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Public Disclosure Commission Statement of Understanding

George Hurst: PDC Case 34602

GEORGE HURST, hereby acknowledge that I:

Exceeded the \$5,000 contribution limitations of the Mini Reporting option on April 4, 2017, when I accepted and deposited \$5,100 in monetary contributions received into my Campaign bank account, which included a \$5,000 candidate loan, in violation of WAC 390-16-125.

In addition, I further acknowledge that I failed to:

- Timely file an amended Candidate Registration (C-1 report) for my 2017 campaign for election to Mayor for the City of Lynnwood, changing my filing status from the Mini Reporting Option to the Full Reporting option, in violation of RCW 42.17A.205.
- Timely file Monetary Contribution reports (C-3 reports) and Summary Campaign Contribution and
 Expenditure reports (C-4 reports) for my 2017 campaign for election to Mayor for the City of Lynnwood as
 required for a candidate required to be under the Full Reporting option, in violation of RCW 42.17A.235
 and .240.
- I, George Hurst, would like to avoid the time and expense resulting from a Brief Adjudicative Proceeding (Brief Enforcement Hearing) being scheduled by Public Disclosure Commission (PDC) staff. Therefore, in lieu of PDC staff scheduling a Brief Enforcement Hearing, I am completing this Statement of Understanding, and enclosing a check or money order in the amount of \$300 as a penalty payment to resolve this matter as a candidate for public office.

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The \$300 penalty being assessed, includes a \$150 penalty in accordance with the Penalty Schedule adopted by the Commission for Brief Enforcement Hearings set forth in WAC 390-37-143, for each of the following acknowledged violations:

- 1. RCW 42.17A.205 for failing to timely file an amended C-1 report changing to the Full Reporting option.
- 2. RCW 42.17A.235 and .240 for failing to timely file C-3 reports disclosing monetary contributions received, and C-4 reports disclosing contribution and expenditure activities.

I understand that by completing this Statement of Understanding, I am acknowledging the violations of RCW 42.17A and WAC 390 set forth above, and I am waiving my right to a hearing in this matter. I further understand that this will resolve the issue of my exceeding the Mini Reporting option for the 2017 election cycle.

George Hurst

Date Signed

Please make your check or money order payable to the "Washington State Treasurer" and be sure to include the PDC Case number in the memorandum field, and mail or deliver this Statement of Understanding along with your payment to:

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