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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Joan A. Vogelgesang, Treasurer
Deere & Company Political Action
Committee
Government Affairs Department
Moline, IL 61265

Identification Number: C00204099

AUG 30 2000

Reference: July Monthly Report (6/1/00-6/30/00)

Dear Ms. Vogelgesang:

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:

-Commission Regulations require that a committee disclose the identification of all individuals who contribute in excess of \$200 in a calendar year. (11 CFR §104.3(a)(4)(i)) Identification for an individual is defined as the full name, mailing address, occupation and name of employer. (11 CFR §100.12) Your report discloses contributions from individuals for which the identification is not complete.

You must provide the missing information, or if you are unable to do so, you must demonstrate that "best efforts" have been used to obtain the information. To establish "best efforts," you must provide the Commission with a detailed description of your procedures for requesting the information. Establishing "best efforts" is a three-fold process.

First, your original solicitation must include a clear and conspicuous request for the contributor information and must inform the contributor of the requirements of federal law for the reporting of such information. (11 CFR §104.7(b)(1))

Second, if the information is not provided, you must make one follow-up, stand alone effort to obtain this information, regardless of whether the

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contribution(s) was solicited or not. This effort must occur no later than 30 days after receipt of the contribution and may be in the form of a written request or an oral request documented in writing. (11 CFR § 104.7(b)(2))
The request must:

- clearly ask for the missing information, without soliciting a contribution;
- inform the contributor of the requirements of federal law for the reporting of such information, and
- if the request is written, include a pre-addressed post card or return envelope.

Third, if you receive contributor information after the contribution(s) has been reported, you shall either a) file with your next regularly scheduled report, an amended memo Schedule A listing all the contributions for which additional information was received; or b) file on or before your next regularly scheduled reporting date, amendments to the report(s) originally disclosing the contribution(s). (11 CFR §104.7(b)(4))

Please provide the missing information or a detailed description of your procedures for requesting the information. For more information on demonstrating "best efforts," please refer to the Campaign Guide.

-The identification of each contributor, including an adequate occupation and name of employer for each, must be provided if the person has contributed in excess of \$200 in the aggregate during the calendar year. Please amend Schedule A supporting Line 11(a)(i) for each entry inadequately identified as "No Job Description".

-Schedule B supporting Line 23 of your report discloses a contribution(s) to a candidate(s) for the primary election; however, the funds were disbursed after the election date(s) (pertinent portion(s) attached). Please note that contributions may not be designated for an election which has already occurred unless the funds are to be used to reduce a candidate committee's debts incurred during that election campaign. Please clarify the contribution(s) and disclose any redesignations or refunds as necessary on the appropriate schedules.

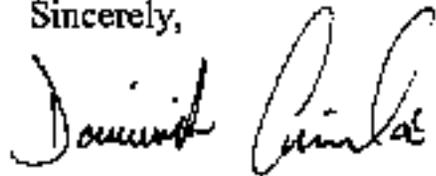
A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports

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Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Dominick Ciaraldi".

Dominick Ciaraldi
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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SCHEDULE B

ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)
Deere & Company Political Action Committee (John Deere Political Action Committee)

Full Name, Mailing Address, and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement (House - TX - 17) Contribution: Charles W. Stanholm (TX-17)	Date (month, day, year) 06/19/2000	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 1000.00
Stanholm For Congress Committee P. O. Box 1032 Stamford TX 79555	Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): General	Contribution: Charles W. Stanholm (TX-17-D)	
Full Name, Mailing Address, and ZIP Code Moran For Congress P. O. Box 1151 Hays KS 67601	Purpose of Disbursement (House - KS - 1) Contribution: Jerry Moran (KS-1-R)	Date (month, day, year) 06/19/2000	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 1000.00
	Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): Primary	Contribution: Jerry Moran (KS-1-R)	
Full Name, Mailing Address, and ZIP Code Sensenbrenner Committee PO Box 575 Brookfield WI 53008	Purpose of Disbursement (House - WI - 9) Contribution: James Sensenbrenner, Jr.	Date (month, day, year) 06/19/2000	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 500.00
	Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): Primary	Contribution: James Sensenbrenner, Jr. (WI-9-R)	
Full Name, Mailing Address, and ZIP Code Sue Myrick for Congress PO Box 25132 Arlington VA 22202	Purpose of Disbursement (House - NC - 9) Contribution: Sue Myrick (NC-9-R)	Date (month, day, year) 06/19/2000	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 0.00
	Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): Primary	Contribution: Sue Myrick (NC-9-R)	
Full Name, Mailing Address, and ZIP Code Fletcher for Congress P. O. Box 4703 Lexington KY 40504	Purpose of Disbursement (House - KY - 6) Contribution: Ernie Fletcher (KY-6-R)	Date (month, day, year) 06/19/2000	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 600.00
	Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): Primary	Contribution: Ernie Fletcher (KY-6-R)	
Full Name, Mailing Address, and ZIP Code Boswell for Congress PO Box 823 Indianola IA 50125	Purpose of Disbursement (House - IA - 3) Contribution: Leonard L. Boswell (IA-3-D)	Date (month, day, year) 06/18/2000	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 0.00
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Full Name, Mailing Address, and ZIP Code Ashcroft for Senate P. O. Box 464 Jefferson City MO 65102	Purpose of Disbursement (Senate - MO - 0) Contribution: John Ashcroft (MO-R)	Date (month, day, year) 06/19/2000	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 1000.00
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Full Name, Mailing Address, and ZIP Code Roth Senate Committee Ronald Reagan Repub. Center 425 Second Street NE Washington DC 20002	Purpose of Disbursement (Senate - DE - 0) Contribution: William V. Roth, Jr. (DE-R)	Date (month, day, year) 06/19/2000	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 1000.00
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Full Name, Mailing Address, and ZIP Code Friends of Slade Gorton Ronald Reagan Repub. Center 426 Second Street NE Washington DC 20002	Purpose of Disbursement (Senate - WA - 0) Contribution: Slade Gorton (WA-R)	Date (month, day, year) 06/19/2000	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period 1000.00
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