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Cassius H. Daly, Jr., Treasurer  
Bergen County Republican Organization  
339 Main Street  
Hackensack, New Jersey 07601

Re: The New Jersey Campaign Contributions and  
Expenditures Reporting Act, Chapter 83, Laws  
of 1973 as Amended and Supplemented ("the Act")  
Your letter dated October 16, 1980  
Opinion #0-39-80

Dear Mr. Daly:

Your letter dated October 16, 1980 to the New Jersey  
Election Law Enforcement Commission ("the Commission"), in-  
cluding a request for advisory opinion, has been forwarded  
to me for reply.

Nothing in the Act prohibits a procedure whereby Mr.  
Creamer or companies owned by Mr. Creamer make a contribution  
to the Bergen County Republican Organization in the form of  
two checks of \$500 each, on the assumption that none of the  
corporations is a bank, insurance company, public utility, or  
casino interest which is prohibited from engaging in certain  
forms of political activity in the State of New Jersey.

Nothing in the Act would prohibit the use of funds of  
the Bergen County Republican Organization (including those  
contributed by Mr. Creamer) for the purpose of raising funds  
by the procedure of mailing ten dollar bills to selected po-  
tential contributors, in the manner in which you describe.

Yours very truly,

Edward J. Farrell  
Legal Counsel