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At

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Joseph F. Stoltz  
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999 E Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20463

*Re: Response to the Interim Audit Report on Hillary Clinton for President*

Dear Mr. Stoltz:

This is the response of Hillary Clinton for President (hereinafter the "Committee") to the Interim Audit Report (hereinafter "IAR" or "Report") of the Audit Division. Pursuant to that report, the Audit staff recommended that the Committee provide any necessary comments.

As noted in the IAR, the Committee raised \$252,726,143 in connection with the 2008 presidential primary campaign. Of that amount, and after a complete and thorough review, the Audit staff questioned \$21,400 in PAC or political committee contributions, or .008% of the Committee's total receipts. The Committee welcomes the opportunity to comment on the tiny amount of contributions noted.

The \$21,400 in contributions noted were subject to three minor database errors and, consequently, were inadvertently overlooked by the Committee. Of this amount, \$1,700 was mistakenly designated to the primary, when it should have been designated to the general, \$7,900 was mistakenly coded as coming from a qualified multi-candidate committee, when that committee had not yet qualified, and the remainder were general election contributions that inadvertently were overlooked when the Committee refunded its general election contributions, due to a computer programming glitch. When these were brought to the Committee's attention, the Committee took appropriate steps to return the funds, as the Audit staff noted. No further action is being required.

The Committee devoted significant resources to its compliance program, and the Compliance staff worked exceedingly hard to prevent errors prior to their occurrence. Despite the very minor errors explained above, we believe that this is reflected in the IAR, and hope that the public record also will reflect this accomplishment.

Sincerely,



Eric Kleinfeld



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