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Thomas F. Lee, Treasurer
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Political Contributions Committee
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Reference:

Amended Mid-Year Report (1/1/02-6/30/02), dated 1/22/03

Dear Mr. Lee:

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 B of your report discloses lump sum payments to AFM-General Fund for payroll purposes; however, you have not itemized the individuals who receive payment. Each person who provided services to the committee must be identified in a memo entry if the payments made through the payroll account to the ultimate payee exceed \$200 in a calendar year. Please amend your report by providing the name, date, amount, and purpose for such payments as required by 11 CFR §102.9(b)(2)(i)(A).

A response or 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. 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 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 teach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

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