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Mr. Bradley Matheson  
Sr. Campaign Finance & Reviewing Analyst  
Report Analysis Division  
Federal Election Commission  
999E Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20463

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RE: JULY QUARTERLY REPORT (05/15/2014 06/30/2014)

Dear Mr. Bradley Matheson:

We are in receipt of your letter dated September 2, 2014 concerning preliminary review of the report reference above.

**Item 1 – Excessive Contributions from Individuals & Committee**

The committee has refunded the excessive contributions received from three (3) individuals and a committee during the reporting period as enumerated below:

	<b>Individuals</b>	<b>Amount Refunded</b>
1	Cottingham Jr. Robert T	\$3,650.00
2	Thigpen Richard T	\$250.00
3	Wells Theodore V. Jr	\$2,500.00
	<b>Committee/PAC</b>	
1	American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFL-CIO)	\$1,000.00

This was an oversight on our part, during the period in questioned. We upgraded our software and the modules that automatically flags excessive contributions were inactive; we have since corrected the problem.

**Item 2**

We have corrected the opening balance in Column B of the detail summary page in the July Quarterly report. The error resulted, because we made a reclassification adjustment of \$500 between line 11B and line 11C, without reflecting a similar adjustment in the opening period.

The Committee has corrected the incorrect FEC ID for Boilermakers Blacksmiths Legislative Action Program (LEAP) from (C70002506) to the FEC ID (C00005157). We sincerely apologize for the inconveniences this error must have caused the Commission.

Mr. Bradley Matheson, Sr. Campaign Finance & Reviewing Analyst

October 6, 2014

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The committee has filed an amended report that incorporates this correction and refunds.

We trust that our answers to the questions raised are adequate and we apologize for any inconveniences we may have caused. If you have any question, please do not hesitate to contact the Accountant at 973-752-6656 or the Treasurer at 973 449 8413.

Sincerely,



Donald M. Payne Jr. for Congress  
O'Neil Williams  
Treasurer

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P.O. BOX 2406  
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CITY NATIONAL BANK OF NEW JERSEY  
NEWARK, NJ

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PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

Robert T. Cottingham Jr.

\$

3,650 <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

Thirty-six hundred & fifty + <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

DOLLARS



A TAMPER RESISTANT TONER AREA

TWO SIGNATURES REQUIRED OVER \$500.00

VOID AFTER 90 DAYS



MEMO Refund - Excess Contributions

[Redacted line]

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Refund - Excess Contributions - 2014 Primary

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Robert T. Cottingham Jr.  
396 Tremont Ave.  
Orange, NJ 07050

PAYMENT  
RECORD

Refund of Excess Contributions  
Primary 2014 \$3650

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PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

Richard Thigpen

\$

250<sup>00</sup>

Two hundred & fifty & 00/100

DOLLARS



TAMPER RESISTANT TONER AREA

TWO SIGNATURES REQUIRED OVER \$500.00



VOID AFTER 90 DAYS

MEMO

Refund of Excessive Contribution 2014

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Refund of Excessive Contribution  
Primary 2014

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Richard Thigpen  
8 Willow Lake Court  
Montclair, N.J. 07042

PAYMENT  
RECORD

Refund of Excessive Contribution  
Primary 2014

\$ 250<sup>00</sup>

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PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF

Theodore V Wells Jr.

\$ 2,500<sup>00</sup>

Twenty-five hundred & 00/100

DOLLARS



TAMPER RESISTANT TONER AREA

TWO SIGNATURES REQUIRED OVER \$500.00



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Refund - Excess Contribution Primary 2014

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Theodore V Wells Jr.  
24 Lanor Brook Drive.  
Livingston, N.J. 07039

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Refund of Excess Contribution  
Primary 2014

\$2500<sup>00</sup>

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American Federation of State, County & Municipal Employees

\$ 1000<sup>00</sup>

One thousand + 00/100

DOLLARS



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TWO SIGNATURES REQUIRED OVER \$500.00

VOID AFTER 90 DAYS



MEMO Refund

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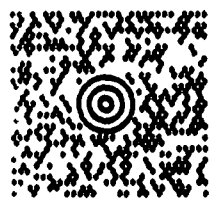
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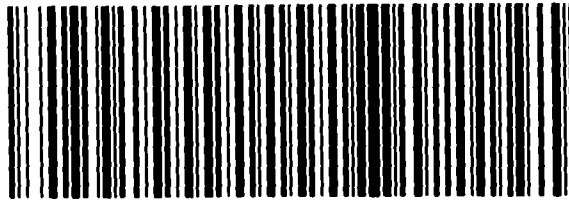
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