U.S.C. §441b(a) prohibits the receipt of contributions from corporations unless made from a separate segregated fund established by the corporation.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. If you have received a corporate contribution(s), you must transfer-out the impermissible funds to an account not used to influence federal elections or refund the full amount to the donor(s) in accordance with 11 CFR §103.3(b). In the best interest of your committee, all transfers-out and refunds should be made within thirty days of the treasurer's receipt of the impermissible funds. In order to protect the donor's interests, the Commission recommends that you inform the contributor(s) in writing to provide the donor(s) with the option of receiving a refund or granting written authorization for a transfer to another account.

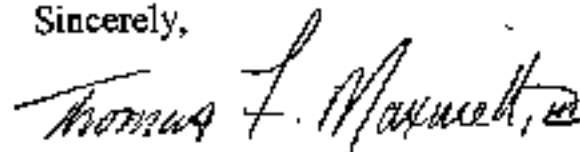
Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of your check for the transfer-out or refund. In addition, any transfers-out or refunds should be disclosed on

Schedule B supporting Line 22 or 28 of the report covering the period during which the transaction was made.

Although the Commission may take further legal action concerning the acceptance of a prohibited contribution, prompt action by your committee to transfer-out or refund the amount will be taken into consideration.

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,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Thomas F. Maxwell, III". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned to the right of the word "Sincerely,".

Thomas F. Maxwell, III
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

SOUTHEAST MILK, INC., POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt (in Period)
Riley Hogan, Jr. 1704 Cottageway Court Brandon, FL 33510	Retired	7/11/00	500.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 500.00	
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt (in Period)
Blesy's Dairy 17255 SE Hwy 452 Umatilla, FL 32784		7/28/00	525.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 525.00	
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt (in Period)
Doyle Wetzbarcker P. O. Box 509 Quitman, GA 31643	Brookco Dairy, LLC	7/11/00	525.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation Farmer	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 525.00	
E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt (in Period)
Jewell Pollett 8050 NW 30th St. Hollywood, FL 33024	W & D Dairy, Inc.	8/25/00	525.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation Farmer	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 525.00	
F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt (in Period)
Margaret Rucks 606 SW 28th Terrace Okeechobee, FL 34974	C & M Rucks Dairy, Inc.	9/1/00	600.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation Farmer	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 600.00	
G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt (in Period)
P. Joseph Wright P. O. Box 1057 Avon Park, FL 33825	V & W Farms, Inc. of Delray Beach, Inc.	7/15/00	600.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation Farmer	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 600.00	

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NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR (in Full) SOUTHEAST MILK, INC., POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code John Larson P. O. Box 1249 Okeechobee, FL 34973	Name of Employer Larson Dairy, Inc.	Date (month, day, year) 8/28/00	Amount of Each Receipt this Period 1,000.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General	Occupation Farmer	Aggregate Year-to-Date \$ 1,000.00	

B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Larson Ranch P. O. Box 1249 Okeechobee, FL 34973	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year) 8/28/00	Amount of Each Receipt this Period 1,000.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date \$ 1,000.00	

C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Larson Operations P. O. Box 1249 Okeechobee, FL 34973	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year) 8/28/00	Amount of Each Receipt this Period 1,000.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date \$ 1,000.00	

D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code North Florida Holsteins 2740 West CR 232 Bell, FL 32619	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year) 8/16/00	Amount of Each Receipt this Period 1,252.30
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date \$ 1,252.30	

E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Alliance Dairies 4951 NW 170th St. Trenton, FL 32693	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year) 9/23/00	Amount of Each Receipt this Period 1,300.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date \$ 1,300.00	

F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Nancy Jean Davis TTEE FBO NANCY Jean Davis Trust 80 SW 9th St., Suite 2110 Miami, FL 33130	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year) 9/22/00	Amount of Each Receipt this Period 2,800.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date \$ 2,800.00	

G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Condale Farms 10400 NE 41 Tr Anthony, FL 32617	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year) 9/1/00	Amount of Each Receipt this Period 210.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date \$ 210.00	

