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October 17, 2024

Delivered electronically to pauleyforkpud@gmail.com.

Subject: Complaint filed by Conner Edwards, PDC Case 159740

Dear Heather Pauley:

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

As noted in the letter to Conner Edwards, the PDC has dismissed this matter in accordance with WAC 390-37-060 and will not conduct a more formal investigation into these allegations or take further enforcement action in this matter.

If you have questions, you may contact Colin Peeples at 1-360-753-1111 toll-free at 1-877-601-2828, or by e-mail at pdc@pdc.wa.gov.

Sincerely, Endorsed by,

Electronically signed by Colin Peeples
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Subject: Complaint regarding Heather Pauley, PDC Case 159740

Dear Conner Edwards:

The Public Disclosure Commission (PDC) has completed its review of the complaint you filed on August 1, 2024. The complaint alleged that:

• Violations of RCW 42.17A.235 & .240 for failure to timely file required expenditure (C-4) Reports.

PDC staff reviewed the allegations; the applicable statutes, rules, and reporting requirements; the applicable PDC reports filed by the Respondent; and other relevant information to determine whether the record supports a finding of one or more violations.

Based on staff's review, we found the following:

• Heather Pauley the Respondent) filed the 7-day expenditure (C-4) report 2 days late, but was otherwise substantially compliant.

Any violation that may have occurred was minor and has been cured. After consideration of the circumstances, further proceedings would not serve the purposes of this chapter. Under WAC 390-37-060, the executive director, at any time prior to consideration by the commission, may dismiss a complaint which on its face, or as shown by investigation, provides reason to believe that a violation has occurred, but also shows that the respondent is in substantial compliance with the relevant statutes or rules, or shows that formal enforcement action is not warranted.

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cc: Heather Pauley