



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Sarah R. Dodge, Treasurer  
Petroleum Marketers Association of America/Small  
Business Committee  
1901 North Fort Myer Dr. Suite 1200  
Arlington, VA 22209

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Identification Number: C00035204

Reference: Year End Report (11/24/98-12/31/98)

Dear Ms. Dodge:

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:

-Your report discloses a total of \$1,269 in disbursements to Petroleum Marketers Association for a misdeposit of funds (pertinent portion(s) attached). 2 U.S.C. §441b prohibits a corporation or labor organization from contributing or expending funds for the purpose of influencing any federal election, except that a connected organization may pay for the solicitation and administrative costs of its separate segregated fund.

Please amend your report to clarify the nature of the transaction(s) in question and provide the date of the original deposit in your account. If the funds were deposited in your committee's account in error, the original receipt must also be disclosed on Schedule A supporting the appropriate line of the Detailed Summary Page on an amended report covering the period during which the receipt occurred. Although the Commission may take further legal action concerning this matter, your prompt action will be taken into consideration.

-Please provide a Schedule A to support the entry on Line 12 of the Detailed Summary Page. All transfers from affiliates received by your committee must be itemized on Schedule A regardless of the amount. 2

U.S.C. §434(b)(3)(D)

-Line 11(a)(i), of the Detailed Summary Page of your report discloses a total of \$250 in contributions from individuals. The sum of the entries itemized on Schedule A, however, indicates the total to be \$2,450. Please amend your report to clarify the discrepancy.

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,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andrew Dodson". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "D" at the end.

Andrew J. Dodson  
Senior Reports Analyst  
Reports Analysis Division

## SCHEDULE B ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

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## Contributions to Federal Candidates/Committees and Other Political Committees

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## NAME OF COMMITTEE (in full)

Petroleum Marketers Association of America/Small Business Committ

Full Name, Mailing Address & Zip Code	Purpose of Disbursement	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disb. this period
Bill Frist for Senate 1922 West End Avenue  Nashville, TN 37203	Bill Frist (R-S2-TN)  Disb for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	12/01/98	1000.00
Hon. James McGovern 512 Cannon HOB  Washington, DC 20515-2103	James McGovern (D-03rd-MA)  Disb for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) <i>Retirement</i>	11/25/98	500.00
PMAA 1401 W. Fort Myer Dr. # 1200 Arlington, VA 22204	PMAA accidentally deposited money into our account gave it  Disb for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	11/26/98	1269.25

*Reimbursement to affiliated*

SUBTOTAL of Disbursement This Page (optional)-----&gt;

2769.25

TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only)---&gt;

2769.25

