



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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February 25, 2009

Terry Stapleton, Treasurer
American Postal Workers Union
Committee on Political Action
1300 L Street NW
Washington, DC 20005

Response Due Date:
March 27, 2009

Identification Number: C00010322

Reference: 30 Day Post General Report (10/16/08-11/24/08)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) 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 4 items:

1. The totals listed on Lines 6(c), 11(a)(ii), 11(a)(iii), 11(d), 19, 20, 24 and 29, Column B of the Summary and Detailed Summary Page(s) appear to be incorrect. Please be advised that you should add the "Calendar Year-to-Date" total from your previous report to the current "Total This Period" figure from Column A to derive the correct Column B totals. Please amend your report and any subsequent reports that may be affected by this correction.
2. The beginning cash balance of this report should equal the ending balance of your Amended 2008 12 Day Pre-General Report (10/01/08-10/15/08), received 2/09/09. Please clarify this discrepancy and amend any subsequent report(s) that may be affected by this correction.
3. Your calculations for Line 8 appear to be incorrect. Cash-on-hand at the close of the current reporting period should always equal the closing calendar year-to-date cash-on-hand amount. Please provide the corrected total on the Summary Page.

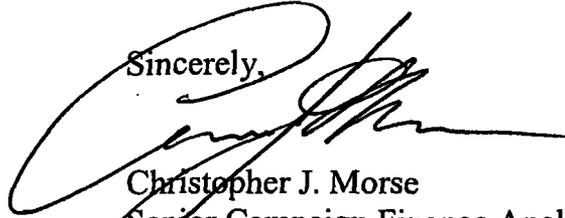
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4. Please amend your report by providing the purpose for each disbursement itemized on Schedule B supporting Line(s) 29. 11 CFR §104.3(b)(3)

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. 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) 694-1133.

Sincerely,



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Reports Analysis Division

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