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May 26, 2005

Russ Walker, Tréasurer IBEW LU 1703



Re: -----

Dear Mr. Walker:

This office has recently completed an audit of IBEW LU 1703 under the Compliance Audit Program (CAP) to determine your organization's compliance with the provisions of the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959 (LMRDA). As discussed during the exit interview with you on 05/20/05, the following problems were disclosed during the CAP. The matters listed below are not an exhaustive list of all possible problem areas since the audit conducted was limited in scope.

The CAP disclosed a reporting violation. The local pays the recording secretary an annual check for \$100 written to "cash" and does not report it on the LM report. All direct disbursements to your union's officers and some indirect disbursements made by your organization on behalf of its officers must be included in the amounts reported in item 24. A "direct disbursement" to an officer is a payment made by your organization to an officer in the form of cash, property, goods, services, or other things of value.

I strongly recommend that you make sure that this letter and the compliance assistance materials that were provided to you are passed on to yours and Mr. Pearson's successors at whatever time you may leave office.

I want to thank your and Business Agent David Pearson for their cooperation and courtesy during this compliance audit. If we can be of any assistance in the future, please do not hesitate to contact me or any other representative of our office.

Sincerely.

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Investigator