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Dear FEC,

I herewith strongly protest your decision not to audit the $600 million-plus in campaign funds received by the Obama campaign.

There is more than sufficient cause to conclude that the Obama campaign greatly needs investigation and audit---especially his receipt of innumerable donations from foreign jurisdictions by persons lacking U.S. citizenship---in other words, illegal. Additionally, large amounts came from unidentified donors supposedly because of their "small amounts," not to mention the thousands of donations from persons identifying themselves as Donald Duck, Mickey Mouse and so on. That is, fraudsters.

The failure of the Federal Election Commission to investigate this landmark outrage has already had a disastrous effect on U.S. confidence in the electoral system.

Any candidate with financial resources nine fold greater than those of his rival is easily identified as having been "bought and paid for." The question is, by whom, and for what purpose, and to what detriment to the U.S. citizenry? When the sources of the gigantic advantage overlooked and remain hidden, voters can be excused for concluding that federal election oversight is corrupt and nefarious, perhaps as much so as those who bought and paid for our "president-elect."

Kindly conduct a full, in-depth review and a completely transparent audit of all $600 million-plus in funds raised by the president-elect, Barack Obama. Anything less makes a mockery of our Constitution and the U.S. Democracy.

Sincerely,
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