



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Barry Wynn, Treasurer
Senate Conservatives Fund
228 South Washington Street, Suite 115
Alexandria, VA 22314

**Response Due Date:
May 28, 2010**

Identification Number: C00448696

Reference: Amended October Monthly Report (9/1/09 – 9/30/09), received 11/11/09

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) 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 2 items:

1. Schedule E for Line 24 of your report discloses MEMO entries for apparent independent expenditures made on behalf of Marco Rubio, Sen. Tom Coburn, MD, and Patrick J. Toomey during this reporting period (see attached). However, a Schedule D supporting Line 10 has not been provided. Please be advised that if a communication is aired in one reporting period and the payment is made in a later reporting period, the independent expenditure should be reported as a memo entry on Schedule E when the communication is publicly disseminated or distributed, and on a Schedule D if it is a reportable debt under 11 CFR §104.11. Subsequently, when the payment for the independent expenditure is made, the report should show a payment on Schedule E and the same payment on Schedule D, if applicable. Please amend your report to clarify this apparent discrepancy.

2. Schedule E supporting Line 24 of your report discloses apparent independent expenditures made on behalf of candidates where the payee appears to be the respective candidate's principal campaign committee. Please be advised that an independent expenditure "is not made in concert or cooperation with or at the request or suggestion of such candidate, the candidate's authorized political committee, or their agents, or a political party committee or its agent". §431(17)(B) In addition, 11 CFR §109.21

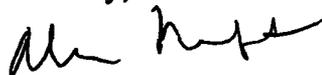
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outlines the factors which define a coordinated communication. Please verify that the independent expenditures made by your Committee in support of Marco Rubio, Sen. Tom Coburn, MD, and Patrick J. Toomey meet the definition of and were properly categorized as independent expenditures. Also, please amend your report to clarify the name(s) of the payees, as appropriate.

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. If you should 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) 694-1159.

Sincerely,



Allen Norfleet
Senior Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

SENATIVE CONSERVATIVES FUND

Name of Payee	Date	Amount	Purpose	Candidate
Coburn for Senate 2010	9/5/09	\$173.62	IE-Coburn-Email List Usage	Sen. Tom Coburn, MD
Coburn for Senate 2010	9/5/09	\$10.50	IE-Coburn-CC Processing Fees	Sen. Tom Coburn, MD
Coburn for Senate 2010	9/12/09	\$17.00	IE-Coburn-CC Processing Fees	Sen. Tom Coburn, MD
Coburn for Senate 2010	9/12/09	\$172.46	IE-Coburn-Email list usage	Sen. Tom Coburn, MD
Coburn for Senate 2010	9/16/09	\$27.17	IE-Coburn-Email List Usage	Sen. Tom Coburn, MD
Coburn for Senate 2010	9/18/09	\$198.94	IE-Coburn-Email List Usage	Sen. Tom Coburn, MD
Coburn for Senate 2010	9/19/09	\$59.50	IE-Coburn-CC Processing Fees	Sen. Tom Coburn, MD
Coburn for Senate 2010	9/25/09	\$235.80	IE-Coburn-Email List Usage	Sen. Tom Coburn, MD
Coburn for Senate 2010	9/30/09	\$91.75	IE-Coburn-CC Processing Fees	Sen. Tom Coburn, MD
Marco Rubio for US Senate				
Marco Rubio for US Senate	9/5/09	\$23.75	IE-Rubio-CC Processing Fees	Marco Rubio
Marco Rubio for US Senate	9/5/09	\$173.62	IE-Rubio-Email List Usage	Marco Rubio
Marco Rubio for US Senate	9/12/09	\$172.46	IE-Rubio-Email List Usage	Marco Rubio
Marco Rubio for US Senate	9/12/09	\$269.25	IE-Rubio-CC Processing Fees	Marco Rubio
Marco Rubio for US Senate	9/16/09	\$27.17	IE-Rubio-Email List usage	Marco Rubio
Marco Rubio for US Senate	9/18/09	\$198.94	IE-Rubio-Email List Usage	Marco Rubio
Marco Rubio for US Senate	9/19/09	\$118.00	IE-Rubio-CC Processing Fees	Marco Rubio
Marco Rubio for US Senate	9/25/09	\$235.80	IE-Rubio-Email List Usage	Marco Rubio
Marco Rubio for US Senate	9/30/09	\$210.75	IE-Rubio-CC Processing Fees	Marco Rubio
Toomey for Senate Committee				
Toomey for Senate Committee	9/5/09	\$173.62	IE-Toomey-Email List Usage	Patrick J. Toomey
Toomey for Senate Committee	9/5/09	\$12.25	IE-Toomey-CC Processing Fees	Patrick J. Toomey

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Toomey for Senate Committee	9/12/09	\$172.46	IE-Toomey-Email List usage	Patrick J. Toomey
Toomey for Senate Committee	9/12/09	\$29.25	IE-Toomey-CC Processing Fees	Patrick J. Toomey
Toomey for Senate Committee	9/16/09	\$27.17	IE-Toomey-Email List usage	Patrick J. Toomey
Toomey for Senate Committee	9/18/09	\$198.94	IE-Toomey-Email List Usage	Patrick J. Toomey
Toomey for Senate Committee	9/19/09	\$59.75	IE-Toomey-CC Processing Fees	Patrick J. Toomey
Toomey for Senate Committee	9/25/09	\$235.80	IE-Toomey-Email List Usage	Patrick J. Toomey
Toomey for Senate Committee	9/30/09	\$78.25	IE-Toomey-CC Processing Fees	Patrick J. Toomey

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