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REFERENCE: AMENDED YEAR-END REPORT (11/29/2016 - 12/31/2016)

Dear Ms. Mongeon:

This statement is in response to the Commission's letter dated April 7, 2017 regarding seven items.

First, with respect to the contributions from the non-federal committees listed on the attachment to the Commission's letter, our Committee has safeguards in place to ensure such committees use federally permissible funds for their contributions. After additional research, the Committee has confirmed that these non-federal committees used federally permissible funds.

Second, regarding contributions from LLCs (limited liability companies), our Committee has safeguards in place to ensure that all such contributions are made by eligible contributors only. Eight of the contributions listed on attachment to the Commission's letter were contributed via a joint fundraising committee ("JFC") in which the Committee participates, Trump Make America Great Again (C00618371). These eight contributions have been returned to the JFC to be refunded to their contributors, and that committee will disclose the contribution refunds on the appropriate report. The transfer of those funds from Donald J. Trump for President, Inc. to Trump Make America Great Again was reflected on the Committee's April Quarterly Report. One contribution was received directly by the Committee and has been refunded by the Committee. That refund will be reflected on the appropriate report.

Third, the contribution from the corporation listed on the Commission's letter was contributed via a joint fundraising committee, Trump Make America Great Again (C00618371). The contribution from the corporation has been returned to the JFC, and that committee will disclose the contribution refund on the appropriate report. The transfer of those funds from Donald J. Trump for President, Inc. to Trump Make America Great Again was reflected on the Committee's April Quarterly Report.

Fourth, the Commission requests clarification on contributions that appear to exceed federal limits. Of the listed contributions, 320 were redesignated to another election, and 2 were reattributed to a spouse. These redesignations and reattributions were reflected on the Committee's April Quarterly Report. Fifteen of the contributions have been refunded, and these refunds will be reflected on the appropriate report. In addition, 226 of the listed contributions were from contributors who had previously contributed to the Committee but made additional contributions to Trump Make America Great Again (C00618371), a joint fundraising committee in which the Committee participates, which transferred the contributions to the Committee. Any excessive contributions that resulted from contributions received by the Committee through the JFC have been returned to the JFC for proper reallocation among participants, which will be disclosed by the JFC on the appropriate report. Finally, seventeen of the contributions reflected contributors who previously had their credit card contributions charged back. The chargebacks were included on the Committee's reports but were mistakenly unitemized. These reports will be amended concurrently with this response to itemize those chargebacks.

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Fifth, due to a clerical error, three of the five contributors listed in the Commission's letter were refunded at an amount greater than their original contributions. Corrective actions will be reflected on the appropriate report. Two of the contributors listed in the letter were refunded the correct amount but had previous contributions that mistakenly were unitemized due to a data upload error. These contributions have been itemized on amended reports being filed concurrently with this response.

Sixth, the Commission requests additional information concerning the names, employers, and occupations of various contributors. Where available, the additional information related to those contributors has been provided on the Amended report being filed by the Committee concurrently with this response. Furthermore, the Committee believes its "best efforts" procedures squarely comply with the best efforts and donor identification provisions of Commission regulations.

As an initial matter, all committee solicitations inform contributors that Federal law requires the Committee to use its best efforts to collect and report the name, address, occupation, and employer of individuals whose contribution exceeds \$200 in an election cycle and request that information. The Committee reports all information as provided by the contributor. For those contributors who choose not to provide their occupation and employer information, the Committee (within thirty days of receiving the contribution) sends the required follow-up letter, via the U.S. Postal Service or via electronic mail, which again expressly asks the contributor to provide the missing information, and again expressly informs the contributor of the Committee's obligation under federal law to report the information. These follow-up letters do not request or in any way solicit additional contributions from the contributor, and they include postage-paid, pre-addressed return envelopes for the contributor's convenience. Finally, all such information received in response to the Committee's follow-up letters is reported in compliance with 11 C.F.R. 104.7(b)(4). Any additional information received after the filing of the original reports will be included on amendments to be filed by the Committee.

Seventh, due to software limitations, the Committee is unable to populate the missing election cycle-to-date totals in the Committee's report. All entries without election cycle-to-date totals represent an election cycle-to-date of \$0. The committee will include explanatory memo text on its amended reports being filed concurrently with this response and any affected future reports for the Commission's and public's convenience.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any further questions.

Sincerely,  
Bradley T. Crate  
Treasurer