Administration of Campaign Finance, Conflict of Interest & Lobbying Laws



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## **GOVERNMENTAL ETHICS COMMISSION**

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Kathy Meyer Treasurer for Nikki McDonald 15384 S Darnell Street Olathe, KS 66062 September 10, 2024

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

RE: Receipts and Expenditures Report Due July 29, 2024 (Covering the Period January 1, 2024 thru July 25, 2024)

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 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,

Karina Renna

State Campaign Finance Coordinator

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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 McDonald campaign reported receiving the following contributions:

Date	Contributor	Amount
12-23-23 06-30-24	Cheryl Schoenberg Cheryl Schoenberg	\$500 \$250 <b>\$750</b>
12-18-23 12-31-23 04-01-24 06-15-24 06-28-24 07-23-24	Jean Kasselman Jean Kasselman Jean Kasselman Jean Kasselman Jean Kasselman Jean Kasselman	\$100 \$100 \$100 \$100 \$100 \$215 <b>\$715</b>

These contributions were received during the primary election period.

Pursuant to K.S.A. 25-4153, the campaign accepted contributions in excess of the legal limit amounting to \$465. We would suggest that these contributions be refunded immediately. The return of these contributions should be noted on Schedule C (Expenditures and Other Disbursements) of the October 28, 2024 Receipts and Expenditures Report.

- 2. Schedule A (Contributions and Other Receipts) of the July 29, 2024 report lists 5 contributions that were previously reported on the January 10, 2024 report. They are reported as received in December of 2023. An amended Schedule A must be filed removing these duplicate entries from the July 29, 2024 report.
- 3. Schedule A (Contributions and Other Receipts) of the July 29, 2024 report lists a \$500 contribution received on June 25, 2024 from "Kansas Committee". An amended Schedule A must be filed reporting the complete name for the donor of this contribution.

If you have any questions, please contact this office.