



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Gilbert T. Adams Jr., Treasurer
Jefferson County Democratic Party
1855 Calder Avenue
Beaumont, TX 77701

Identification Number: C00253880

Reference: 12 Day Pre-Runoff Report (10/17/96-11/20/96)

Dear Mr. Adams:

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 calculations for Line 28(d), Columns A and B appear to be incorrect. FEC calculations disclose this amount(s) to be \$692.55 and \$692.55. Please provide the corrected total(s) on the Detailed Summary Page.

-Schedule A of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(f) and 11 CFR §110.1(d) preclude a committee and its affiliates from receiving contributions from another political committee or person in excess of \$5,000 per calendar year.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with the clarifying information. If the contribution(s) you received exceeded the limits, you must seek reattribution of the contribution pursuant to 11 CFR §110.1(k), transfer-out the amount in excess of \$5,000 to an account not used to influence federal elections or refund the excessive amount to the donor(s) in accordance with 11 CFR §103.3(b). In the best interest of your committee, all reattributions, transfers-out, and refunds should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution(s). In order to protect the donor's interests, the Commission recommends that you inform the contributor(s) in writing to provide the donor(s) with the option of granting written

authorization for a reattribution or transfer-out to another account or receiving a refund.

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of your check for the transfer-out or refund. In addition, any reattributions should be reported as memo entries on Schedule A of the report covering the period during which the authorization for the reattribution is received. Any transfers-out or refunds should be disclosed on Schedule B supporting Line 22 or 28 of the report during which the transaction was made.


Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the acceptance of an excessive contribution(s), prompt action by your committee to seek reattribution, transfer-out or refund the excessive amount will be taken into consideration.

-Schedule H3 of your report discloses transfers received from your non-federal account which occur outside the permissible transfer period. Please be advised that transfers for shared activity must be made within a 70-day time period: no more than 10 days before or 60 days after the payment to the vendor. 11 CFR §§106.5(g)(2) and 106.6(e)(2) Please clarify the nature of these transfers-in from the non-federal account.

The Commission recommends that you immediately transfer the total excessive amount received by your federal account outside the 70-day time period back to your non-federal account. Although the Commission may take further legal action concerning this prohibited activity, your prompt action will be taken into consideration.

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) 219-3580.

Sincerely,



Neil Evans
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

SCHEDULE A

ITEMIZED RECEIPTS

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

JEFFERSON COUNTY DEMOCRATIC PARTY

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
<p><i>AMERICAN FEDERATION OF STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES - AFL-CIO</i> <i>1625 L ST, NW</i> <i>WASHINGTON, D.C. 20036</i></p> <p>Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):</p>	<p>Occupation:</p> <p>Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ <i>5,000.00</i></p>	<p><i>8/4/96</i></p>	<p><i>5,000.00</i></p>
<p>B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code</p> <p>Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):</p>	<p>Name of Employer</p> <p>Occupation</p> <p>Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$</p>	<p>Date (month, day, year)</p>	<p>Amount of Each Receipt This Period</p>
<p>C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code</p> <p>Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):</p>	<p>Name of Employer</p> <p>Occupation</p> <p>Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$</p>	<p>Date (month, day, year)</p>	<p>Amount of Each Receipt This Period</p>
<p>D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code</p> <p>Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):</p>	<p>Name of Employer</p> <p>Occupation</p> <p>Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$</p>	<p>Date (month, day, year)</p>	<p>Amount of Each Receipt This Period</p>
<p>E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code</p> <p>Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):</p>	<p>Name of Employer</p> <p>Occupation</p> <p>Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$</p>	<p>Date (month, day, year)</p>	<p>Amount of Each Receipt This Period</p>
<p>F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code</p> <p>Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):</p>	<p>Name of Employer</p> <p>Occupation</p> <p>Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$</p>	<p>Date (month, day, year)</p>	<p>Amount of Each Receipt This Period</p>
<p>G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code</p> <p>Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):</p>	<p>Name of Employer</p> <p>Occupation</p> <p>Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$</p>	<p>Date (month, day, year)</p>	<p>Amount of Each Receipt This Period</p>

