



GOVERNMENTAL ETHICS COMMISSION

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Treasurer for Jeff Longbine
2040 W 12th Avenue
Emporia, KS 66801

August 1, 2013

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

RE: Receipts and Expenditures Report Due October 29, 2012
(Covering the Period July 27, 2012 thru October 25, 2012)

A review of your Receipts and Expenditures Report identified above indicates the material error(s) or omission(s) listed on the other side of this page. 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,


Carol E. Williams
Executive Director

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1. 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 the office of state senator, . . . \$1000 for each primary election . . . and an equal amount for each general election." The Longbine campaign reported receiving a \$350 contribution on 8-8-12 from Advance America, and \$750 on 11-1-12, for a total of \$1100. Both of 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 \$100. 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, 2014 Receipts and Expenditures Report.

2. According to the October 29, 2012 report filed by the Longbine campaign, the Kansas National Education Association PAC reports making a \$1000 contribution on 9-17-12 and a \$200 contribution on 10-22-12 for a total of \$1200. However, Konza Teachers PAC reports giving Jeff Longbine a \$200 contribution on 10-10-12 and the campaign does not report receiving a contribution from that PAC. Please check your records to determine the contributor of the \$200 contribution. If the check was from Konza Teachers PAC, an amended Schedule A (Contributions and Other Receipts) must be filed. If in fact the contribution was from the Kansas National Education Association PAC, the Longbine campaign accepted an excess contribution of \$200. The return of the excess contribution should be noted on Schedule C (Expenditures and Other Disbursements) of the January 10, 2014 Receipts and Expenditures Report.

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