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## **GOVERNMENTAL ETHICS COMMISSION**

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January 23, 2023

## NOTIFICATION OF FAILURE TO FILE THE JANUARY 10, 2023 RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES REPORT

In checking with the Secretary of State, we have been informed that you have failed to file a **January 10, 2023** Receipts and Expenditures Report as required by K.S.A 25-4148. The Report <u>must be completed and filed</u> within five (5) days from the date of this notice to prevent a complaint from being filed which can result in civil fines.

As provided by K.S.A. 25-4152, you have until **February 7, 2023**, which is 15 days from the date of this notice, to comply with the reporting requirements before a civil penalty is imposed - \$10 per day the required document remains unfiled. No civil penalty shall exceed three hundred dollars (\$300). Also, there are criminal penalties for intentionally failing to file. The intentional failure to file the required Report within five (5) days is a class A misdemeanor. In addition, you may not accept contributions or make expenditures until the required Report has been filed.

File the required Report within five (5) days with the Secretary of State. As provided by law, a copy of this notice has been made a part of your record in the Secretary of State's office.

Additional information and assistance may be obtained by contacting this office at 785-296-4219.

Sincerely,

Mark Skoglund Executive Director