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Dear Mr. Ciaraldi:

Thank you for your help in working through our seemingly excessive contribution to Senator Bill Frist's general election campaign fund this last election cycle. The two contributions in 1995 (\$1,000 contributed on 5/18/95 and an additional \$1,000 contributed on 9/14/95) were actually for debt retirement for the general election for "Bill Frist for Senate 1994" campaign. I have double-checked with Senator Bill Frist's office to find that their records also reflect that the two 1995 contributions we made were designated to debt retirement for "Bill Frist for Senate 1994" campaign.

Please let me know if there is any further action that needs to be taken by our committee to resolve this issue.

Also, Mr. Ciaraldi, we will amend schedule B, supporting line 23, to better reflect the political office sought by the candidates we support. Thanks, too, for pointing out that we only report COGA contributors whose contribution exceeds \$200 in any calendar year.

Kind regards,



Brad L. Champlin
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CC: Linus Catignani, Senator Frist's office
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