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FRIENDS OF KAREN KWIATKOWSKI
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Response Due Date
03/21/2011

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00491795

REFERENCE: STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION

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 item(s):

1. Line 5(f) of your Statement of Organization indicates that you are a nonconnected committee that supports/opposes more than one Federal candidate, and is not a separate segregated fund or a party committee. However, your committee name is "Friends of Karen Kwiatkowski." Karen Kwiatkowski appears to be a Federal candidate. According to 2 U.S.C. §432(e) (4), "any political committee which is not an authorized committee...shall not include the name of any candidate in its name." (Emphasis added). If your committee is not an authorized committee of Karen Kwiatkowski, please amend your Statement of Organization by changing the name of your political committee to exclude the name of the candidate. If your committee is an authorized committee of Karen Kwiatkowski, please amend your Statement of Organization to select Line 5(b) instead of Line 5(f). Please clarify the type of your committee.

2. Any affiliated or connected organization must be identified on your Statement of Organization. For further guidance on affiliated committees and connected organizations, please refer to 11 CFR §§100.5(g) and 100.6. If there are no other committees or organizations with which you share control or financing, please indicate "None" on Line 6. If you do share control or financing with other committees or organizations, please indicate their names, addresses, and relationships on Line 6. 11 CFR §102.2

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this

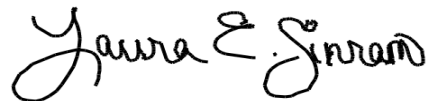
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matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result 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) 694-1157.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Laura E. Sinram". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "L" and "S".

Laura Sinram
Senior Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division