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<u>Notification of Failure to File</u> <u>the January 10, 2014 Lobbyist Employment and Expenditure Report</u>

According to the Secretary of State's Office, you have failed to file the Lobbyist Employment and Expenditure Report due **January 10, 2014** (covering the period September, October, November and December 2013) as required by K.S.A. 46-268. Such report, a blank copy of which is enclosed for your use, must be completed and filed within five (5) days of the date of receipt of this notice, or a civil penalty shall be imposed for each day the required report remains unfiled.

As provided by K.S.A. 46-280, you have 5 days from receiving this notice to comply with the reporting requirements before a ten dollar (\$10) per day civil penalty is imposed for each day the required report remains unfiled. No civil penalty shall exceed three hundred (\$300). Also, there are criminal penalties for intentionally failing to file. It is unlawful to lobby when a current report has not been filed or is past due. Unlawful lobbying is a class B misdemeanor.

Please file the required report within five (5) days with:

Secretary of State 1st Floor, Memorial Hall 120 SW 10th Ave Topeka, KS 66612

Your prompt attention to this notification is essential. Additional information or assistance may be obtained by writing or calling this office.

Sincerely,

Executive Director

Administration of Campaign Finance, Conflict of Interest & Lobbying Laws