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Jeffrey J. Buresh, Treasurer
Jim Beam Brands Co. Political
Action Committee
510 Lake Cook Road
Deerfield, IL 60015

Identification Number: C00194126

Reference: 1995 Year End Report (7/1/95-12/31/95)

Dear Mr. Buresh:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Your report disclosed a category of financial activity that has been reflected on the wrong line of the Detailed Summary Page. Contributions to Non-Federal Candidates/Committees (such as, Governor Bush Committee and Illinois Republican Campaign) should be properly disclosed on a separate Schedule B, supporting Line 29 of the Detailed Summary Page. Please refer to the instructions contained on the forms to determine the proper categorization when preparing your next filing.

Any amendment or clarification should be filed with the Federal Election Commission. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 219-3580.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Wendy Barkley". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name and title.

Wendy Barkley
Reports Analyst
Report Analysis Division

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