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November 14, 2018

Delivered electronically to Danielle Franco-Malone, attorney with Schwerin, Campbell, Barnard, Iglitzin & Lavitt, LLP on behalf of the client NARAL Pro-Choice Washington PAC at "franco@workerlaw.com"

Subject: PDC Case 34202

Dear Danielle Franco-Malone:

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

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

PDC staff is reminding you about the importance of the timely disclosure of all contribution and expenditure activities, specifically those occurring during the accelerated reporting schedule prior to and after any election in which NARAL Pro-Choice Washington PAC is participating.

If you have questions, you may contact Jennifer Hansen at 1-360-586-4560 toll-free at 1-877-601-2828, or by e-mail jennifer.hansen@pdc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,
/s
Jennifer Hansen
Compliance Officer
Endorsed by,
/s
Barbara Sandahl
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For Peter Lavallee

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Subject: Complaint regarding NARAL Pro-Choice Washington PAC, PDC Case 34202

Dear Glen Morgan:

The Public Disclosure Commission (PDC) has completed its review of the complaint you filed on April 10, 2018. Your complaint alleged that NARAL Pro-Choice Washington PAC may have violated RCW 42.17A.235, .265, .205, .220, .320, .255 for failure to timely and accurately disclose contributions, expenditures, books of account, committee registration, and sponsor ID.

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

- No evidence was provided to substantiate any allegations outside of late filing of C-3 and C-4 reports in violation of RCW 42.17A.235.
- The majority of the alleged violations were found for voluntarily filed C-3 reports disclosing deposits of bank interest and amended C-4 reports disclosing small expenditures.
- NARAL Pro-Choice Washington PAC admits to filing a small number of C-3 and C-4 reports late including six C-3 reports disclosing \$1,155 in deposits filed between 7 and 67 days late.

Based on these findings, staff has determined that in this instance, failure to timely file a small number of C-3 and C-4 reports covering minor activity, does not amount to an actual material violation warranting further investigation. PDC staff is reminding NARAL Pro-Choice Washington PAC about the importance of the timely disclosure of all contribution and expenditure activities, specifically those occurring during the accelerated reporting schedule prior to and after any election in which the committee is participating.

Based on this information, the PDC has dismissed this matter in accordance with RCW 42.17A.755(1), 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 Jennifer Hansen at 1-360-586-4560 toll-free at 1-877-601-2828, or by e-mail at jennifer.hansen@pdc.wa.gov.

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cc: Danielle Franco-Malone, on behalf of the client NARAL Pro-Choice Washington PAC