



GOVERNMENTAL ETHICS COMMISSION

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September 24, 2010

Robert Gilbert
Treasurer for Kenneth Willard
1700 W 82nd
Hutchinson, KS 67502

Notification of Material Error or Omission
In A Receipts and Expenditures Report

RE: Receipts and Expenditures Report Due July 26, 2010
(Covering the Period January 1, 2010 thru July 22, 2010)

A review of your Receipts and Expenditures Report identified above indicates the material error or omission listed on the other side of this page. No amendment to the Receipts & Expenditures Report is necessary for this error.

As provided by law, a copy of this notice has been made a part of your record in the office of the Secretary of State and the appropriate county election office.

Additional information and assistance may be obtained by writing or calling this office.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Carol E. Williams".

Carol E. Williams
Executive Director

1. K.S.A. 25-4146(b) states, "No contribution or other receipt shall be received or expenditure made, by or on behalf of a candidate, except payment of a filing fee: (1) until such candidate appoints a treasurer and makes the report required to the Secretary of State..." The following contribution was received prior to the date the candidate's Appointment of Treasurer or Candidate Committee form was filed on May 24, 2010:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Contributor</u>	<u>Amount</u>
5-17-10	Kenneth Willard	\$346.77

This contribution should not have been accepted before the appointment form was filed. No amendment to the July 26, 2010 report is necessary for this error. This notice is being provided for informational purposes.

2. Schedule A (Contributions and Other Receipts) indicates your campaign accepted the following cash contribution over \$100:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Contributor</u>	<u>Amount</u>
7-20-10	American Family Ins. KS PAC	\$500

K.S.A. 25-4153(i) states, "No person shall make any contribution or contributions to any candidate or the candidate committee of any candidate in the form of money or currency of the United States which in the aggregate exceeds \$100 for any one primary or general election, and no candidate or candidate committee of any candidate shall accept any contribution or contributions in the form of money or currency of the United States which in the aggregate exceeds \$100 from any one person for any one primary or general election."

The cash contribution listed above should not have been accepted by the campaign. In the future, you must be certain that all contributions in excess of \$100 are made by check, cashier's check or money order.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact this office.