

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

May 23, 2008

Anne Rosenfeld, Treasurer Pete King for Congress Committee Post Office Box 1428 Seaford, NY 11783

Response Due Date: June 23, 2008

Identification Number: C00272211

Reference:

April Quarterly Report (1/1/08 - 3/31/08)

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 3 items:

- 1. Column B figures for the Summary and Detailed Summary Page information should equal the sum of the Column B figures on your previous report and the Column A figures on this report. Please file an amendment to your report to correct the Column B discrepancies for Line(s) 6(a), 6(c), 11(a)(iii), 11(e), 16, 17, 22 and all subsequent report(s) which may be affected by this correction. Since this discrepancy originated in the 2007 July Quarterly Report, you may need to file amendments beginning with this report. Note that Column B should reflect only the election cycle-to-date totals. (2 U.S.C. § 434(b))
- 2. Line 17, Column A, of the Detailed Summary Page information of your report discloses \$61,780.16 in operating expenditures. The sum of all entries supporting that line is \$67,083.26. While it is permissible for the figure on Line 17, Column A, to exceed the sum of disbursement entries as a result of unitemized transactions, the sum of itemized disbursements may not exceed the figure provided on Line 17, Column A. Please amend your report to correct this discrepancy. (11 CFR § 104.3(b))
- 3. Some of the contributions itemized on Schedule A of your report appear to have incorrect values in the "Election Cycle-to-Date" field. This field should reflect the total amount that the committee received from the

contributor in the current election cycle, from 11/8/06 through the date of receipt of the contribution. (11 CFR § 104.3(a)(3)) Some of the election cycle-to-date totals reported on your Schedule A do not appear to include all contributions from the contributor received in this election cycle. Failure to correctly total contributions received from a given source in the election cycle could lead to acceptance of excessive contributions by the committee. Please note that this problem frequently occurs when the contributor name is entered in the committee's electronic reporting database more than once using a different spelling and/or format. This prevents the database from properly aggregating contributions from the same individual or entity. Entering correct election cycle dates and ensuring that the name of each contributor is entered into the database only once would help avoid election cycle-to-date errors. When reporting contributions from political action committees, using the contributor's FEC identification number will help prevent duplicate entries.

Please review your procedures for compliance with this requirement and amend your report(s) as necessary. Incorrect aggregate election cycle to date totals for contributors listed on your report include the following:

				ECTD Total
			Reported	Calculated
Name	<u>Date</u>	Amount	ECTD Total	by the FEC
Anthony Cardillo	3/31/08	\$750.00	\$1,500.00	\$1,750.00
Michael Manoussos	3/31/08	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$5,100.00
John McAllister	3/24/08	\$243.00	\$243.00	\$1,243.00

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

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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) 694-1395.

Sincerely,

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