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September 10, 2018

Delivered electronically to "elect@saviopham.com"

Subject: PDC Case 37534

Dear Savio Pham:

Below is a copy of an electronic letter sent to Winston Kelly concerning a complaint filed with the Public Disclosure Commission (PDC).

As noted below to Winston Kelly, the PDC will not be conducting a more formal investigation into these allegations or taking further enforcement action in this matter

If you have questions, you may contact Micaiah Ragins at 1-360-586-4555 toll-free at 1-877-601-2828, or by e-mail at micaiah.ragins@pdc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

/s _____
Micaiah Ragins
Compliance Coordinator

Endorsed by,

/s _____
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Delivered electronically to "winkelly@uw.edu"

Subject: Complaint regarding Savio Pham, PDC Case 37534

Dear Winston Kelly:

The Public Disclosure Commission (PDC) has completed its initial review of the complaint you filed on June 28, 2018. Your complaint alleged that Savio Pham may have violated RCW 42.17A.235 by failing to accurately and timely report contributions and expenditures.

PDC staff reviewed your allegations, and as a result of staff's initial review, we found the following:

- On July 17, 2018, Savio Pham filed a Summary Full Campaign Contributions and Expenditures Report (C-4 report) for the 2018 election cycle to disclose \$17,798.00 in contributions and \$4,929.16 in expenditures for the period covering June 1, 2018 to July 16, 2018 (Report# 100845347). PDC Staff verified that the report was timely filed 21 days before the election and includes the event kickoff materials and rental fees that are identified in the complaint.
- On July 31, 2018, the Campaign filed a C-4 report disclosing \$6,043.00 in contributions and \$8,752.85 in expenditures covering the period from July 17, 2018 to July 30, 2018 (Report# 100849226). PDC Staff verified that the report was timely filed 7 days before the election and includes the online advertising and campaign expenditures that are identified in the complaint.
- The treasurer for Savio Pham stated in his response that the expenditures referred to in the complaint were made during the month of June, which were to be included on the C-4 report filed on July 17, 2018. PDC Staff verified that the campaign timely reported the expenditures

identified in the complaint on the 21-day and 7-day Pre-Primary Election C-4 Reports as required.

Based on these initial findings, staff has determined that in this instance, the requirement to timely file contribution and expenditure reports does not support a finding of a material violation warranting further investigation.

The PDC has closed the matter, and will not be conducting a more formal investigation into your complaint or pursuing further enforcement action in this case.

If you have questions, you may contact Micaiah Ragins at 1-360-586-4555 toll-free at 1-877-601-2828, or by e-mail at micaiah.ragins@pdc.wa.gov.

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