



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Mary Maloney, Treasurer
Iowa Democratic Party
5661 Fleur Drive
Des Moines, IA 50321

Identification Number: C00035600

APR 11 2001

Reference: July Quarterly Report (4/1/00-6/30/00)

Dear Ms. Maloney:

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 A of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(f) and 11 CFR §110.1(d) preclude a committee and its affiliates from receiving contributions from another political committee or person in excess of \$5,000 per calendar year.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with the clarifying information. If the contribution(s) you received exceeded the limits, you must seek reattribution of the contribution pursuant to 11 CFR §110.1(k), transfer-out the amount in excess of \$5,000 to an account not used to influence federal elections or refund the excessive amount to the donor(s) in accordance with 11 CFR §103.3(b). In the best interest of your committee, all reattributions, transfers-out, and refunds should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution(s). In order to protect the donor's interests, the Commission recommends that you inform the contributor(s) in writing to provide the donor(s) with the option of granting written authorization for a reattribution or transfer-out to another account or receiving a refund.

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

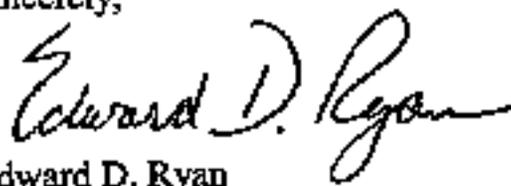
Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the acceptance of an excessive contribution(s), prompt action by your committee to seek reattribution, transfer-out or refund the excessive amount will be taken into consideration.

-Your report discloses receipts totaling \$42,405.35 from ASDC Dollars for Democrats and State Party Democratic Victory Fund, which is a joint fundraising committee(s) affiliated with your committee. Please be advised that a memo Schedule A must be provided to itemize your committee's share of the gross contributions received through the joint fundraiser(s). The memo schedule should itemize each individual who has contributed an aggregate in excess of \$200 during the calendar year, and provide the amount of unitemized contributions received. In addition, the memo schedule should itemize your committee's share of all contributions from political committees, regardless of amount. 11 CFR §102.17(c)(8)(i)(B)

-Please clarify all expenditures made for Ad Buy on Schedule(s) H4. If a portion or all of these expenditures were made on behalf of specifically identified federal candidates, this amount should be disclosed on Schedules B, E or F supporting Lines 23, 24 or 25 and include the amount, name, address and office sought by each candidate. 11 CFR §§104.3(b) and 106.1

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 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



Edward D. Ryan
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

Iowa Democratic Party (Federal Division)

	Full Name, Mailing Address, & Zip Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
A	Patrick Bauer 338 Koser Ave Iowa City IA 52246	University of Iowa Occupation Law Teacher	05/18/00	300.00
	Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):	Aggregate Year-to-Date		\$300.00
B	Joan Phillips 303 West Manning IA 51455	Occupation Retired	05/18/00	1,000.00
	Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):	Aggregate Year-to-Date		\$1000.00
C	John Ljepa 603 E Salem Ave Indianola IA 50125	DMACC Occupation Professor	06/18/00	1,000.00
	Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):	Aggregate Year-to-Date		\$1000.00
D	Brant Appel 1087 180th Ave Ackworth IA 50001	Sell Occupation Attorney	05/24/00	1,000.00
	Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):	Aggregate Year-to-Date		\$1000.00
E	Neal Smith 300 Walnut St Des Moines IA 50309	Occupation Retired	06/24/00	400.00
	Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):	Aggregate Year-to-Date		\$400.00
F	Patricia Heldenreich Marquette IA 52158	Occupation Homemaker	05/24/00	16,000.00
	Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):	Aggregate Year-to-Date		\$16000.00
G	Jane Graimann 1518 13th St Ames IA 50010	State of Iowa Occupation Legislator	05/24/00	600.00
	Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):	Aggregate Year-to-Date		\$600.00
SUBTOTAL of Receipts This Page				\$20,300.00
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A	Full Name, Mailing Address, & Zip Code	Name of Employer State of Iowa	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
	John Cacclatore 1312 Culler Ave Des Moines IA 50315	Occupation Administrator	06/19/00	25.00
	Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):		Aggregate Year-to-Date	\$240.00
B	Full Name, Mailing Address, & Zip Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
	Ethel Soesbe 900 So 8th St Clinton IA 52732	Occupation Retired	08/19/00	50.00
	Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):		Aggregate Year-to-Date	\$275.00
C	Full Name, Mailing Address, & Zip Code	Name of Employer State of Iowa	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
	Dick Dearden 3113 Kinsay Ave Des Moines IA 50317	Occupation Legislator	06/19/00	600.00
	Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):		Aggregate Year-to-Date	\$680.00
D	Full Name, Mailing Address, & Zip Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
	Mark Kuhn 2667 240th St Charles City IA 50616	Occupation Farmer	06/19/00	500.00
	Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):		Aggregate Year-to-Date	\$500.00
E	Full Name, Mailing Address, & Zip Code	Name of Employer State of Iowa	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
	William Brauch 3313 38th St Des Moines IA 50310	Occupation Attorney	06/19/00	225.00
	Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):		Aggregate Year-to-Date	\$225.00
F	Full Name, Mailing Address, & Zip Code	Name of Employer Iowa Heart	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
	Alan Koslow 2718 Jordan Grove Dr West Des Moines IA 50265	Occupation Surgeon	06/19/00	28.00
	Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):		Aggregate Year-to-Date	\$600.00
G	Full Name, Mailing Address, & Zip Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
	David Garst 409 Main St Coon Rapids IA 50058	Occupation Retired	06/20/00	22,000.00
	Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):		Aggregate Year-to-Date	\$22328.00
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A	Thomas Weber 430 Lynn Ave Ames IA 50014	Iowa State University Occupation Professor	04/01/00	225.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):		Aggregate Year-to-Date		\$225.00
B	Roger Stone 2020 Spoon Creek Ct Se Cedar Rapids IA 52403	Self Occupation Attorney	04/01/00	1,000.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):		Aggregate Year-to-Date		\$1000.00
C	Kevin Techau 5921 Waterbury Cir Des Moines IA 50312	State of Iowa Occupation Attorney	04/01/00	500.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):		Aggregate Year-to-Date		\$500.00
D	Randa B Palmer 4301 Park Ave Des Moines IA 50321	Mid-America Power Occupation Attorney	04/01/00	1,000.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):		Aggregate Year-to-Date		\$1000.00
E	Sarah Garst 1053 21st St West Des Moines IA 50265	Garst Veterinary Clinic Occupation Veterinarian	04/03/00	1,000.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):		Aggregate Year-to-Date		\$1000.00
F	David Garst 409 Main St Coon Rapids IA 50088	 Occupation Retired	04/04/00	300.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):		Aggregate Year-to-Date		\$300.00
G	David Funk 327 Highland Dr Iowa City IA 52245	 Occupation Retired	04/04/00	1,000.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other(specify):		Aggregate Year-to-Date		\$1000.00
				\$5,025.00
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