



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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November 20, 1997

Joseph J. Dougherty, Treasurer
Local 401 Iron Workers Political
Action Fund
11600 Norcom Road
Philadelphia, PA 19154

Identification Number: C00163535

Reference: February Monthly (1/1/97-1/31/97), March Monthly (2/1/97-2/28/97),
April Monthly (3/1/97-3/31/97), May Monthly (4/1/97-4/30/97), June
Monthly (5/1/97-5/31/97), August Monthly (7/1/97-7/31/97) and
September Monthly (8/1/97-8/31/97) Reports

Dear Mr. Dougherty:

On October 29, 1997, you were notified that a review of the above-referenced report(s) raised questions as to specific contributions and/or expenditures, and the reporting of certain information required by the Federal Election Campaign Act.

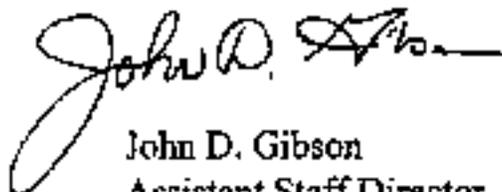
Your November 10, 1997 response is incomplete because you have not provided all the requested information. For this response to be considered adequate, the following information is still required.

-Your response states that the membership contributions received on a monthly basis are funded by individual members. These "deductions" are transferred from your "General Fund" account to your Political Action Fund. Please clarify if your General Fund account is used for non-federal activity. If so, any transfer from this account is prohibited and the full transfer amount(s) should be returned to the General Fund account. You may provide a photocopy of the check for the transfer-out, in response to this letter. A transfer-out should be disclosed on Schedule B supporting Line 22 of your next report.

If this information is not received by the Commission within fifteen (15) days from the date of this notice, the Commission may choose to initiate audit or legal enforcement action.

If you should have any questions related to this matter, please contact Donald Averett on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 or our local number (202) 219-3580.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John D. Gibson". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

John D. Gibson
Assistant Staff Director
Reports Analysis Division