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**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL  
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Mr. Scott Walker, Reports Analyst  
Reports Analysis Division  
Federal Election Commission  
999 E. Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20463

**Re: Amended Year End Report (11/28/00-12/31/00)**

Dear Mr. Walker:

As you are aware, our office represents the International Longshoremen's Association, AFL-CIO, Committee on Political Education ("ILA-COPE"). We write in response to your letter dated July 12, 2001, regarding the above-referenced report filed by our client. In your letter you noted that Schedule A supporting line 11(a)(i) discloses receipts for contributions. You then state that the report should be amended to itemize any receipts from a single source that aggregate more than \$200.00 in the calendar year. However, no single individual contributed more than \$200.00 in the calendar year. The funds listed on line 11(a)(i) are individual check-off contributions to ILA-COPE. These funds were later deposited into the accounts in the name of ILA-COPE at the financial institutions listed in Schedule A. However, these funds still remain the property of the ILA-COPE.

We trust this responds to the issues raised in your letter.

Very truly yours,

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By:   
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cc: Mr. John Bowers, Pres., ILA, AFL-CIO  
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