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Dear Ms. Dove,

It amazes me, that in this age of rapid, ever changing technology, there's a need to persuade the FEC to allow ActBlue to act as a conduit for donors outside of a union or not working for a corporation to make contributions to union or corporate PACs, as well as allowing ActBlue to act as an intermediary to collect such money from members/employees.

I was born in the '50's and grew up in a time when America was the leader of innovation and technological advancement. Now, I watch my country's timidity as it deliberates and ponders the ramifications of a blatantly obvious technological advancement that was not available at the time of 11 CFR 9034.3(f) regulation's crafting or implementation. Given these times, strict application of this regulation is inappropriate and regressive -- and does not foster the innovative and courageous technological spirit that has been the hallmark of America.

I sincerely ask that you consider how your decision will advance or stymie American technological advancement in the 21st Century.

Yours Truly,

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