



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
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J. Brian Murphy, Treasurer
Democratic State Committee Delaware
P.O. Box 2065
Wilmington, DE 19899

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Reference: 12 Day Pre-General (10/1/00-10/18/00) and Amended 12 Day Pre-General (10/1/00-10/18/00), dated 12/7/00 Reports

Dear Mr. Murphy:

On March 28, 2001 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.

The Commission is in receipt of your letter dated April 9, 2001. An adequate response must be received at the Commission by May 9, 2001. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.** Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement actions.

If you should have any questions related to this matter, please contact Erik Koeppen on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

John D. Gibson
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