

State of Washington PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION

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September 18, 2023 **PDC Case Number: 136406**

Avrum Alex Tsimerman 14150 NE 20TH ST. Bldg. F1 Apt 258 Bellevue, WA 98007

Also sent electronically to Avrum (Alex) Tsimerman at standup@AlexforAmerica.com

AMENDED ENFORCEMENT HEARING NOTICE

Respondent: Avrum (Alex) Tsimerman Hearing/meeting date: Thursday, September 28, 2023

Time: 11:00 AM

Place: Remotely from Olympia/Live Audio/Online Transmission

Presiding Officer: The Public Disclosure Commission

Authority: RCW 42.17A.105, 42.17A.110 and 42.17A.755

On the above date, the Public Disclosure Commission (PDC) will hold an enforcement hearing concerning the allegations that you, Avrum (Alex) Tsimerman, violated RCW 42.17A.235 and .240 by failing to timely and accurately file Cash Receipts Monetary Contributions (C-3) and Summary, Full Report Receipts and Expenditures (C-4) reports, as required by law. Staff will provide you with a Notice of Administrative Charges no later than September 14, 2023.

The Commission is scheduled to hold a hearing on the allegations to determine if violations occurred, and if appropriate, assess a penalty. The hearing will be conducted in accordance with WAC 390-37-100. The Commission may also determine if it wishes to accept a Stipulation (informal settlement) by the parties as to the facts and violations, or facts, violations, and penalties if such a stipulation is proposed by the parties. *See* WAC 390-37-090. The

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Commission has the authority to assess a civil penalty in accordance with <u>WAC 390-37-182</u>, the Enforcement Hearing Penalty Schedule adopted by the Commission.

The Public Disclosure Commission recommends that respondents personally appear at the hearing whenever possible. PDC staff or its legal counsel will present this matter to the Commission.

Regardless of whether you attend the hearing, you may submit evidence on your own behalf or in mitigation no later than **1:00 p.m.** on **Wednesday**, **September 20**, **2023**, for review by the Commission members. You may do so in writing to the Chair, Public Disclosure Commission, P.O. Box 40908, Olympia, WA 98504-0908, or by email at pdc@pdc.wa.gov. If you submit such evidence by postal mail, please also submit it via email.

If you have questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (360) 586-2869 or by email at erick.agina@pdc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

/s/ Erick O. Agina

Erick O. Agina Compliance Officer Public Disclosure Commission

cc: Susie Giles-Klein, Assistant Attorney General Chad Standifer, Assistant Attorney General



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PARTICIPATING VIA MICROSOFT TEAMS

The Enforcement Hearing will be audio and video recorded. The Commissioners and PDC staff will join the meeting in-person or remotely via Microsoft Teams videoconferencing platform.

Anyone wishing to participate in the hearing remotely must follow the instructions below and join the meeting on a computer or mobile app **promptly at 1:00 PM on <u>Thursday</u>**, <u>September 28, 2023</u>. Please remain in the meeting until the Presiding Officer calls your name and case number.

Please note that you must stay muted at all times except while your case is being heard.

Join on your computer or mobile app:

Click here to join the meeting

If you are unable to use Microsoft Teams or experience technical difficulties, please call the PDC's main number 360-753-1111 to obtain information regarding alternate participation by telephone.

INTERPRETER

If a party or witness to this proceeding speaks limited English or is hearing-impaired, and needs an interpreter, a qualified interpreter will be appointed at no cost to you. Please inform us at least five business days before the hearing, or no later than **Thursday**, **September 21**, **2023**, if you require an interpreter for this proceeding and/or translation of its written materials in a language other than English. Please contact us by email at pdc@pdc.wa.gov or call us at (360) 753-1111 or 877-601-2828 to request an interpreter.

SUBMITTING WRITTEN MATERIALS AND EXHIBITS

In advance of the Enforcement Hearing, you may provide a written response describing the facts of your case for consideration by the Commission, including any circumstances or mitigating factors you would like considered, along with supporting exhibits. Please submit your written response so it is received by no later than 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 20, 2023.

SUBMITTING C-1 and F-1 REPORTS

You are encouraged to complete and submit your C-3 and C-4 reports online prior to the Enforcement Hearing so it is received no later than <u>Thursday</u>, <u>September 21</u>, <u>2023</u>.

If you have any questions about the hearing process prior to the hearing date, please contact PDC Staff by email at pdc.wa.gov – and be sure to reference your case number in the subject line of the email.

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Sincerely,

PDC Staff Compliance and Enforcement Division



Enclosures

• PDC Penalty Schedule (link)