

October 21, 2006

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Dear Ms. Williams:

This letter is in response to your notification letter dated September 27, 2006 concerning a "Material Error or Omission in a Receipts and Expenditures Report".

The report Receipts and Expenditures Report filed for the time period January 1, 2006 through July 20, 2006 contained a typographical error concerning the receipt date of the contribution in question.

Per your notification, and according to the Receipts and Expenditures Report referenced to above, there was a contribution received in potential violation of K.S.A. 25-4153a which states that no registered lobbyist, political committee or person, other than an individual, shall make a contribution and no legislator or candidate for the legislature shall accept a contribution from a lobbyist, political committee or person, other than an individual after January 1 and prior to sine die adjournment of the regular session of the legislature or any other time the legislature is in session. Again, after reviewing the actual date of the contribution and the date of deposit of that contribution, it was determined that there was a typographical error on the report. The check itself was dated July 12, 2006 and it was deposited shortly thereafter. Therefore, the receipt is lawful and valid as the legislative body was not in session at that time.

I apologize for the confusion and appreciate your help in this matter.

Sincerely,



Michael J. Schippers  
Campaign Treasurer for Representative Forest Knox, District #13