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Robert E. Gleason, Treasurer
International Longshoremen's
Association AFL-CIO Committee
on Political Education ILA-COPE
17 Battery Place
New York, NY 10004

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Dear Mr. Gleason:

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:

-Schedule B of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(a) precludes a multicandidate committee from making a contribution to a candidate for federal office in excess of $5,000 per election.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. If you have made an excessive contribution, you should notify the recipient and request a refund of the amount in excess of $5,000 and/or notify the recipient in writing of your redesignation of the contribution. In the best interest of your committee, all refunds and redesignations should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution(s).

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund request sent to the contributor. In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on Schedule A supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received. Any redesignations should be disclosed as memo entries on Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the report covering the period during which the redesignation is made. 11 CFR §110.1(b)

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Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the excessive contribution(s), your prompt action in obtaining a refund and/or redesignating the contribution(s) will be taken into consideration.

-Schedule B of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(a) precludes a multicandidate committee from making a contribution to a national political party in excess of $15,000 in a calendar year.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. If you have made an excessive contribution, you should notify the recipient and request a refund of the amount in excess of $15,000. In the best interest of your committee, all refunds should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution.

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund request sent to the contributor. In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on schedule A supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received.

Although the Commission may take further legal action concerning the excessive contribution(s), prompt action in obtaining a refund will be taken into consideration.

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. 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,

Debbie Manzano

Debbie Manzano
Reports Analyst
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International Longshoremen's Association, AFL-CIO, Committee on Political Education

Friends to Elect Gene Green P.O. Box 16128 Houston, TX 77222	Congressman Gene Green U.S. House of Reps. - Dist. 29 Primary - 1996	07/24/95 Chk. # 1506	$2,500
Bonior for Congress P.O. Box 65873 Washington, DC 20035-5873	Congressman David E. Bonior Primary - 1996	07/24/95 Chk. # 1507	$5,000
Peter Deutsch for Congress P.O. Box 26778 Tamarac, FL 33320-9929	Peter Deutsch House of Reps. - FL - 20th Primary - 1996	07/24/95 Chk. # 1508	$2,500
Maloney for Congress 49 E. 92nd Street New York, NY 10128	Carolyn B. Maloney Debt - 1994	07/25/95 Chk. # 1510	$500
Tim Johnson for South Dakota 328 D. Street, S.E. Washington, DC 20003	Tim Johnson United States Senate Primary - 1996	08/09/95 Chk. # 1518	$1,000
Friends of Voinovich Exploratory Committee 132 B West 2nd Street, P.O. Box 580 Perrysburg, OH 43552	Governor George Voinovich U.S. Senate Federal	08/30/95 Chk. # 1525	$3,000
Citizens for Harkins Washington, DC	Tom Harkin Congress - Iowa Primary - 1996	09/21/95 Chk. # 1535	$5,000
Friends of Gene Green 3130 N. Freeway Houston, TX 77009	Gene Green U.S. House Representatives District 29 Federal	10/4/95 Chk. # 1547	$2,500
Sam Geldenson Re-Election Committee P.O. Box 1818 Bozrah, CT 06334-9990	Sam Geldenson Congressman, U.S. House of Representatives Federal - Primary	10/5/95 Chk. # 1548	$2,500
Lott for Mississippians 228 S. Washington, Suite 200 Alexandria, VA 22314	Trent Lott House of Representatives - Senate	10/10/95 Chk. # 1551	$3,000

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Connie Galizzo DeFilliis for Congress P.O. Box 7768 Essex, MD 21221	Connie Galizzo Defelilis House of Representatives Federal - Primary - 1996	02/08/96 Chk. # 1628	$2,500
Green for Congress 3610 38th Street, N.W. #F270 Washington, D.C. 20016	Gene Green House of Representatives Federal - Primary - 1996	02/27/96 Chk. # 1633	$2,500
Hoyer for Congress 7905 Malcolm Road, Suite 102 Clinton, MD 20735	Steny Hoyer House of Representatives Federal - Primary - 1996	02/28/96 Chk. # 1634	$2,500
Elect Kucinich to Congress Committee 1466 St. Clair Avenue Cleveland, OH 44114	Dennis Kucinich Congressman 10th District Federal - Primary - 1996	02/27/96 Chk. # 1639	$5,000
Tom Sawyer Committee 1540 West Market Street, Suite 201 Akron, OH 43313	Tom Sawyer Congressman Federal - Primary - 1996	02/27/96 Chk. # 1640	$5,000
Friends of Congresswoman Corrine Brown 170 Westway Road #102 Greenbelt, MD 20770	Corrine Brown U.S. Congress District 3 Federal - Primary - 1996	02/27/96 Chk. # 1641	$5,000
Lampson for Congress Committee P.O. Box 21578 Beaumont, TX 77720	Nick Lampson U.S. Congress - 9th Dist. Texas Federal - Primary - 1996	02/27/96 Chk. # 1644	$5,000
Jim Turner for Congress P.O. Box 780 Crockett, TX 75835	Jim Turner U.S. House of Representatives Federal - Primary - 1996	02/27/96 Chk. #1645	$5,000
Delahunt for Congress 500 Victory Road Quincy, MA 02171	William D. Delahunt Congress Federal - Primary - 1996	02/28/96 Chk. # 1647	$2,500
Frost for Congress 400 S. Zang Blvd. Dallas, TX 75208	Martin Frost Congressman Congressional Federal - Primary - 1996	02/29/96 Chk. # 1648	$5,000

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Fazio for Congress 426 1st Street Woodland, CA 95695	Vic Fazio Congressman Congressional Primary - 1996	02/29/96 Chk. # 1649	$5,000
Luther for Congress Volunteer Committee 1399 Geneva Avenue, N., Suite 103 Oakdale, MN 55128	Bill Luther Congressman 6th District Federal - Primary - 1996	02/29/96 Chk. # 1650	$2,000
Friends of Patrick Kennedy P.O. Box 1336 Providence, Rhode Island 02901	Patrick Kennedy U.S. House Primary - 1996	03/31/96 Chk. # 1656	$2,000
Committee to Re-Elect Nydia Velazquez 643 Carroll Street Brooklyn, New York 11215	Nydia Velazquez Congresswoman Federal - General	03/13/96 Chk. # 1659	$1,000
Phil Torf for Congress P.O. Box 7001 Deerfield, Illinois 60015-7001	Phil Torf Congressman 10th District Federal - other - Primary - 1996	03/13/96 Chk. # 1664	$1,500
Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee Federal Account 430 South Capitol Street Washington, DC 20003	Democratic Congressional Campaign Various Federal Candidates	03/13/96 Chk. # 1665	$15,000
Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee Federal Account 430 South Capitol Street Washington, DC 20003	Democratic Congressional Campaign Various Federal Candidates	03/13/96 Chk. # 1666	$10,000
Citizens for Gilman P.O. Box 3001 Middletown, New York 10940	Ben Gilman Congressman Federal - General - 1996	03/19/96 Chk. # 1667	$850
Kaptur for Congress Committee P.O. Box 899 Toledo, Ohio 43697	Marcy Kaptur Congress State - Primary - 1996	03/19/96 Chk. # 1674	$2,500
Stabenow for Congress P.O. Box 4945 E. Lansing, Michigan 48826	Debbie Stabenow Congress Federal - Primary - 1996	03/19/96 Chk. # 1676	$1,500

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