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

RE: Receipts and Expenditures Report Due July 25, 2016 (Covering the Period January 1, 2016 thru July 21, 2016)

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 July 25, 2016 Receipts & Expenditures Report is necessary for this error.

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 writing or calling this office.

Sincerely,

Executive Director

1. Schedule A (Contributions and Other Receipts) of the July 25, 2016 report lists the following contributions being received during the special session:

DATE	CONTRIBUTOR	AMOUNT
6-23-16	Hy-Vee, Inc.	\$1000
6-24-16	Wildcat Construction Co., Inc.	\$1000

- K.S.A. 25-4153a states that no registered lobbyist, political committee or person, other than an individual, shall make a contribution and no legislator or candidate for the legislature shall accept a contribution from a lobbyist, political committee or person, other than an individual after January 1 and prior to sine die adjournment of the regular session of the legislature or any other time the legislature is in session. These contributions were received during the time period of the special session which was June 23 and June 24, 2016. These contributions should not have been accepted and should be returned. The return of these contributions must be shown on Schedule C (Expenditures and Other Disbursements) of the October 31, 2016 report.
- 2. K.S.A. 25-4146(b) states, "No contribution or other receipt shall be received or expenditure made, by or on behalf of a candidate, except payment of a filing fee: (1) until such candidate appoints a treasurer and makes the report required to the Secretary of State..." The following contributions were received prior to the date the candidate's Appointment of Treasurer or Candidate Committee form was filed on May 16, 2016:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Name</u>	Amount
5-05-16	Greg & Beverly Buster	\$1000
5-14-16	Jane Ann Bowers	\$100

These contributions should not have been accepted. No amendment to the July 25, 2016 report is necessary for this error. This notice is being provided for informational purposes.

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