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From:Local 32BJ Service Employees International Union
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Re: Year End Report (July ? December 2015)

Dear Mr. Stoetzer:

We are responding to your letter dated March 7, 2016, which requests information from the Committee about two matters.

First, you ask about disbursements with the purpose of "Voided check from previous reports." There are three such reported disbursements on pages 680 and 682 of the Year-End Report. None of the payees was a vendor to the Committee, and none of the recipients provided goods or services to the Committee.

Instead, each payee was an employer of members of the Committee's connected organization, SEIU Local 32BJ, and each employer routinely remitted to the Committee contributions from SEIU Local 32BJ members that were made via payroll deduction. Each of the now-voided checks was sent to the particular employer in order to refund inadvertently excessive remittance of contributions to the Committee. Because these checks remained outstanding for some time, in November 2015 the Committee voided them and has since contacted each of the employers to arrange for a reissued refund check to be accepted and deposited. On March 25, 2016, the Committee reissued refund checks to Douglas Elliman Property Management (\$385.00) and Eurest Services (\$4,287.75), and on April 6, 2016, the Committee reissued a refund check to ABM Industries, the successor to One Source Management.

Second, you ask about three refunds that were also reported on pages 680 and 682 of the Year-End Report. Gateway Security Inc. (GSI) and Arthur Jackson (AJ) were also employers of payroll-deducting SEIU 32BJ member-contributors to the Committee. The refund to GSI rectified a misdirected payment of membership dues to a Local 32BJ affiliate. The refund to AJ rectified an inadvertently excessive remittance of contributions to the Committee. The refund to Pennsylvania Joint Board-Workers United (PJB-WU) rectified a misdirected payment of membership dues intended for PJB-WU that was inadvertently included in an otherwise proper remittance of contributions to the Committee from Aramark, another employer of SEIU Local 32BJ members. The original receipt from GSI occurred in September 2015, from AJ in May 2015, and from Aramark in May 2015. In all cases the Committee reported the original receipts as unitemized contributions on Line 11(a)(ii).

Finally, concerning all of these employers, the Committee followed the procedures set forth in 11 C.F.R. ? 103.3(b) with respect to depositing contributions, using best efforts to determine their legality, and timely refunding them following the determination that refunds were necessary.