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RE: **Political Action Committee**
Committee #4870

Dear Political Committee:

The recently amended campaign disclosure law requires that each political committee designate on a D-1 Statement of Organization, what type of committee it is. The committee types under the previous law; state, local, and state and local, no longer apply. Under the recently amended law there are now four types of political committees; (1) candidate political committee, (2) political action committee, (3) political party committee, and (4) ballot initiative committee. Your committee's D-1 Statement of Organization containing the new designation was required to have been filed with the Board on or before December 31, 2010.

Your committee has filed the amended D-1 containing such designation. However the committee designation chosen does not apply to your committee. Based on the most current information the State Board of Elections has available, we have designated your political committee as a **Political Action Committee**.

See the attachment for assistance in completing your political committee determination. For information regarding the election cycle and contribution limits that will apply to your committee, refer to our website, www.elections.il.gov.

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Determining Committee Type

Political Action Committee

"Political action committee" means any natural person, trust, partnership, committee, association, corporation, or other organization or group of persons, other than a candidate, political party, candidate political committee, or political party committee, that accept contributions or makes expenditures during any 12-month period in an aggregate amount exceeding $3,000 on behalf of or in opposition to a candidate or candidate for public office, or that makes electioneering communications during any 12-month period in an aggregate amount exceeding $3,000 related to any candidate or candidates for public office.

The name of a political action committee shall include the name of the entity forming the committee.

No entity may maintain or establish more than one political action committee.