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March 29, 2018

BRUCE GARFIELD, TREASURER FRIENDS OF CHAFFETZ 55 N MERCHANT ST, #1488 AMERICAN FORK, UT 84003-7059

Response Due Date 05/03/2018

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00431684

REFERENCE: TERMINATION REPORT (01/01/2018 - 03/31/2018)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following 2 item(s):

- 1. Your committee has requested that the Commission permit your committee to terminate pursuant to 52 U.S.C. §30103(d) (formerly 2 U.S.C. §433(d)) and 11 CFR §102.3. In order to terminate your committee, you must file amendments to correct any problems on this Report and/or on any previous reports that still contain uncorrected errors or omissions. If you are not certain about what corrections need to be made, please contact the undersigned analyst. Once the FEC receives and approves the corrections to your report(s), it will notify you. Until that time, you must continue to file all required reports.
- 2. Schedule B of your report discloses one or more contributions that appear to exceed the limits established by the Act (see attached). The Act precludes an individual or a political committee from making a contribution to a political action committee in excess of \$5,000 per calendar year. (52 U.S.C. § 30116(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. § 441a(a)) and 11 CFR 110.1(d)). Please take note that Leadership PACs are legally unaffiliated with a candidate's principal campaign committee and operate under the same rules as other nonconnected committees.

If any apparently excessive contribution in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you must amend your original report with the clarifying information.

If the contribution made was excessive, you must notify the recipient and request

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a refund of the amount in excess of \$5,000. If you have not already done so, please inform the Commission in writing of such a refund. The refund must appear on Line 15 of the Detailed Summary Page and on a supporting Schedule A of the report covering the period in which the refund is received.

Although the Commission may take further legal action concerning the excessive contribution(s), your prompt action to obtain a refund of the excessive amount will be taken into consideration.

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. 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 action. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.

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. For additional information about the report review process or specific filing information for your committee type, please visit http://transition.fec.gov/rad/. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1161.

Sincerely,

Michael Dobi

Campaign Finance Analyst Reports Analysis Division

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Excessive, Prohibited, and Impermissible Contributions Friends of Chaffetz (C00431684)

Excessive Contributions to Other Committees

Recipient Name	Date	Amount	Election
Beehive PAC	2/28/2018	\$267,188.83	P2018