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Mr. John D. Gibson
Mr. Neil Evans
Reports Analysis Division
Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, NW
Washington D.C. 20463

re: California 2000
30 Day Post General Report (10/1/96-11/25/96)
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Dear Mr. Gibson:

This letter and accompanying documentation is in response to your letter of July 3, 1997. In that letter, you asked for clarification of the contributions made to Seastrand '96, Wilde for Congress, and Frank Riggs for Congress in October 1996.

At the time California 2000 made these three contributions, we had been informed by these committees to designate the monies to debt retirement. Following those requests, we made the contributions and reported them as required. In response to your letter, we have requested refunds from all three committees. The letter to each committee is enclosed for the record.

I hope that this is sufficient enough explanation in response to your letter. If not, please inform me of what steps are necessary to close this matter.

Thank you for your continuing help and explanations on procedures in this type of matter.

Sincerely,



Ravelle Lyn Greene
Treasurer
California 2000

July 11, 1997

Ms. Betty Presley
Treasurer, Seastrand '96
1251 E. Dyer Road
Santa Ana, CA 92705

Dear Ms. Presley:

I have been informed by the Federal Election Commission that California 2000 must request a refund from Seastrand '96 for our donation to the campaign in October 1996. At the time of the donation, we were informed that you had net debts outstanding and were designating the \$1000 contribution to debt retirement. However, their investigation of records shows that at the time of the contribution you had more than enough cash-on-hand to repay the debts.

If at this time, your committee does not have sufficient funds to make the refund or is no longer in operation, you need only to return a letter stating this to us and the matter will be closed.

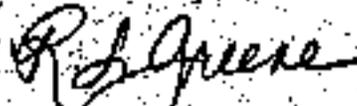
However, if funds are available, you should send the refund to:

California 2000
c/o Greene & Associates
7111 Bettola Place
Alta Loma, CA 91701

The refund would be for \$1000 and the check should be made out to California 2000.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



R. L. Greene
Treasurer

July 11, 1997

Judge Linda Wilde
Wilde for Congress
7686 Calle Casino
Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730

Dear Linda:

I have been informed by the Federal Election Commission that California 2000 must request a refund from Wilde for Congress for our donation to the campaign in October 1996. At the time of the donation, we were informed that you had net debts outstanding and were designating the \$1000 contribution to debt retirement. However, their investigation of records shows that at the time of the contribution you had more than enough cash-on-hand to repay the debts.

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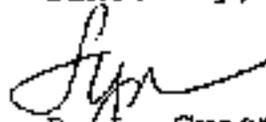
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R. L. Greene
Treasurer

July 11, 1997

The Honorable Frank Riggs
Frank Riggs for Congress
P.O. Box 590
Windsor, CA 95492

Dear Congressman Riggs:

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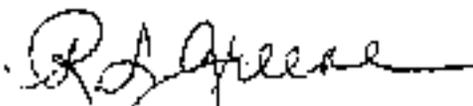
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R. L. Greene
Treasurer

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