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Reference: 12 Day Pre-Special Election (1/1/01-5/30/01) and 30 Day Post-Special Election (5/31/01-7/9/01) Reports

Dear Mr. Runyan:

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:

-Please provide a Schedule A to support the entry on Line 12 of the Detailed Summary Page. All transfers from affiliates received by your committee must be itemized on Schedule A regardless of the amount.
2 U.S.C. §434(b)(3)(D)

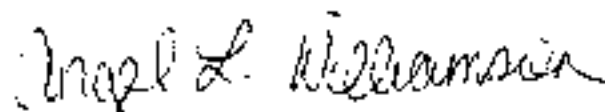
-Line 16 of the Detailed Summary Page of your reports disclose a total of \$0 in Refunds of Contributions made to Federal Candidates and Committees. The sum of the entries itemized on Schedule A, however, indicates the totals to be \$52,500 and \$13,500, respectively. Please amend your report to clarify these discrepancies.

-Your report disclosed a category of financial activity that has been reflected on the wrong line of the Detailed Summary Page. Transfers from Affiliated Committees should be properly disclosed on a separate Schedule A, supporting Line 12 of the Detailed Summary Page. Please refer to the instructions contained on the forms to determine the proper categorization when preparing your next filing.

A response or 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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