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May 30, 2001

Mr. John Gibson
Assistant Staff Director
Federal Election Commission
Washington, DC 20463

RE: I D # C00325357
April (3/1/00-3/31/00)
May (4/1/00-4/30/00)
June (5/1/00-5/31/00)
July (6/1/00-6/30/00)
August (7/1/00-7/31/00)
September (8/1/00-8/31/00)
October (9/1/00-9/30/00)
Pre-Election (10/1/00-10/18/00)
Post-Election (10/19/00-11/27/00)
Year End (11/28/00-12/31/00)

Dear Mr. Gibson,

Thank you for your willingness to help resolve our reporting discrepancies and difficulties.

The software we have used to file our reports for the year 2000 did not support the forms for allocating federal and non-federal expenses. This only became obvious to us when we needed to incorporate those schedules in our April 20 report. Hence, we continued to file using the non-electronic method.

We are unable to file any report(s) for the year 2000 electronically, as the software does not support those schedules. Our database of information for 2000 became corrupted during the process of converting from our PC software to the new Host (electronic) software. If we were capable of filing electronically, we surely would. We request a waiver of this electronic filing requirement for the year 2000.

Be assured, we have invested substantial money and effort to assure that the 2001 reports can and will be filed electronically.

Again, We respectfully request a waiver of this electronic filing requirement for the year 2000.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Very truly yours,

Jack Hanson

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