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5,000.00

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

Dallas County Democratic Party -- C00248864

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
American Federation of State, County & Municipal Employees PAC 1625 L St. N.W. Washington, DC 20036	n/a	10/30/96	5000.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation n/a	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$	5000.00
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
Eddie Bernice Johnson For Congress 2515 McKinney Ave., Ste 810 Dallas, TX 75201	n/a	11/18/96	200.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation n/a	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$	1700.00
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
Natl. Education Assn. PAC 1201 16th St. N.W. Washington, DC 20036	n/a	10/21/96	5000.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation n/a	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$	5000.00
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
	n/a		
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation n/a	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$	
E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
	n/a		
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation n/a	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$	
F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
	n/a		
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation n/a	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$	
G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
	n/a		
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation n/a	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$	

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

Harris Co Democratic Party

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code		Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
AFSCME 1625 L STREET NW WASHINGTON DC 20036		AFSCME	10/28/96	5000
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):		Occupation: PAC	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 5000	
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code		Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
JOHN PHELPS 4207 FAIRMONT PASADENA TX 77504		PHELPS INSURANCE (STATE FARM)	10/28/96	1000
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):		Occupation: BUSINESSMAN	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 1000	
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code		Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
ALAN & LONG NECKS 4102 VISTA BLVD GALVESTON, TX 77551		JAY MARKS Toyota	10/31/96	250
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):		Occupation: FINANCE OFFICER	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 250	
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code		Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
PATRICIA LASHB 3816 W ANDREWS STE 205 HOUSTON, TX 77027		PATRICIA LASHB P.C.	10/31/96	250
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):		Occupation: ATTY	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 250	
E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code		Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
JANINE BLINJES 1813 Cherryhurst Houston TX 77006		info requested	10/31/96	250
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):		Occupation: REG.	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 250	
F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code		Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Bill Morse 3302 CANAL HOUSTON, TX 77003		self employed	10/31/96	200
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):		Occupation: ATTY	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 3200	
G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code		Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
JACKIE CALDWELL 3006 GESSNER HOUSTON, TX 77080		CALDWELL BROKERAGE	10/31/96	200
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):		Occupation: CEO	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 4700	
SUBTOTAL of Receipts This Page (optional)				7150
TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only)				17250

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in full)
Texas Democratic Party

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
United Steelworkers of America Political Action Fund Five Gateway Center Pittsburgh, PA 15222		10/21/96	\$ 1000.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date \$ 5000.00	
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Winstead, Sechrist & Minick Political Action Committee 1301 Elm St. #5400 Dallas, TX 75270		10/22/96	\$ 5000.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date \$ 5000.00	
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Reyes Congressional Campaign 303 Texas St. 600 El Paso, TX 79901	Corporate Campaign Funds	10/24/96	\$ 2500.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date \$ 7740.00	
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code AFSCME - AFL-CIO PEOPLE 1625 L Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20036		10/26/96	\$ 5000.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date \$ 5000.00	
E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code OCAWU COPE - Voluntary Fund PO Box 2812 Denver, CO 80201		10/30/96	\$ 1500.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date \$ 1500.00	
F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code American Federation of Teachers Committee of Political Education 555 New Jersey Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20001		10/31/96	\$ 3000.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date \$ 3000.00	
G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Committee on Letter Carriers Political Education 100 Indiana Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20001		10/31/96	\$ 5000.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Occupation	Aggregate Year-to-Date \$ 3000.00	
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21st CENTURY POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE

REC / FULL NAME, MAILING ADDRESS AND ZIP CODE /
1 / APSOHE - AFL-CIO /

NAME OF EMPLOYER	CONTRIBUTION DATE	AMOUNT OF CONTR.
*	10/24/96	\$ 5,000.00
OCCUPATION		\$
*		\$
AGGREGATE YTD		\$
\$ 5,000.00		\$

REC / FULL NAME, MAILING ADDRESS AND ZIP CODE /
2 / TEXAS STATE COUNCIL OF MACHINIST-UMPL /

NAME OF EMPLOYER	CONTRIBUTION DATE	AMOUNT OF CONTR.
*	10/16/96	\$ 100.00
OCCUPATION		\$
*		\$
AGGREGATE YTD		\$
\$ 100.00		\$

REC / FULL NAME, MAILING ADDRESS AND ZIP CODE /
3 / NTL EDUCATION ASSOC POLITICAL ACTION /

NAME OF EMPLOYER	CONTRIBUTION DATE	AMOUNT OF CONTR.
*	10/09/96	\$ 5,000.00
OCCUPATION		\$
*		\$
AGGREGATE YTD		\$
\$ 5,000.00		\$

TOTAL This period (last page this line number only) \$ 10,100.00

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