

Subject: Re: PDC - Truth for Washington: Alleged violation of RCW 42.17A.270 for failure to report earmarked contributions for Candidate Caldier opposition ad purchased on behalf of Candidate Boss campaign. (EY 18; Jul 18)

Description:

Hello Tabatha Blacksmith,

Please find attached our response to PDC Case Number 39125

I would like to note that the project that Mr. Yates is referencing was not in support of Randy Boss nor did his campaign ever have any influence in the creation of that project. We specifically did not communicate with him nor anyone else we knew to be a member of his campaign committee with relation to the ad. If they ever saw it they saw it at the same time the rest of the Comcast viewers saw it.

I also observed that Mr. Yates included several emails in the complaint that appear to have come from a personal email account that could not have been his. I can't help wondering if they haven't been obtained and shared in violation of RCW 9.73.030

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at

253-630-5296

Or email me

Orin Wells

On 8/10/2018 4:07 PM, PDC Support wrote:

Hello Truth for Washington,

The Public Disclosure Commission received a complaint from Joe Yates, which has been assigned PDC Case Number 39125. The Complaint alleges the following:

- Allegation: Alleged violation of RCW 42.17A.270 for failure to report earmarked contributions for Candidate Caldier opposition ad purchased on behalf of Candidate Boss campaign.

Please review the attached complaint and provide your response by **August 24, 2018**.

For more information about the enforcement process, please see our [Enforcement Guide](#).

If you have any questions, please reply to this email.

Thank you,

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