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Richard E. Leach Jr., Treasurer
Great Lakes Sugarbeet Growers Political
Action Committee
4800 Fashion Square Blvd, #300 Plaza N
Saginaw, MI 48604

Identification Number: C00384354

Reference: Notification of Multicandidate Status (FEC FORM 1M)

Dear Mr. Leach:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's review of the document referenced above. There appears to be a discrepancy between the information disclosed on your FORM 1M and Commission records.

-Line 5(d) of your FEC Form 1M indicates that your committee qualified for multicandidate status on 5/15/03. However, it appears that your committee did not qualify for multicandidate status until 7/22/04. Please amend FEC Form 1M to accurately reflect the date on which your committee qualified for multicandidate status.

If the information you provided was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed or you believe the Commission records to be in error, please submit documentation which will clarify the matter. A copy of FEC FORM 1M can be downloaded from the FEC website at <http://www.fec.gov>, or requested through the FEC Faxline at (202) 501-3413. Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format. If you need further assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1140.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "A. Hodgson".

Abbie Hodgson
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