

This is in response to the letter dated 6/20/08 referencing the April Monthly Report (3/01/08-3/31/08):

1. Regarding missing occupation information for individuals who contribute in excess of \$200 in a calendar year: The committee's procedure for obtaining the information is as follows: All of our original solicitations include a clear and conspicuous request for the contributor information and inform the contributors of the requirement of federal law. If the donor has not provided the information, the committee will either call or send a letter with return envelope to the donor asking for the occupation with no solicitation and again inform the contributor of the requirements of federal law for the reporting of such information. This is done within 30 days after the contribution is received. Contributor information received after the contribution has been reported is then filed as an amendment memo with the next regularly scheduled report.
2. The employment/occupation information for Detlef Moore, Gail Reynolds, and Charles Thimmesch has been updated and is included in the amended report.
3. Neither "Postage for finance mailing" nor any "Finance mailing" entries were payments for federal election activity, neither met the conditions for exempt party activity, and neither were express advocacy for specifically identified candidates.
4. The payment for "Finance list rental" was not for voter ID, generic campaign, or GOTV activity conducted in connection with an election.
