



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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James T. Myrick, Treasurer
Engineered Support Systems Inc.
Political Action Committee
1270 N Price Road
St. Louis, MO 63132

OCT 25 2000

Identification Number: C00350702

Reference: Statement of Organization, dated 11/10/99

Dear Mr. Myrick:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of your Statement of Organization. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the Statement. An itemization follows:

Your Statement of Organization discloses that your committee may have satisfied the criteria necessary to be a multicandidate committee; however, the Commission has no record of a FORM 1M filed by your committee. Please note that as of January 1, 1994, all political committees who attain multicandidate status must file a Notification of Multicandidate Status within ten (10) days of meeting the qualifications. For further guidance on the multicandidate qualifications and requirements, please see 11 CFR §102.2(a)(3) and §110.2(a)(2). Please submit a FORM 1M (enclosed) to disclose the required information for the public record.

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

Sincerely,

Antoinette Kitchen
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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Engineered Support Systems, Inc.
Political Action Committee
201 Evans Lane St. Louis, MO 63121-1128

Identification Number C00350702

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Treasurer

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November 8, 2000

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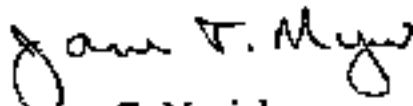
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Dear Ms. Kitchen:

Per your conversation with David Menefee, he explained to you that Engineered Support Systems, Inc. Political Action Committee qualified as a multicandidate committee through its affiliation with Systems & Electronics Inc. Political Action Committee. Systems & Electronics Inc. was a multicandidate committee through its affiliation with ESCO Political Action Committee. As per your request, enclosed is a FEC FORM IM for both Engineered Support Systems, Inc. Political Action Committee and Systems & Electronics Inc. Political Action Committee.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 314-553-4819 or David Menefee at 314-553-4841.

Sincerely,


James T. Myrick

Encl.

NOTIFICATION OF MULTICANDIDATE STATUS

(See reverse side for instructions)

This form should be filed after the Committee qualifies as a multicandidate committee.

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1. (a) NAME OF COMMITTEE IN FULL Systems & Electronics Inc. Political Action Committee		2. FEC IDENTIFICATION NUMBER C00348946
(b) Number and Street Address 201 Evans Lane		
(c) City, State and ZIP Code St. Louis, MO 63121-1126		3. TYPE OF COMMITTEE (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> STATE PARTY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER

I certify that one of the following situations is correct (complete line 4 or 5):

4. **STATUS BY AFFILIATION:** The committee submitted its Statement of Organization (FEC FORM 1) on 9/17/99 and simultaneously qualified as a multicandidate committee through its affiliation with:

Committee Name: ESCO Electronics Corporation Political Action Committee

FEC Identification Number: C00253609

5. **STATUS BY QUALIFICATION:**

(a) **Candidates:** The committee has made contributions to the five (5) federal candidates listed below (ONLY State party committees may leave this blank.):

	Name	Office Sought	State/District	Date
(i)				
(ii)				
(iii)				
(iv)				
(v)				

(b) **Contributors:** The committee received a contribution from its 51st contributor on: _____

(c) **Registration:** The committee has been registered for at least 6 months. FEC FORM 1 was submitted on: _____

(d) **Qualification:** The committee met the above requirements on: _____

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

TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF TREASURER James T. Myrick	SIGNATURE OF TREASURER <i>James T. Myrick</i>	DATE 11/8/00
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NOTE: Submission of false, erroneous, or incomplete information may subject the person signing this Statement to the penalties of 2 U.S.C. 5437g. ANY CHANGE IN INFORMATION SHOULD BE REPORTED WITHIN 10 DAYS.