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416 Fir Street NE
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Dear Mr. Learn:

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 note that a reporting period always begins the day after the closing date of the last report filed.

-Your committee's filing is not an original. Therefore it does not bear an original signature of the treasurer or designated agent. Please file a report bearing the required original signature. See 2 U.S.C. §434(a)(1) and 11 CFR §104.14.

Any amendment or clarification should be filed with the Federal Election Commission. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 219-3580.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Tracy L. Tiell".

Tracy L. Tiell
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