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Reference: July Quarterly Report (1/1/98-6/30/98)

Dear Mr. Bilson:

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:

-Please provide the totals for Lines 11(a)(iii), 11(d) and 21(e), Columns A and B of the Detailed Summary Page. Note that changes in your figures may affect your Column B totals on this report and/or on subsequent reports.

-It has come to the attention of the Federal Election Commission that the reports you have filed during the current election cycle do not reflect the appropriate coverage dates for quarterly filing status. Please be advised of the filing dates and coverage periods for the 1997-1998 election cycle and fill in the appropriate dates on Line 5 of the Summary Page.

<u>Report Type</u>	<u>Coverage Dates</u>	<u>Due Date</u>
Mid-Year	1/1/97-6/30/97	July 31, 1997
Year End	7/1/97-12/31/97	January 31, 1998
April Quarterly	1/1/98-3/31/98	April 15, 1998
July Quarterly	4/1/98-6/30/98	July 15, 1998
October Quarterly	7/1/98-9/30/98	October 15, 1998
12 Day Pre-General	10/1/98-10/14/98	October 22, 1998

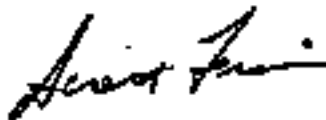
30 Day Post-General
Year End

10/15/98-11/23/98
11/24/98-12/31/98

December 3, 1998
January 31, 1999

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. My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



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