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Mr. N. B. Leitchfield Federal Election Commission 999 W. Street NW Washington, D.C. 20463

Dear Mr. Leitchfield:

Comments On AOR 1991-14

This will respond to your recent inquiry, by FAX transmittal 4-18-91, with regard to a request by the Republican Party of Kentucky for an advisory opinion related to accounting for income tax check-off funds, derived from Kentucky taxpayers, as part of their federal account.

Since KRS 121.230(1) does not specify that check-off funds must be expended in a <u>state</u> "general election" it is our opinion such funds may be expended in support of the party's candidates in federal "general elections."

Should you need additional information please contact us.

Most sincerel

Raymond E. Wallace Executive Director

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