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Mr. Michael Beckman
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Federal Election Commission
1050 First St., NE
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Identification Number: C0004036
RE: Amended 12-Day Pre-General Report (10/1/2018-10/17/2018)

Dear Mr. Beckman:

This letter is in response to the Commission's request for additional information related to several disbursements and independent expenditures disclosed on Schedules B and E of the above referenced report filed by Service Employees International Union Committee on Political Education (SEIU COPE).

The Commission inquired about a contribution made to Radinovich for Congress for the purpose of retiring debt from the 2018 primary election campaign. SEIU COPE was solicited in writing by the Radinovich campaign for assistance with debt retirement, specifically for the 2018 primary election. If you have any further questions regarding the Radinovich committee's debt, SEIU COPE respectfully requests you contact their campaign directly.

The Commission has indicated that SEIU COPE may have failed to file a 24-hour report for an independent expenditure supporting Jason Crow disseminated on October 12, 2018. This expenditure was made during the 48-hour reporting period, and it did not trigger a 48-hour notice because it was under the \$10,000 reporting threshold. Nor should it have triggered a 24-hour notice because 24-hour reporting for independent expenditures of \$1000 or more did not begin until October 18, 2018. As such, SEIU COPE disclosed the expenditure only on Schedule E of the 12-Day Pre-General report

Finally, the Commission asked about an independent expenditure made in support of Jason Crow on October 9, 2018, that was disclosed on a 48-hour notice, but not on Schedule E of the 12-Day Pre-General Report. The committee inadvertently double reported the expenditure on 48-hour notices filed with the Commission on October 10, 2018 and October 11, 2018. There was only one expenditure of this amount made in support of Jason Crow on October 9, 2018, and that one expenditure was disclosed on Schedule E of the 12-Day Pre-General report. A second expenditure of the same amount should not be added to the 12-Day Pre-General report.

If you have any further questions regarding this mater, please feel free to contact me at 202/730-7469.

Sincerely,

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cc: Gerald Hudson, Treasurer, SEIU COPE