

July 17, 2006

Federal Election Commission  
999 E Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20463

Re: Idaho Republican Party  
FEC#: C00170175  
Reporting Period: May Monthly (4/1/06-4/30/06)

Dear Sir or Madam:

We have received your correspondence dated June 16, 2006 regarding the above mentioned reporting period.

Regarding the first item on your correspondence, as indicated on our Statement of Organization, the committee has an annual fundraising event with the Kempthorne for Governor campaign-a nonfederal candidate campaign. Additionally, all joint fundraising proceeds were reported in the period in which they were received, on the FEC reporting schedules of the Idaho Republican Party. There were no contributions received into the Idaho Republican Party's Federal campaign account that were in excess of contribution limits or from prohibited sources. At the end of the fundraising event, after all related expenditures have been disbursed, the proceeds of the event are split with the Kempthorne for Governor campaign. The expenditure to split these proceeds was labeled with the description, "AMT TO NONFED CANDIDATE FOR JT F/R".

Secondly, the disbursement on the report that was for "reimb, meeting supplies" was incorrectly described. This was a reimbursement to a committee worker for their automobile mileage, using the IRS's standard reimbursement rate. As such there was not an original vendor for these reimbursements. The description given to this disbursement has been changed and an amendment has been filed.

I hope that this correspondence is sufficient to address the concerns of your correspondence. Please contact me if you need further information.

Sincerely,

Cordell Chigbrow

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