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July 20, 2009

Peter J. Pappas, Sr.
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RE: **Warning Letter**
FPPC Case No. 09/512; Peter J. Pappas, Sr.; PJP Mechanical Corp.

Dear Mr. Pappas:

The Fair Political Practices Commission ("Commission") enforces the provisions of the Political Reform Act (the "Act") found in Government Code Section 81000, and following. The Act requires that committees file campaign statements at periodic intervals. This letter is to inform you that you failed to completely comply with the campaign reporting requirements when you contributed $29,700 to the California Democratic Party on June 6, 2006.

Section 82013, subdivision (c), defines one type of committee, commonly referred to as a major donor committee, as any person who makes contributions totaling $10,000. The Act requires that a major donor committee file a Campaign Disclosure Statement (Form 461) for each six month period that it made contributions. The campaign statement must be filed on January 31 and July 31 of each year. (Section 84200(a).)

A copy of your major donor campaign disclosure statement may have been filed with the County of San Francisco and with the Los Angeles Recorder as you indicated in a previous letter, but to date, the Office of the Secretary of State has no record of your filing. Failure to file the major donor campaign statement with the Secretary of State by July 31, 2006 was a violation of the Act. To fulfill this filing requirement, you must immediately file your delinquent campaign statement with the Secretary of State.

Although you violated the Act, we are closing this matter with a written warning to you. However, the information in this matter will be retained and may be considered should an enforcement action become necessary based on future conduct or newly discovered information.

The Commission publishes forms and manuals to facilitate compliance with the provisions of the Act. If you need forms or a manual, or guidance regarding your obligations, you may call the Commission's Technical Assistance Division at 1-866-275-3772 or visit our website at www.fppc.ca.gov.

If you have questions regarding this matter, please contact Jeanette Turvill at (916) 322-8194.

Sincerely,

Gary S. Winuk
Chief, Enforcement Division

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