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February 23, 2005

Serge A. Chernay
3040 American River Dr.
Sacramento, CA 95864

Response Due Date:
March 25, 2005

Candidate ID Number: H6CA05237

Dear Mr. Chernay:

The Commission notes your submission of a Statement of Candidacy (FEC FORM 2), dated 2/16/05. **Please note that your submission was sent through fax, thereby your FEC FORM 2 did not contain an original signature. An official copy, not a fax, must be sent to the FEC.** Additionally, the year of election and the office sought was not provided. Please provide an amended FEC FORM 2 that includes an original signature, the year of election, and the office sought within thirty (30) days from the date of this letter. The FEC FORM 2 can be downloaded from the FEC website at <http://www.fec.gov>, or requested through the FEC Faxline at (202) 501-3413. (11 CFR §104.14).

Please note that Senate candidates must send a copy of their Statement of Candidacy to the FEC via fax (202-219-0174) or electronic mail (2022190174@fec.gov), in addition to filing their official copy on paper with the Secretary of the Senate. (11 CFR §400.20(b)(1))

Further, candidates for both the Senate and House of Representatives are required to send a copy of their Statement of Candidacy or the information required therein, including the amount by which they intend to exceed the threshold amount, to each of their opposing candidates via fax or electronic mail. (11 CFR §400.20(b)(1) and ... Fax numbers and e-mail addresses are located within a committee's Statement of Organization (FEC FORM 1) and can be found on the FEC website at <http://www.fec.gov>.

If you have any further questions, please contact Elizabeth Goings in the Reports Analysis Division on the toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). Her local number is (202) 694-1163.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Patricia Carmona".

Patricia Carmona
Chief, Compliance Branch
Reports Analysis Division

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FEC FORM 2
STATEMENT OF CANDIDACY

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1. (a) Name of Candidate (in full) SERGE A. CHERNAY		2. Identification Number HG CA 05237
(b) Address (number and street) <input type="checkbox"/> Check if address changed 3040 AMERICAN RIVER DR		3. Is This <input type="checkbox"/> New Statement (N) OR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amended (A)
(c) City, State, and ZIP Code SACRAMENTO CA 95864		
4. Party Affiliation REPUBLICAN	5. Office Sought US HOUSE OF REP.	6. State & District of Candidate CA 5TH CONGRESSIONAL DIST.

DESIGNATION OF PRINCIPAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

7. I hereby designate the following named political committee as my Principal Campaign Committee for the **2005** election(s).
(year of election)

NOTE: This designation should be filed with the appropriate office listed in the instructions.

(a) Name of Committee (in full) CHERNAY ELECTION COMMITTEE
(b) Address (number and street) 3040 AMERICAN RIVER DR.
(c) City, State, and ZIP Code SACRAMENTO CA 95864

DESIGNATION OF OTHER AUTHORIZED COMMITTEES

(Including Joint Fundraising Representatives)

8. I hereby authorize the following named committee, which is NOT my principal campaign committee, to receive and expend funds on behalf of my candidacy.
NONE

NOTE: This designation should be filed with the principal campaign committee.

(a) Name of Committee (in full) NONE
(b) Address (number and street)
(c) City, State, and ZIP Code

DECLARATION OF INTENT TO EXPEND PERSONAL FUNDS (House or Senate Only)

9. I intend to expend personal funds exceeding the threshold amount (see 11 C.F.R. 400.9) by

9A	<input type="checkbox"/>	for the primary election, and
9B	<input type="checkbox"/>	for the general election.

If you do not intend to expend personal funds exceeding the threshold amount for either election, you must enter "0.00" for each.

I certify that I have examined this Statement and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete.

Signature of Candidate S. Chernay	Date 3-8-2005
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NOTE: Submission of false, erroneous, or incomplete information may subject the person signing this Statement to penalties of 2 U.S.C. §437g.

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