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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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April 16, 1998

Leroy Dale Corey, Treasurer
Mid-America Conservative
Political Action Committee
2507 Loma
Cedar Falls, IA 50613

Identification Number: C00139972

Reference: Year End Report (7/1/97-12/31/97)

Dear Mr. Corey:

This letter is to inform you that as of April 15, 1998, the Commission has not received your response to our request for additional information, dated March 25, 1998. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to this request (copy enclosed).

If no response is received within fifteen (15) days from the date of this notice, the Commission may choose to initiate audit or legal enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Monica Johnson on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

John D. Gibson
Assistant Staff Director
Reports Analysis Division

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Dear Mr. Corey:

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:

-Your report discloses in-kind activity which appears to be reported incorrectly. Please be advised that in-kind contributions should be disclosed as receipts on Schedule A and reflected on the appropriate line of the Detailed Summary Page. In addition, the value of the in-kind contributions must be added to the operating expenditures total on Line 21(b), in order to avoid inflating the cash-on-hand amount. 11 CFR §104.13(a)(2) Please amend your report to properly disclose the in-kind activity.

-Please provide the totals for Lines 30 and 31, Column B of the Detailed Summary Page. Note that changes in your figures may affect your Column B totals on this report and/or on subsequent reports.

-Please provide the total(s) for Line 11(a)(iii), Columns A and B of the Detailed Summary Page. Note that changes in your figures may affect your Column B totals on this report and/or on subsequent reports.

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. My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

Monica Johnson

Monica Johnson
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS

SCHEDULE A ITEMIZED RECEIPTS

Contributions from Individuals

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FOR LINE NUMBER 11(a)(i)

NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

National Organization PAC C00000001

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer / Occupation	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Anne Sullivan 21 18th Street City, State ZIP	National Organization, Inc. Branch Manager	payroll deduction	$72.00 ($12 biweekly)
Aggregate Year-to-Date > $ 228.00			
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer / Occupation	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Rodney Jones 881 Hainsbury Road City, State ZIP	National Organization, Inc. Vice President	payroll deduction	$120.00 ($20 biweekly)
Aggregate Year-to-Date > $ 360.00			

Itemize payroll deductions only after they have exceeded $200 per calendar year from an individual.

IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS

SCHEDULE A ITEMIZED RECEIPTS

Contributions from Individuals

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FOR LINE NUMBER 11(a)(i)

NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

National Organization PAC C00000001

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer / Occupation	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Martin L. Kress 4 River Road City, State ZIP	National Organization, Inc. Chairman	8/19/92	$3,999.00 (IN-KIND) (RAFFLE PRIZE)
Aggregate Year-to-Date > $ 3,999.00			

SCHEDULE B ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

Operating Expenditures/Other Federal

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FOR LINE NUMBER 21(b)

NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

National Organization PAC C00000001

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
Martin L. Kress 4 River Road City, State ZIP	raffle prize	8/19/92	$3,999.00 (IN-KIND CONTRIBUTION)

Itemize in-kind contributions on both Schedules A and B so as not to inflate the cash-on-hand amount.

Payroll Deductions

Once an individual's deductions aggregate over $200 in a calendar year, report the total amount deducted from the donor's paychecks during the reporting period on Schedule A. In parentheses indicate the amount that was deducted each pay period. Instead of stating a specific date of receipt, write "payroll deduction" under "Date." The other itemized information, including the year-to-date total, must be completed for each donor. 104.8(b).

EXAMPLE: During an election year, a corporate manager authorizes her employer to deduct $12 per pay period (each pay period is two weeks for the company's SSF. The SSF, which files FEC reports on a quarterly schedule, includes the manager's contributions as "unitemized contributions" in its April and July quarterly reports. By June 30, the closing date for the July report, the manager's aggregate contributions are $195 — still below the $200 itemization threshold. By September 30 — the closing date for the October quarterly report — the manager's contributions reach $228. Therefore, the committee itemizes the total contributions received from the manager during the third quarter ($120), providing the year-to-date total in the appropriate space. (See item A in the illustration above.)

In-Kind Contributions

When determining whether to itemize an *in-kind contribution*, follow the same guidelines listed above under "When to Itemize Receipts." See Chapter 2 for information on how to determine the dollar value of an in-kind contribution.

In addition, add the value of the in-kind contribution to the *operating expenditures* total on Line 21(b) (in order to avoid inflating the cash-on-hand amount). 104.13(a)(2).

If the in-kind contribution must be itemized on Schedule A, then it must also be itemized on a Schedule B for operating expenditures. See the illustration at right.

Appreciated Goods

When a committee receives an in-kind contribution whose value may