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ID#: C00503318 Defenders of Wildlife Action Fund PAC

Re: September 12, 2013 RFAI regarding July 2013 Quarterly Report

Dear Ms. Lewis:

Thank you for your letter of September 12, 2013 noting what appeared to be an excessive contribution to the Defenders of Wildlife Action Fund PAC (the "PAC"). We are grateful for the opportunity to address this issue.

The PAC actually did not receive an excessive contribution. The contribution in question—reported as being received on May 31, 2013 from Mari Snyder Johnson in the amount of \$10,000—was erroneously reported as a contribution to the PAC. The contribution was actually designated for and received by the PAC's connected organization, Defenders of Wildlife Action Fund. The PAC itself never received or deposited the contribution in question. We discovered this clerical reporting error internally on September 4, 2013, and filed an amended report with clarifying information that same day to correct the mistake.

Thank you again for bringing this issue to our attention and we apologize for any inconvenience. We hope that this response and the amended report we filed prior to, albeit consistent with, your letter will assure the Commission that no further action is necessary. If you need more information from us on this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me or William Lutz, Senior Director of the Defenders of Wildlife Action Committee.

Sincerely,

Jamie Rappaport Clark
Treasurer
Defenders of Wildlife Action Fund PAC

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