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Reference: Amended Statement of Organization, received 6/27/02

Dear Mr. Katsurinis:

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:

-Line 5(e) states that your committee is a separate segregated fund. A separate segregated fund is a political committee established, financed, maintained, or controlled by a corporation, labor organization, membership organization, cooperative, or trade association. A committee sponsored by a partnership or unincorporated association is a nonconnected committee and does not have a "connected organization." 11 CFR § 100.6.

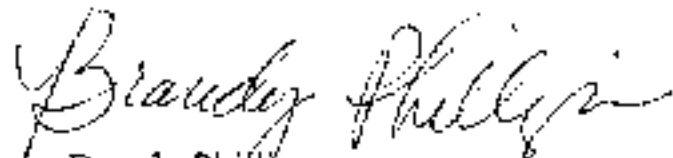
If your committee is a separate segregated fund, an amended Statement of Organization should be submitted to identify the connected organization (11 CFR § 102.2(a)(1)(ii)) and the type of connected organization.

If your committee is a nonconnected committee, as disclosed on your Amended Statement of Organization dated 2/1/02, an amended Statement of Organization should be submitted which indicated the appropriate Type of Committee on Line 5(f).

A 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. Electronic filers must file amendments 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 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,



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