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COMMITTEE
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Response Due Date
10/04/2023

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00167759

REFERENCE: MID-YEAR REPORT (01/01/2023 - 06/30/2023)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 1 item(s):

- Schedule A supporting Line 17 of the Detailed Summary Page discloses a receipt from "Adjustment, Cash on Hand" for \$11,865. In memo text you state, "Following a review of bank records and FEC disclosure reports, Paramount Global Political Action Committee (the 'Committee') discovered a discrepancy of \$11,865 between its reported cash-on-hand balance and the balance in its bank account. Following a review of internal records, the Committee determined that certain payroll contributions received in 2022 were not reported to the FEC at the time of receipt. Below are the previously unreported amounts: Acosta, Juan C - \$3,610.00 Brown, Joshua M - \$375.00 Cooper, Samantha G - \$150.00 Cox, Keith A - \$380.00 Donahue, Henry A - \$150.00 Flint, Kerine M - \$380.00 Gray, Eric Owen - \$1,080.00 Kaufman, Pamela O - \$380.00 Levin, Seth I - \$100.00 McCarthy, Chris D - \$380.00 Morrison, James C (Jim) - \$1,520.00 Rosenberg, Robert A - \$400.00 Rubin, Bryon - \$1,140.00 Rush, Colleen Fahey - \$300.00 Wiser, Philip Rayne - \$1,520.00 To reconcile the bank balance with the Committee's cash on hand, the Committee has made a one-time cash-on-hand adjustment of \$11,865 to account for the previously unreported receipts. The Committee has taken this opportunity to review its internal policies and procedures to ensure that all contributions and expenditures are properly reported going forward." Please provide any clarifying information as to the details of this receipt and why this activity was not disclosed on the original report covering the period during which it took place.

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Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.**

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) 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. For information about the report review process or specific filing information for your committee type, please visit www.fec.gov/help-candidates-and-committees. For more information about Requests for Additional Information (RFAI), why you received a letter, and how to respond, please visit www.fec.gov/help-candidates-and-committees/request-additional-information. Should you have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1232.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Melissa Cisewski', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Melissa Cisewski
Campaign Finance Analyst