FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
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Alec Poitevint, Treasurer
Republican National Committee-RNC
310 First Street SE
Washington, DC 20003

Identification Number: C00003418

Reference: October Monthly Report (9/1/96-9/30/96)

Dear Mr. Poitevint:

On May 7, 1997, you were notified that a review of the above-referenced report(s) raised questions as to specific contributions and/or expenditures, and the reporting of certain information required by the Federal Election Campaign Act.

Your June 6, 1997 response is incomplete because you have not provided all the requested information. For this response to be considered adequate, the following information is still required.

-Itemized disbursements must include a brief statement or description of why the disbursements were made. Please amend Schedule H4 of your report to clarify the following description(s): Event Costs. For further guidance regarding acceptable purposes of disbursements, please refer to 11 CFR §104.3(b)(3). The Commission notes you have started a new policy to use more specific descriptions starting May 1, 1997; however, you should still provide more specific descriptions on this report.

If this information is not received by the Commission within fifteen (15) days from the date of this notice, the Commission may choose to initiate audit or legal enforcement action.

If you should have any questions related to this matter, please contact Amy Reynolds on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 or our local number (202) 219-3580.

Sincerely,

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