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Dear Sir/Madam:

Philip Morris Companies Inc. Political Action Committee
FEC Identification No. C00089136

This letter is in response to your request for additional information regarding our FEC Report covering the activities of the Philip Morris Companies Inc. Political Action Committee (PHIL-PAC) for the period September 1, 1998 through September 30, 1998.

Specifically, you requested the date of an event for Representative Bateman for which PHIL-PAC provided promotional items. The event in question occurred on September 27, 1998.

If you have any questions regarding this explanation, please contact me at (917) 663-2082

Sincerely,

John F. Ostronic
Assistant Treasurer and
Secretary of the Board,
PHIL-PAC

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