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STATEMENT OF CORRECTIVE ACTION  
IN RESPONSE TO DECEMBER 15, 2004 LETTER

This letter sets forth the corrective action taken by the Anheuser-Busch Companies, Inc. Political Action Committee (AB-PAC) in response to the December 15, 2004 letter from Alissa V. Sagni, Senior Campaign Finance Analyst.

The December 15 letter identifies two issues with respect to the October Monthly Report (9/1/04-9/30/04). The first issue raised by the letter is that the totals listed on Line 23 and 29, Column B of the Detailed Summary Page are incorrect. The year-to-date totals for the October Monthly report (9/1/04-9/30/04) were correct at the time the report was filed. However, after filing the October Monthly Report, we filed an amended September Monthly Report (8/1/04-8/31/04) but we did not then file an amended October Monthly Report (9/1/04-9/30/04). By not filing an amended October Monthly Report (9/1/04-9/30/04), it created an appearance that the original October Monthly Report year-to-date totals listed on Lines 23 and 29 were not correct. By filing this amended October Monthly Report, the year-to-date column totals incorporate the amended September Monthly Report (8/1/04-8/31/04) numbers.

The second issue regards two separate contributions to Graves for Congress and Lantham for Congress which are identified on the October Monthly Report as Primary 2004 contributions. After reviewing our records, we determined that the two contributions were not disbursed until after the primary election. As the result of an internal miscommunication, the October Monthly Report inadvertently disclosed the contributions as primary when they should have been labeled as to the general. Accordingly, AB-PAC is amending its Report for the period in order to designate both contributions towards the General 2004.

Please note that notwithstanding these designations, AB-PAC is within the applicable limits regarding these contributions.