



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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Stan Huckaby, Treasurer  
National Republican Senatorial  
Committee  
425 Second Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20002

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Reference: August Monthly Report (7/1/00-7/31/00)

Dear Mr. Huckaby:

On March 7, 2001, 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 13, 2001 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 A 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(f) and 11 CFR §110.1(c) preclude a political committee which is established and maintained by a national political party, and any affiliated committees, from accepting contributions from a person or political committee in excess of \$20,000 in a calendar year.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with the clarifying information. If you have received an excessive contribution(s), you must seek reattribution of the contribution pursuant to 11 CFR §110.1(k), transfer-out the amount in excess of \$20,000 to an account not used to influence federal elections or refund the excessive amount to the donor(s) in accordance with 11 CFR §103.3(b). In the best interest of your committee, all reattributions, transfers-out and refunds should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution(s). In order to protect the donor's interests, the

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Commission recommends that you inform the contributor(s) in writing to provide the donor(s) with the option of granting written authorization for a reattribution or transfer-out to another account or receiving a refund.

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of your check for the transfer-out or refund. In addition, any reattributions should be reported as memo entries on Schedule A of the report covering the period during which the authorization for the reattribution is received. Any transfers-out or refunds should be disclosed on Schedule B supporting Line 22 or 28 of the report covering the period during which the transaction was made.

Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the acceptance of an excessive contribution(s), prompt action by your committee to seek reattribution, transfer-out or refund the excessive amount will be taken into consideration.

-A review of the reports filed by your committee (pertinent portion(s) attached) indicates that your committee received a transfer(s) from the 2000 Republican House Senate Dinner which has not been disclosed on their report(s) of receipts and disbursements. Please provide clarifying information regarding the source of the transfer(s) received by your committee.

-Schedule A of your report discloses contributions from political committees that fail to include a full and/or recognizable name. Reporting only the name of the connected organization, abbreviating the name of the committee so it is unrecognizable, or using an indistinguishable acronym is inadequate. The following committee names from your report need further clarification: ACLI PAC, Good Gov't for America PAC, PIA PAC, REIT PAC, Salt River Project PAC and UST PAC.

Please amend your report to include the missing information. 11 CFR §§100.12, 102.14(c) and 104.3(a)(4)(ii)

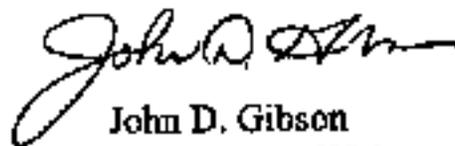
-Your report discloses receipts totaling \$22,500 from the 2000 Republican House Senate Dinner, which is a joint fundraising committee affiliated with your committee. The memo Schedule A itemizing the receipts from this joint fundraising committee totals \$9,687. Please amend your report to disclose the omitted information or provide clarifying information regarding this apparent discrepancy. 11 CFR §102.17(c)(8)(i)(A)

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An adequate response must be received at the Commission by April 18, 2001. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. **Requests for extensions of 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.

If you should have any questions related to this matter, please contact Andrew Dodson on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



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