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Dear Ms. Stuntz:

Below is my report for October, 1991.

Fair Taxes - I presented the fair tax materials to the International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers Local 2508 in Orlando, Florida. The local has a membership of approximately 900.

We discussed the invasion of employee privacy and what employers were attempting to do, and the response from the membership was overwhelming because their employer had started this action against them. I briefly discussed the IAQ and said that I would be back to do a presentation. They were very interested.

I presented the fair tax materials to a group of union representatives of the Member Assistance Program (MAP), which represents all the county unions. They endorsed our presentation.

I presented the fair tax materials to the Columbus Civic Club of Broward County of which I used to be President. They were interested and said that the labor view was the right and correct approach.

I attended a press conference in Tallahassee on the release of the Florida report by the Citizens for Tax Justice. In Florida, at the present time, we have a tremendous revenue shortage and taxes are an everyday issue both in general conversation and in the press.

I presented the fair tax materials to the Space Coast Central Labor Council which covers two counties and has an approximate membership of 38,000 people. The membership was very interested in taxes and the issues.

I also presented the fair tax materials to the retirees club of the International Ladies Garment Workers Union.

IAQ - I presented the Indoor Air Quality film and materials to the Pembroke Pines Democratic Club of which I am an officer. The club is made up of politicians, retirees and activists.

I met with the Executive Board of the A. Philip Randolph Institute to set up a presentation to them.

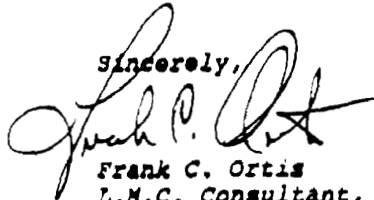
I also met with the Board for the Hispanic Unity Coalition and will make a presentation to this group soon.

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We continue to approach civic groups and local unions in the area and in the state with the continuing assistance of the State AFL-CIO, the Strategy Group, and the N.E.M.I. We are doing very well.

Sincerely,



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