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PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGNS CITED FOR FAILING TO FILE DISCLOSURE REPORTS

WASHINGTON -- The Federal Election Commission has cited three presidential campaign committees for failure to file required monthly financial disclosure reports.

The following committees did not file disclosure reports as of 5 p.m., June 4:

LAUGHLIN FOR PRESIDENT...ROBIN HUTTON, TREAS...T.R. LAUGHLIN...DEM...CA
MARROU FOR PRESIDENT...STEVEN ALEXANDER, TREAS...ANDRE MARROU...LIB...DC
CHARLES WOODS FOR PRESIDENT...LINDA PRESCOTT, TREAS...DEM...NV

The reports were due May 20, and would have detailed financial activity from April 1, 1992 through April 30, 1992. If sent by certified or registered mail, the filing should have been postmarked by midnight, May 20.

On May 29, the committees were notified by mailgram that the FEC had not received the monthly report. The campaigns had four business days from the date of the mailgram to respond. Failure to file by June 4 resulted in this publication. Prior notification of the required filing was sent to each committee on March 20.

Further Commission action against non-filers and late filers is decided on a case-by-case basis. Federal election law gives the FEC broad authority to initiate enforcement actions, including the imposition of civil penalties (\$5,000 for "any violation" and \$10,000 for any "knowing and willful" violation.)

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