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A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
George Alvarez 23183 Powell Road Brooksville, FL 34602	Pleasant Valley Dairy, Inc.	7/26/00	210.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General	Occupation: FARMER	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 210.00	
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Viets Dairy 556 Lovewood Road Graceville, FL 32440		7/24/00	250.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General	Occupation:	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 250.00	
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Roger Butler 193 River Lane Lorida, FL 33857	B-4, Inc.	8/29/00	300.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General	Occupation: Farmer	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 300.00	
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Norm Nickerson 2610 Schontag Rd. Nauchula, FL 33973	Norm Nickerson & Sons, Inc.	8/31/00	300.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General	Occupation: Farmer	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 300.00	
E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
John A. Peachey 3200 Verna Road Myakka City, FL 34251	Peachey Dairy, Inc.	7/25/00	315.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General	Occupation: Farmer	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 315.00	
F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Edward Perry Rt. 3; Box 148 Mayo, FL 32066	Ed Perry, Inc.	8/24/00	340.00
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G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Robert L. Butler 172 Shady Oaks Lane Lorida, FL 33857	Butler Oaks Farm, Inc.	8/23/00	350.00
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A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
Norman P. Clemons P. O. Box 3514 Ft. Myers, FL 33918	NFC Dairy, LLP	7/25/00	350.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation: Farmer Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 350.00		
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Edward Underhill 27895 SW Martin Highway Okeechobee, FL 34974	Underhill Farms, Inc.	8/9/00	350.00
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C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Douglas Walker P. O. Box 38 Wacissa, FL 32361	Walker & Sons Farms, Inc.	9/29/00	350.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation: Farmer Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 350.00		
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Rodney R. Land Rt. 2, Box 1515 Mayo, FL 32066	R & W Land & Sons, Inc.	7/24/00	415.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation: Farmer Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 415.00		
E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Ray Melear 16010 Highway 70 East Okeechobee, FL 34972	Ray Melear, Inc.	7/18/00	455.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation: Farmer Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 455.00		
F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Piedmont Dairy 4951 N.W. 170th St. Trenton, FL 32693		9/23/00	500.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation: Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 500.00		
G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Calvin Covington P. O. Box 3790 Bellevue, FL 34421	Southeast Milk, Inc.	7/31/00	500.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation: CEO, Dairy Co-op. Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 500.00		
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A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
Ron Morgan, Jr. 16560 68th Place Live Oak, FL 32060	Shenandoah Dairy, Inc.	7/31/00	630.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation: Farmer	Aggregate Year-to-Date: 630.00	
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Highbrighton 4951 NW 170th St. Trenton, FL 32693	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year) 9/23/00	Amount of Each Receipt This Period 700.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date: 700.00	
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Sutton Rucks, Jr. P. O. Box 415 Okeechobee, FL 34973	Name of Employer Dry Lake Dairy, Inc.	Date (month, day, year) 8/17/00	Amount of Each Receipt This Period 770.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation Farmer	Aggregate Year-to-Date: 770.00	
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Faye Gore 7750 Gall Blvd. Zephyrhills, FL 33540	Name of Employer Gore's Dairy Supply, Inc.	Date (month, day, year) 7/26/00	Amount of Each Receipt This Period 800.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation Farmer	Aggregate Year-to-Date: 800.00	
E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Mary Hazel Rutledge 3105 NE 120th Ave. Okeechobee, FL 34974	Name of Employer Davie Dairy, Inc.	Date (month, day, year) 9/5/00	Amount of Each Receipt This Period 825.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation Farmer	Aggregate Year-to-Date: 825.00	
F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Tommy Rucks, Sr. P. O. Box 95 Okeechobee, FL 34973	Name of Employer H & W Rucks & Son Dairy, Inc.	Date (month, day, year) 8/9/00	Amount of Each Receipt This Period 980.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation Farmer	Aggregate Year-to-Date: 980.00	
G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code T & D Cattle P. O. Box 1355 Avon Park, FL 33825	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year) 9/6/00	Amount of Each Receipt This Period 1,000.00
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