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Clay Parker Davis, Treasurer
 Help America's Leaders Political Action
 Committee (HALPAC)
 1155 21st Street NW
 Suite 300
 Washington, DC 20036

Response Due Date:
 December 26, 2003

Identification Number: C00376038

Reference: Amended October Monthly Report (9/1/03 - 9/30/03), received 11/20/03

Dear Mr. Davis:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above.** An itemization of the information needed follows:

-Schedule A of your report (see attached) discloses one or more contributions which appear to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(f) and 11 CFR §110.1(d) prohibit a committee and its affiliates from receiving any contribution from another political committee or person in excess of \$5,000 per calendar year.

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

If any contribution you received exceeds the limits, you may have to refund the excessive amount. The funds can be retained if within 60 days of receipt, (1) the excessive amount was properly reattributed to another person, such as a joint account holder, by obtaining signed written authorizations from each person making the contribution pursuant to

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11 CFR 110.1(k)(3), and (2) the treasurer informs the person making the contribution that he or she may request the return of the excessive portion of the contribution if it is not intended to be a joint contribution. Any request from a donor for a refund must be honored.

Alternatively, the funds can be retained if within 60 days of receipt you (1) transferred the excessive amount to an account not used to influence federal elections, and (2) provided written notice to the person making the contribution of the option of receiving a refund. Any request from a donor for a refund must be honored.

If the foregoing conditions for reattributions or transfers to a non-federal account were not met within 60 days of receipt, the excessive amount must be refunded.

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of your check for any 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 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.

Unlike previous election cycles, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. 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.

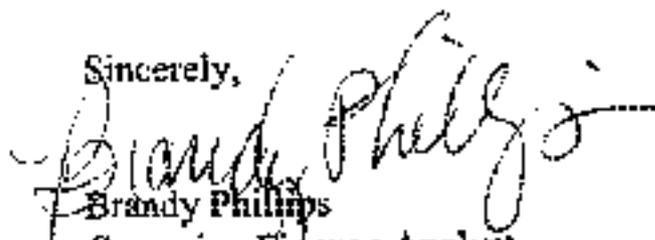
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If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9536 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1157.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Brandy Phillips". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the typed name.

Brandy Phillips
Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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Contributor Name	Date	Amount	Report
Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians	5/28/03	\$5,000	2003 June Monthly
Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians	9/16/03	\$5,000	2003 Amended October Monthly

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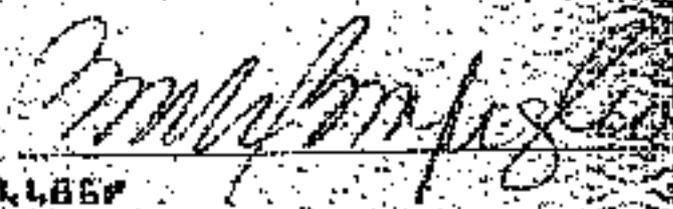
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HALPAC
1155 21st Street NW
Suite 300
Washington, D.C. 20036

December 23, 2003

Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians
P.O. Box 60110
Philadelphia, MS 39350

Re: 2003 Contribution

Dear Sir or Madam:

We have received your generous contributions to HALPAC in the amount of \$5,000 (check no. 257454) and \$5,000 (check no. 271219). With these two checks totaling \$10,000, you are over your legal limit. Therefore, I have enclosed a refund check in the amount of \$5,000.

Your support is greatly appreciated, and we apologize for any inconvenience. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (202) 659-8201.

Sincerely,



Barbara W. Bonfiglio
Treasurer

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