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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 January 10, 2017 (Covering the Period October 28, 2016 thru December 31, 2016)

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,

Carol E. Williams Executive Director

- 1. The cover summary page for the January 10, 2017 report indicates \$664.41 in contributions. However, the contributions listed on Schedule A (Contributions and Other Receipts) total \$604.41. Also, the expenditures listed on Schedule C (Expenditures and Other Disbursements) total \$16,086.36, not \$16,517.40 as indicated on the cover summary page. An amended report must be filed explaining these discrepancies.
- 2. Schedule A (Contributions and Other Receipts) lists a \$394.41 contribution from Litle & Co. The full amount of the contribution received via credit card from Web-based payment processing vendors must be reported on Schedule A. The fee charged by the payment processing company is reported as an expenditure even though the campaign does not actually make a payment for these fees. Schedule A must be amended to show the full amount of the contribution from Litle & Co.

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