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NATIONAL PAWNBROKERS ASSOCIATION
INC POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE
(NPA-PAC)
P.O. BOX 420
VICTOR, NY 14564

Response Due Date
06/22/2022

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00307397

REFERENCE: YEAR-END REPORT (07/01/2021 - 12/31/2021)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 4 item(s):

1. Your report(s) was not signed by the treasurer or designated agent listed on your Statement of Organization (FEC Form 1). Please amend your report(s) by providing the signature of an individual that is authorized to sign the report(s). If a new treasurer has been appointed, please file an amended Statement of Organization or a letter (if not an electronic filer) to reflect this change. (52 U.S.C. §30104(a)(1) and 11 CFR §104.14(a) and (d))
2. The totals listed on Lines 6(c), 7, 11(a)(i), 11(a)(iii), 11(d), 19, 20, 23, 31, and 32, Column B of the Summary and Detailed Summary Pages appear to be incorrect. Column B figures for the Summary and Detailed Summary Pages should equal the sum of the Column B figures on your previous report and the Column A figures on this report. Please file an amendment to your report to correct the Column B discrepancies for this report and all subsequent report(s) which may be affected by this correction. Note that Column B should reflect only the Calendar Year-to-Date totals. (52 U.S.C. §30104(b))
3. The beginning cash balance of this report does not equal the ending balance of your 2021 Mid-Year Report (4/1/2021 - 6/30/2021). Please correct this discrepancy and amend all subsequent report(s) that may be affected by the correction. (52 U.S.C. §30104(b))

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4. The Commission notes the redesignation and/or reattribution of several contributions. Please amend your report to disclose the proper format for redesignations and/or reattributions. The first entry must disclose, as a memo entry, the information for the contribution as it was originally reported; the second entry must disclose, as a memo entry, the information as it has been redesignated or reattributed, including the date the redesignation or reattribution documentation was made/received by the committee (11 CFR §104.8(d)(2), (3), and (4)) The Committee should also provide the Commission with a copy of the signed documentation. See the attached sample of properly reported reattributions.

- Your report discloses certain categories of financial activity that have been reflected on the wrong lines of the Detailed Summary Page. For your information and consideration when preparing future filings, contribution refunds to individuals/persons should be properly disclosed on a separate Schedule B, supporting Line 28(a) of the Detailed Summary Page. Please refer to the instructions for each line when determining the proper categorization(s) for your next filing. (52 U.S.C. §30104(b) and FORM 3X Instructions)

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.**

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. For information about the report review process or specific filing information for your committee type, please visit www.fec.gov/help-candidates-and-committees. For more information about Requests for Additional Information (RAFI), why you received a letter, and how to respond, please visit www.fec.gov/help-candidates-and-committees/request-additional-information. Should you have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number(202) 694-1295.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jeremiah P. Hempel". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping initial "J".

Jeremiah Hempel
Senior Campaign Finance Analyst

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