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Nate Wiehl Treasurer for Mark Samsel 8 Country Club Lane Garnett, KS 66032

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

RE: Receipts and Expenditures Report Due October 26, 2020 (Covering the Period July 24, 2020 thru October 22, 2020)

A review of your Receipts and Expenditures Report identified above indicates the material error or omission <u>listed on the other side of this page</u>. No amendment to the October 26, 2020 report is required for this error. The return will be shown on the January 10, 2022 Report.

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.

Additional information and assistance may be obtained by e-mailing or calling this office.

Sincerely,

Karina Renna

State Campaign Finance Coordinator

Laura Benna

K.S.A. 25-4153 (a) (1) states, "The aggregate amount contributed to a candidate and such candidate's committee . . shall not exceed the following: for member of the house of representatives, . . . \$500 for each primary election . . . and an equal amount for each general election." The Samsel campaign reported receiving a \$150 contribution on 12-23-19 from the Heavy Constructors Association PAC and a \$500 contribution on 7-31-20. These contributions were received during the primary election period.

Pursuant to K.S.A. 25-4153, the campaign accepted a contribution in excess of the legal limit amounting to \$150. We would suggest that this contribution be refunded immediately. The return of this contribution should be noted on Schedule C (Expenditures and Other Disbursements) of the January 10, 2022 Receipts and Expenditures Report.

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