



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20543

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Deborah A. Burns, Treasurer
Southeastern Lumber Manufacturers Assoc.
Political Action Committee
671 Forest Parkway, P.O. Box 1788
Forest Park, GA 30051

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Identification Number: C00128678

Reference: Year End Report (11/26/02-12/31/02)

Dear Ms. Burns:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Schedule B supporting Line 23 of your report discloses one or more contributions to a candidate(s) for the general election; however, the funds were disbursed after the election date(s) (pertinent portion(s) attached). Please note that contributions may not be designated for an election which has already occurred unless the funds are to be used to reduce a candidate committee's debts incurred during that election campaign.

If any apparently impermissible contribution in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information.

If you have made an impermissible contribution, you must request a refund or provide a written authorization for a redesignation of the contribution pursuant to 11 CFR §110.2(b) within 60 days of the treasurer's receipt.

If the foregoing conditions for redesignations were not met within 60 days of the treasurer's receipt, your committee must obtain a refund.

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund or redesignation request sent to the recipient committee(s). In addition, any refunds should be disclosed

on Schedule A supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received. Any redesignations should be disclosed as memo entries on Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the report covering the period during which the redesignation is made. 11 CFR §110.1(b)

Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding this impermissible activity, your prompt action in obtaining a refund and/or redesignating the contribution(s) will be taken into consideration.

-For future filings, please note that your committee need only file the pages on which you have itemized activity. Schedules with no activity may be omitted.

A response or amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. 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 need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



Maureen Benitz

Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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SCHEDULE B (FEC Form 3X) ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

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NAME OF COMMITTEE OR FUND
Southeastern Lumber Manufacturers Association Political Action Committee

A

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)
Mike Ross for Congress

Working Address
315 Inspiration Lane

City Walthersburg State MD Zip Code 20878

Purpose of Disbursement:
CONTRIBUTION

Candidate Name
Mike Ross

Office Sought: House Senate President

Disbursement For: Primary General Other (specify)

State AR District 4th

Date of Disbursement
12 17 2002

Amount of Each Disbursement this Period
4000.00

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B

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)

Working Address

City State Zip Code

Purpose of Disbursement

Candidate Name

Office Sought: House Senate President

Disbursement For: Primary General Other (specify)

Date of Disbursement

Amount of Each Disbursement this Period

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Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)

Working Address

City State Zip Code

Purpose of Disbursement

Candidate Name

Office Sought: House Senate President

Disbursement For: Primary General Other (specify)

Date of Disbursement

Amount of Each Disbursement this Period

SUBTOTAL of Disbursements this Page (optional) 4000.00

TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only) 4000.00

