



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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John Briggs, Treasurer
Hy-Vee Food Stores Inc. Employees'
Political Action Committee
5820 Westown Parkway
West Des Moines, IA 50266

Identification Number: C00243659

Reference: October Monthly Report (9/1/96-9/30/96)

Dear Mr. Briggs:

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:

-Schedule B of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(a) precludes a political committee, other than a multi-candidate committee, from making a contribution to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$1,000 per election. Please refer to the Campaign Guide for information on how a committee qualifies for multicandidate status.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. If you have made an excessive contribution, you should notify the recipient and request a refund of the amount in excess of \$1,000 and/or notify the recipient in writing of your redesignation of the contribution. In the best interest of your committee, all refunds and redesignations should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution(s).

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund request sent to the contributor. In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on Schedule A supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received. Any redesignations should be disclosed as memo entries on

Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the report covering the period during which the redesignation is made. 11 CFR §110.1(b)

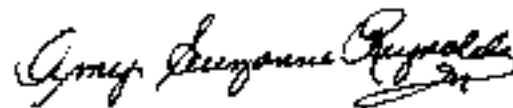
Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the excessive contribution(s), your prompt action in obtaining a refund and/or redesignating the contribution(s) will be taken into consideration.

-Line 29 of the Detailed Summary Page discloses other disbursements during the reporting period. If this figure includes any disbursements to a payee, that aggregate greater than \$200 in the calendar year, please amend your report by itemizing the disbursements on Schedule B. 2 U.S.C. §434(b)(4)(H)(V)

-For future reporting, please be advised that only contributions to federal candidates and political committees should be itemized on a separate Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the Detailed Summary Page. Contributions to non-federal candidates and committees should be itemized on Schedule B supporting Line 29.

A written 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. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 219-3580.

Sincerely,



Amy Suzanne Reynolds
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

SCHEDULE B ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

Any information copied from such Reports and Statements may not be sold or used by any person for the purpose of soliciting contributions or for commercial purposes, other than using the name and address of any political committee to solicit contributions from such committee.

NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full)
Hy-Vee, Inc., Employees' Political Action Committee

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
<i>Jim Riss Lightfoot</i> <i>R.R. #2, Box 225 B</i> <i>Sherrard, IA 51601</i>	Purpose of Disbursement <i>US Senate - Iowa</i> Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	<i>9-24-96</i>	<i>2,000.00</i>
<i>Greg Ganske</i> <i>5206 Waterbury Road</i> <i>Des Moines, IA 50312</i>	Purpose of Disbursement <i>US House</i> <i>Iowa - 4th Dist.</i> Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	<i>9-24-96</i>	<i>1,000.00</i>
<i>Leonard Boswell</i> <i>RR #1, Box 130</i> <i>Davis City, IA 50065</i>	Purpose of Disbursement <i>US House</i> <i>Iowa - 3rd Dist.</i> Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	<i>9-24-96</i>	<i>1,000.00</i>
<i>Jim Nussle</i> <i>400 E. Delaware</i> <i>Manchester, IA 52057</i>	Purpose of Disbursement <i>US House</i> <i>Iowa - 2nd Dist.</i> Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	<i>9-24-96</i>	<i>500.00</i>
<i>Tom Lathan</i> <i>178 180th St</i> <i>Alexander, IA 50420</i>	Purpose of Disbursement <i>US House</i> <i>Iowa - 5th Dist.</i> Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	<i>9-24-96</i>	<i>500.00</i>
<i>Eisenhower Fund</i> <i>521 E Locust</i> <i>Des Moines, IA 50309</i>	Purpose of Disbursement <i>Republican</i> <i>General Fund</i> Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	<i>9-24-96</i>	<i>500.00</i>
<i>Governors Senate Election Fund</i> <i>2300 Grand Ave.</i> <i>Des Moines, IA 50312</i>	Purpose of Disbursement <i>Republican</i> <i>General Fund</i> Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	<i>9-24-96</i>	<i>500.00</i>
H. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
I. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period

SUBTOTAL of Disbursements This Page (optional)	6,000.00
TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only)	6,000.00

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