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

RE: Receipts and Expenditures Report Due January 10, 2014 (Covering the Period January 1, 2013 thru December 31, 2013)

A review of your Receipts and Expenditures Report identified above indicates the material error(s) or omission(s) <u>listed on the other side of this page</u>. Such error(s) and omission(s) must be corrected within thirty (30) days of the date of this notice by filing an amended report.

File the amended report within thirty (30) days with:

Secretary of State 120 SW 10th Memorial Hall Topeka, KS 66612

As provided by law, a copy of this notice has been made a part of your record in the Secretary of State's Office. The intentional failure to file an amended report within thirty (30) days is a class A misdemeanor. In addition, you may not accept contributions or make expenditures following the end of the thirty (30) day period if the amended report has not been filed.

Additional information and assistance may be obtained by writing or calling this office. If after having contacted this office substantial issues remain unresolved, you may within ten (10) days of receipt of this notice request a hearing before the Commission.

Sincerely,

Card E. Williams Executive Director Schedule C (Expenditures and Other Discursements) lists an expenditure being made on 7-12-13 to the Kansas Republican Party for printing in the amount of \$5,807.10. Schedule D (Other Transactions) lists a loan payable to the candidate on 7-12-13 in the amount of \$5,807.10. It appears the candidate personally wrote a check to the Kansas Republican Party for printing since the campaign account did not have sufficient funds to make such an expenditure. If this is the case, an amended report must be filed to delete the expenditure of \$5,807.10 to the Kansas Republican Party on Schedule C since campaign funds were not used to make the expenditure. Schedule B (In-Kind Contributions) must also be amended to show an in-kind contribution from the candidate in the amount of \$5,807.10 for these printing costs. The cover summary page of the report must also be amended to reflect the correct total on line 4 (Total Expenditures and Other Disbursements), line 5 (Cash on Hand At Close Of Period), and line 6 (In-Kind Contributions).

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