

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 Benson campaign reported receiving a \$500 contribution on 10-11-2024 and a \$500 contribution on 10-23-24 from the KS Building and Construction Trades Council. These contributions were received during the general election period.

Pursuant to K.S.A. 25-4153, the campaign accepted a contribution in excess of the legal limit amounting to \$500. We would suggest that this contribution be refunded immediately. Since the campaign account has been closed, it will be necessary for the candidate to reimburse the \$500 to the KS Building and Construction Trades Council personally. A copy of the cancelled check must be provided to the Commission.

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

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DAVID & DONNI BENSON 4829 WEST 144TH TERRACE LEAWOOD, KS 66224		
DATE <u>12-22-24</u>		
PAY TO THE ORDER OF	<u>KS Building &amp; Const.</u>	\$ <u>500.00</u>
	<u>Five hundred &amp; no</u>	DOLLARS
MEMO <u>Contribution Reimbursement</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	

Will send copy of cancelled check after the first of January.

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