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January 23, 1978

Honorable Fred W. Chel  
 Member, California Assembly  
 State Capitol  
 Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Assemblyman Chel:

This will confirm the advice which I gave you and Mike Duval over the telephone on Friday, January 20, 1978, concerning cumulation of contributions on the off-year campaign statement to be filed no later than January 31, 1978.

As I understand the facts, a complete post-election campaign statement was filed on December 31, 1976. An off-year campaign statement was filed covering the period from January 1, 1977, through June 30, 1977.

For the campaign statement to be filed no later than January 31, 1978, covering the period from July 1, 1977, through December 31, 1977, the cumulative total amount of contributions reported on Column A of the summary page should be the same as that reported on Column C of the summary page for the previous off-year campaign statement covering the first half of 1977. The contributions and expenditures have to be cumulated over more than one reporting period until a post-election campaign statement is filed. See Government Code Sections 82018 and 84210. Therefore, contributions received will have to be cumulated with any contributions received from the same donor after the closing date of the post-election campaign statement filed December 31, 1976, to determine whether the contribution has to be itemized.

Unpaid loans, pledges, accrued expenses and cash on hand (lines 2, 6, 9 and 11 on the campaign statement's summary

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page) are always carried over onto the following campaign statement.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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