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Robert M. Duncan, Treasurer
Republican National Committee-RNC
310 First Street S.E.
Washington, DC 20003

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Reference: Amended March Monthly (2/1/01-2/28/01), received 4/25/01

Dear Mr. Duncan:

On March 13, 2002 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 March 25, 2002 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.

> Schedule H4 of your report discloses numerous disbursements to be 100% federal activity. Be advised that these disbursements do not meet the definition of allocable expenses.
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> The Commission is in receipt of your response dated March 25, 2002 in which you state that "those expenditures on H4 listed as 100% federal will be deleted since they were reported in error, except "Event P2." However, a number of disbursements which are 100% federal (excluding Event P2), continue to be reported on Schedule H4. Please clarify this discrepancy.

An adequate response must be received at the Commission by April 24, 2002. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. **Requests for extensions for time in which to respond will not be considered.** Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. 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.

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 have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Scott Walker on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division), our local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

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