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Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, NW
Washington, DC 20463
Attention: Account Analyst

FEC ID#C00024281
American Meat Institute Political Action Committee (AMI-PAC)

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The American Meat Institute Political Action Committee (AMI-PAC), in an internal review of our records, has discovered a discrepancy between the records the FEC has on file and the information contained within the FEC computer.

In June 1997, we requested and received copies of all documentation submitted by AMI-PAC to the FEC between January 1991 and December 1996. In July 1997, we visited FEC's Office of Public Records and obtained a computer report of AMI-PAC activity between those same dates. The two sets of records were then compared and the following discrepancies were found.

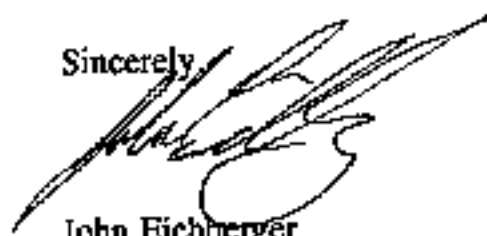
1. Our Year-End 1993 Report, submitted in January 1994, lists a contribution from AMI-PAC to Friends of Neal Smith, Democrat for Iowa 4, September 21, 1993, for \$500. (Page 2 of 4, Schedule B) It also lists a contribution to Richard Pombo for Congress Committee, Republican for California 11, September 21, 1993, for \$500. (Page 2 of 4, Schedule B) However, the computer generated report lists no contributions to Friends of Neal Smith and two contributions to Richard Pombo for Congress Committee for the same date. (Reference attached.)
2. Our First Quarter 1996 Report, Amended October 1996, lists a contribution from AMI-PAC to Friends of Keith Heard, Republican for Mississippi 3, January 24, 1996, for \$500. (Page 3 of 3, Schedule B) However, the computer generated report lists no contribution to Friends of Keith Heard. (Reference attached.)
3. Our Pre-General Election Report 1996, Amended October 1996, lists a contribution from AMI-PAC to Schaffer for Congress, Republican for Colorado 4, October 16,

1997, for \$500. (Page 3 of 5, Schedule B) However, the computer generated report lists a contribution from AMI-PAC to Schaefer to Congress, Republican for Colorado 6, October 16, 1997, for \$500. No contribution to Dan Schaefer, CO-06, was made at this time. The contribution was to Bob Schaffer, CO-04. (Reference attached.)

Please accept this letter as a formal request for the correction of AMI-PAC's records in the computer of the Federal Election Commission as noted above. The attached references demonstrate the accuracy of our reports and were obtained directly from the Office of Public Records.

Also, please contact me to verify the corrections have been made. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at 703/841-2400. Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John Eichberger", written over a horizontal line.

John Eichberger
Assistant, Legislative Affairs

cc: Sara J. Lilygren
AMI-PAC Treasurer

Enclosures.

YEAR-END 1993

ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

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Capital from such Reports and Statements may not be sold or used by any person for the purpose of soliciting contributions or for commercial purposes, and no person shall use the name and address of any political committee to solicit contributions from such committee.

OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

American Meat Institute Political Action Committee

Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
The Barrett Committee P.O. Box 176 Grand Island, NE 68802	R/NE/3 Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	9/9/93	\$ 350.00
Fred Grandy for Congress 418 Davis Avenue Alexandria, VA 22302 c/o E. Montgomery & Associates	R/IA/5 Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	9/9/93	\$ 500.00
Stenholm for Congress 4710 N. 40th Street Arlington, VA 22207	D/TX/22 Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	9/13/93	\$ 200.00
Talent for Congress P.O. Box 23683 Washington, DC 20026-3683	R/MD/2 Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	9/17/93	\$ 500.00
Wayne Allard for Congress P.O. Box 0032 Loveland, CO 80539-0032	R/CO/4 Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	9/17/93	\$ 500.00
Trent Lott for Mississippi P.O. Box 22824 Jackson, MS 39225-2824	R/MS Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	9/20/93	\$1,000.00
English for Congress 9500 Clarks Crossing Rd. Vienna, VA 22182	D/OK/6 Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	9/21/93	\$ 500.00
Richard Rombo for Congress Comm P.O. Box 757 Fairfax, VA 22030	R/CA/11 Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	9/21/93	\$ 500.00
Friends of Neal Smith P.O. Box 2884 Washington, DC 20013	D/IA/4 Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	9/21/93	\$ 500.00

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