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Dear Laura E. Sinram,

This letter is in response to your request for information regarding Mid-Year Report (1/1/07 - 6/30/07).

ALIPAC discloses yearly contributors that exceed \$200 as required by law.

We make our "Best Effort" to obtain all required information. We rarely have problems gathering the full name, address, city, state, and zip of our contributors.

However, the Occupation and Name of Employer response rates are much lower, due to the documented attacks on employment, which many Americans that have spoken out on the issue of illegal immigration have suffered. Many of our supporters work for federal and state governments and are in the healthcare, law enforcement, and educational fields. To have their occupation listed, may put their jobs at risk due to the hostility and underhanded practices of our opposition.

It is our job to make a best effort, but donors have a right to refuse this information and many do.

ALIPAC raises funds through our website and by contacting prior donors.

Our website has a detailed Privacy Policy and a contributions page.

The contributions page is the first effort, where the following is clearly stated.

"Federal election law requires political committees to use best efforts to report the name, mailing address, occupation, and name of employer of individuals who contribute. An individual may not contribute more than a total of \$5000 per year to the committee. Federal law prohibits contributions to the committee from the general treasury funds of a corporation, labor organizations or national banks (including corporate or other business entity credit cards), from any person contributing another's funds, from a Federal government contractor, or from a foreign national who lacks permanent resident status. Contributions are not deductible for Federal income tax purposes."

The contributor is then presented with fields of information to fill out.

The Occupation and Employer fields must contain some data or the form will not allow a donor to proceed. This is a strong method on our part and has likely cost us many donations, as donors are apt to write "None of your business" into those fields.

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