

March 3, 2005

Office of General Council
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Washington, D.C. 20463

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Dear Sir/Madam:

I would like to notify you of something you might like to consider. We have a man from New York who has moved to Tennessee and opened a Kerry-Edwards headquarters before the last election where he sold shirts, badges and others things.. He did not file for tax exempt status or file for a treasurer with the Blount County Election Commission or the state of Tennessee. His name is Joseph Galiagher and he lives at in Louisville, TN 37777. His phone number is _____ The treasurer of the Blount County Democratic Party went to a local bank with him to open an account. He was given the necessary paper work, but he said he did not want to do this. With the help of two of the election commissioners, he opened an account at another bank. One of the election commissioners is a banker. We have since found that he deposited at least five checks made out to the Blount County Democrat Party into the account he opened as BCKP (Blount County, Kerry for President). He reported that he had raised over \$12,000 at a public meeting. We do not know if other checks have been deposited into this account or not since no one but Joe has access to the records.

. Is there any way we can get him to file a disclosure so that we can see his records? This is a lot of money and I know that he should have disclosures just as everyone else is required to do. I hope that you will check into this matter for our party and the people that thought they were giving money to Kerry.

Sincerely,

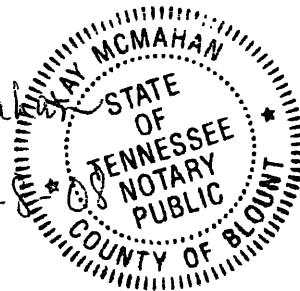
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This information is subscribed and sworn to before me on this 16 day of March, 2005.

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