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Robert G. Shaw, Treasurer
International Union of Operating
Engineers Local 15 Political
Action Committee
265 West 14th Street
New York, NY 10011

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Reference: Mid-Year Report (1/1/99-6/30/99)

Dear Mr. Shaw:

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:

-The beginning cash balance of this report should equal the ending balance of your 1998 Year End Report. Please clarify this discrepancy and amend any subsequent report(s) that may be affected by this correction.

-Your report disclosed a category of financial activity that has been reflected on the wrong line of the Detailed Summary Page. Other federal receipts (dividends, interest, etc.) should be properly disclosed on a separate Schedule B, supporting Line 17 of the Detailed Summary Page. Please refer to the instructions contained on the forms to determine the proper categorization when preparing your next filing.

-All reports must bear an original signature of the treasurer or designated agent. Filing a photocopy of your report does not fulfill this requirement. Please file a report bearing an appropriate original signature. 2 U.S.C. §434(a)(1) and 11 CFR §104.14

A written response or an 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. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our

toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Lucy J. Denny", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Lucy J. Denny
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

