



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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May 29, 2019

CHINESE PROGRESSIVE POLITICAL ACTION
INC.
28 ASH STREET
BOSTON, MA 02111

Response Due Date
07/03/2019

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C90014564

REFERENCE: OCTOBER QUARTERLY REPORT (07/01/2018 - 09/30/2018)

Dear Filer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the Report of Independent Expenditures Made and Contributions Received (FEC Form 5) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above.** Additional information is needed for the following 2 item(s):

1. Line 7 of your FEC Form 5 filing discloses disbursements made for independent expenditure(s). However, no contributions are disclosed on Line 6, "Total Contributions."

Each person (other than a political committee) who made a contribution(s) to the reporting person between July 1 and August 3, 2018, aggregating in excess of \$200 within the calendar year, to further the reported independent expenditure(s) must be itemized on Schedule A, including their identification information. (11 CFR § 109.10(e)(1)(vi)) Each person (other than a political committee) who made a contribution(s) to the reporting person on or after August 4, 2018, whose contribution(s) had an aggregate amount or value in excess of \$200 within the calendar year, must be itemized on Schedule 5-A, including their identification information, date, and amount of such contribution(s). In addition, memo text must be used to indicate which of these persons made a contribution in excess of \$200 to the reporting person for the purpose of furthering any independent expenditure. (52 U.S.C. §§ 30101(13) and 30104 (c)(1), (c)(2)(C)) (See <https://www.fec.gov/updates/fec-provides-guidance-following-us-district-court-decision-crew-v-fec-316-f-supp-3d-349-ddc-2018/>.)

Please amend your report to provide the missing information or provide clarifying information.

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2. Your quarterly report discloses independent expenditures that do not appear on 24 and 48 hour reports (see attached).

Please be advised that Commission Regulations require that you file 48-hour reports once you make independent expenditures aggregating \$10,000 or more with respect to a given election during the calendar year up to and including the 20th day before the election. The report must be received at the Commission 11:59 p.m. Eastern Standard/Daylight Time by the second day after the communication was publicly distributed or otherwise disseminated. In the report, you must include information for all independent expenditures that have not been previously reported. Each time you make subsequent independent expenditures relating to the same election that aggregate \$10,000 or more, you must file another 48-hour report disclosing these independent expenditures. (11 CFR § 109.10(c) and (e))

In addition, you are required to file 24-hour reports once your independent expenditures aggregate \$1,000 or more after the 20th day but more than 24 hours before 12:01 a.m. of the day of the election. The report must be received at the Commission by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Standard/Daylight Time of the day following the date on which the communication was publicly distributed or otherwise disseminated. In the report, you must include information for all independent expenditures that have not been previously reported. Each time you make subsequent independent expenditures relating to the same election that aggregate \$1,000 or more, you must file another 24-hour report disclosing these independent expenditures. (11 CFR § 109.10(d) and (e))

Please provide clarification regarding whether 24/48-hour reports were required but not filed. If the date disclosed on your Form 5 was the date of payment, rather than the date of public dissemination or distribution, please provide the date of dissemination or distribution.

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may result in an enforcement action against the entity. Any response submitted by your entity will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

For additional information about the report review process or specific filing information, please visit <http://transition.fec.gov/rad/>. If you should have any questions regarding this

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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 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1142.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Shannon Ringgold". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Shannon Ringgold
Senior Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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Missing 24 Hour Reports
Chinese Progressive Political Action Inc. (C90014564)

Name	Date	Amount	Purpose	Candidate
Tri-Star Printing	8/24/18	\$1,412.00	Printing Endorsement Flyers	Pressley, Ayanna

Missing 48 Hour Reports
Chinese Progressive Political Action Inc. (C0014564)

Name	Date	Amount	Purpose	Candidate
Chinese Progressive Association	7/31/18	\$2,805.67	Staff time for voter outreach & canvass coordination 7/31 - 9/4/2018	Pressley, Ayanna
Chinese Progressive Political Action Inc	8/1/18	\$1,158.59	For voter outreach canvass with endorsement flyers 8/1-9/4/018	Pressley, Ayanna
Huang, Meiqun	8/1/18	\$350.12	Distribute Endorsement flyers to voters 8/1-9/4/2015	Pressley, Ayanna
Li, Quan Mei	8/1/18	\$333.48	Distribute Endorsement flyers to voters 8/1-9/4/2015	Pressley, Ayanna
Mei, Jiacheng	8/1/18	\$266.74	Distribute endorsement flyers to voters 8/1-9/4/2018	Pressley, Ayanna
Zapata, Dario	8/10/18	\$799.98	Voter outreach canvass with endorsement flyers 8/10-9/4/2018	Pressley, Ayanna
Lovo, Enilda	8/10/18	\$267.26	Distribute endorsement flyers to voters 8/10-9/4/2018	Pressley, Ayanna
Staples Inc.	8/10/18	\$261.87	Print spanish endorsement flyers for E Boston outreach	Pressley, Ayanna