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Mr. Neil Evans, Reports Analyst  
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Federal Election Commission  
999 E Street, N.W.  
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Re: Raytheon Political Action Committee (Identification  
No. C00097568): Year-End Report, 7/1/97 - 12/31/97

Dear Mr. Evans:

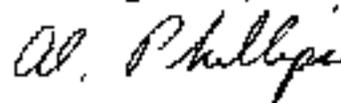
We are responding to your letter of March 18, 1998, with respect to the above-referenced report.

Due to a misunderstanding, some earmarked contributions were not forwarded to the designated candidate's committee within ten days of receipt, as required by 11 CFR §102.8. The PAC's procedures in this regard have been corrected, and in the future all earmarked contributions will be forwarded immediately to the committee of the designated candidate.

The six earmarked contributions received from employees during this reporting period are listed on page 38 in Schedule A and are labeled as such. The transfer of earmarked contributions to the designated committees for these six contributions is shown on pages 12 (boxes 8 and 9) and 13 (boxes 2, 4, 5, 6 and 9). We will revise this schedule to show that all six contributions were forwarded by PAC check and were taken into consideration in determining the maximum contribution which could be provided by the PAC to the particular candidate. All the earmarked contributions were included on lines 11(a)(i) and 23 of the Detailed Summary Page.

If you need any further information, please let me know.

Best regards,



Alfred C. Phillips

Secretary

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