

STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION

(See reverse side for instructions)

1. (a) NAME OF COMMITTEE IN FULL <input type="checkbox"/> (Check if name is changed) <u>Salem Communications Corporation Political Action Committee</u>	2. DATE <u>July 1, 1996</u>
(b) Number and Street Address <input type="checkbox"/> (Check if address is changed) <u>4880 Santa Rosa Road, Suite 300</u>	3. FEC IDENTIFICATION NUMBER _____
(c) City, State and ZIP Code <u>Camarillo, CA 93012</u>	4. IS THIS STATEMENT AN AMENDMENT? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO

5. TYPE OF COMMITTEE (Check one)

- (a) This committee is a principal campaign committee. (Complete the candidate information below.)
- (b) This committee is an authorized committee, and is NOT a principal campaign committee. (Complete the candidate information below.)
- | Name of Candidate | Candidate Party Affiliation | Office Sought | State District |
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- (c) This committee supports/opposes only one candidate _____ and is NOT an authorized committee (name of candidate)
- (d) This committee is a _____ committee of the _____ Party (National, State or subordinate) (Democratic, Republican, etc.)
- (e) This committee is a separate segregated fund.
- (f) This committee supports/opposes more than one Federal candidate and is NOT a separate segregated fund or a party committee.

Name of Any Connected Organization or Affiliated Committee	Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Relationship
Salem Communications Corporation	4880 Santa Rosa Rd., #300, Camarillo CA 93012	

Type of Connected Organization
 Corporation Corporation w/o Capital Stock Labor Organization Membership Organization Trade Association Cooperative

7. Custodian of Records: Identify by name, address (phone number -- optional) and position of the person in possession of committee books and records.

Full Name	Mailing Address	Title or Position
Charles A. Merritt III	4880 Santa Rosa Rd., #300 Camarillo, CA 93012	Dir. of National News & Public Affairs

8. Treasurer: List the name and address (phone number -- optional) of the treasurer of the committee; and the name and address of any designated agent (e.g., assistant treasurer).

Full Name	Mailing Address	Title or Position
Charles A. Merritt III	4880 Santa Rosa Rd., #300 Camarillo, CA 93012	Treasurer
Russell Heath	4880 Santa Rosa Rd., #300 Camarillo, CA 93012	Assistant Treasurer

9. Banks or Other Depositories: List all banks or other depositories in which the committee deposits funds, holds accounts, rents safety deposit boxes or maintains funds.

Name of Bank, Depository, etc.	Mailing Address and ZIP Code
City Commerce Bank	445 Esplanade Drive, Suite 110 Oxnard, CA 93030-1251

I certify that I have examined this Statement and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete.

TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF TREASURER	SIGNATURE OF TREASURER	DATE
Charles A. Merritt III	<i>Charles A. Merritt III</i>	7/17/96

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