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Honorable Zoe Lofgren
Chairwoman
House Committee on Standards of Official Conduct
HT-2 Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Honorable Jo Bonner
Ranking Minority Member House Committee on Standards of Official Conduct
HT-2 Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Lofgren and Ranking Member Bonner:

I am writing to amend my Financial Disclosure Statements filed for the calendar years 2006-2009 due to an inadvertent omission in including rental income from a residential property that I had inherited upon the death of my mother in 2006.

Income from this residential rental property was included in my IRS tax filing beginning in 2006; however, was not included in my Financial Disclosure Statement for the year 2006. The value of this residential rental property is included as part of the asset identified in Schedule III as "Costa Farms, Fresno," farm real estate; however, the income from the rental property is separate from the farm income that had been identified. The income for the omitted rental property is valued at "\$5001 -- \$15,000" and should have been noted accordingly in the disclosure statement for calendar years 2006-2009.

I appreciate the Committee's consideration of this amendment request. If you need further information or would like to discuss this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



Jim Costa
Member of Congress

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