



GOVERNMENTAL ETHICS COMMISSION

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Treasurer for Dee McKee
Box 66, c/o Kansas State Bank
Manhattan, KS 66505

October 15, 2009

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

RE: Receipts and Expenditures Report Due October 27, 2008
(Covering the Period July 25, 2008 thru October 23, 2008)

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 (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

AND

The Candidate's
Home County Election
Officer

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. K.S.A. 25-4154 (c) states “The aggregate of contributions for which the name and address of the contributor is not reported under K.S.A. 25-4148 shall not exceed 50% of the amount one individual (other than the candidate or spouse) may contribute to or for a candidate’s campaign.”

The October 27, 2008 report indicates there was \$325 in contributions received during the reporting period when the name of the contributor was not known. K.S.A. 25-4154 (c) sets that limit at \$250 per election cycle. If a portion of this \$325 was received during the primary election period and a portion during the general election period, a **letter of amendment** must be filed stating how much was received in each election period. If the campaign is unable to determine how much was received in each election period, the campaign accepted \$75 in illegal contributions and a donation in that amount must be made to a non-political organization (i.e., a charity). If a donation is made to a charitable organization, the disposition of the \$75 will be reported on Schedule C (Expenditures and Other Disbursements) of the January 10, 2010 Report.

2. According to the reports filed with the Secretary of State, Builders Association of Kansas PAC reports making a \$150 contribution to Dee McKee on 10-20-08. This contribution was not reported by your campaign. If this contribution was received, it must be reported on Schedule A (Contributions and Other Receipts) on the October 27, 2008 report. This error will cause the cash balance on the front page summary sheet to be incorrect. Therefore, an amended front page summary sheet must also be filed. If the campaign did not receive this contribution, please note this fact in a letter to the Commission.

3. Schedule D (Other Transactions) of the July 28, 2008 Receipts and Expenditures Report lists a loan payable totaling \$1000 to Dee McKee. This loan was not carried forward as a loan payable to the October 27, 2008 Receipts and Expenditures Report, nor is it disclosed on Schedule C (Expenditures and Other Disbursements). All loans should be listed on Schedule D (Other Transactions) until such time as they are repaid or forgiven. An amended October 27, 2008 report must be filed disclosing the disposition of this debt.

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