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## **GOVERNMENTAL ETHICS COMMISSION**

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

RE: Receipts and Expenditures Report Due October 27, 2014 (Covering the Period July 25, 2014 thru October 23, 2014)

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.

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

Secretary of State 120 SW 10<sup>th</sup> 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,

Cator E. Williams Executive Director 1. According to the reports filed with the Secretary of State, the following PAC's report making contributions to Ramon Gonzalez:

<u>Date</u>	Contributor	Amount
8-13-14 8-14-14	Kansas Bankers Assn. PAC Kansas Chamber of Commerce PAC	\$400 \$250
8-25-14	Kansas National Education Assn. PAC	\$500

These contributions were not reported by your campaign. If these contributions were received, they must be reported on Schedule A (Contributions and Other Receipts) on the October 27, 2014 report. This error will cause the cash balance on the front page summary sheet to be incorrect. Therefore, an amended front page summary sheet must also be filed. If the campaign did not receive these contributions, please note this fact in a letter to the Commission.

2. Schedule A (Contributions and Other Receipts) of the October 27, 2014 report lists a \$200 contribution on 10-11-14 from Hospital Corporation of America PAC. The address listed for that \$200 contribution is the Heavy Constructors Association PAC and they report giving a \$200 contribution on 10-7-14 that was not reported by the campaign. An amended Schedule A must be filed with the correct contributor.

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