

July 27, 2002

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Dear Joe:

Jack Gaines states in a letter dated April 23, "Since ACRE'S inception, an independent yearly audit has been conducted by Carmine M. DiSanto, C.P.A. for each local division and the Executive Board. These audits clearly indicate that every dollar paid in union dues by ACRE members has been accounted for and each Local Division is running a substantial balance." As with most of Jack's letters, he is big on statements and little on supporting documentation.

Please send me copies of these completed audits for the past two years along with your own annual reports for Local Division 9. Include the yearly annual reports from the Executive Board to Local Division 9. Let's not forget about copies of the LM-1, LM-2 or LM-3 which you filed with the Department of Labor and ACRE'S Executive Board. Please include a listing of the salaries for all of ACRE'S Officers for these past two years.

Since I have never received dated copies of ACRE'S Constitution and the By Laws for Local Division 9, please include them with your mailing.

Thank you for your time and efforts on these matters.

Sincerely,

James W. Ekberg

Sent via certified mail