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NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full) Humane Society Legislative Fund Political Action Committee FEC IDENTIFICATION NUMBER C00466813

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RE: Humane Society Legislative Fund Political Action Committee (HSLF PAC): FEC ID No. C00466813

Dear Mr. Bennett:

This letter is in response to your inquiry regarding the fraudulent charges reported on HSLF PAC's December 2019 Monthly FEC Report, covering the period 11/01/2019-11/30/2019. The fraudulent charges, totaling \$20,680, during this period were all checks created and cashed by an external entity who illegally obtained the PAC's account details. HSLF PAC's bank investigated the situation and determined that these checks were indeed fraudulent. Subsequently, the bank refunded the full amount of the fraudulent checks, as disclosed on HSLF PAC's February 2020 Monthly FEC Report.

HSLF PAC closed the account with the compromised security and opened a new account. Further, the new account includes positive pay - a security measure that helps prevent fraudulent checks from being cashed. This feature is being utilized by HSLF PAC to prevent fraudulent checks from being cashed in the future.

Sincerely,

Sara Amundson Treasurer