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## **VIA EMAIL**

Fox Blackhorn Compliance Coordinator Washington Public Disclosure Commission 711 Capitol Way #206 PO Box 40908 Olympia, WA 98504-0908

Re: July 19 PDC Complaint – De'Sean Quinn (3)

Dear Mr. Blackhorn,

I am writing in response to the most recent complaint filed against me by Glen Morgan on July 19, 2017.

Allegation #1, State law requires that accurate information be provided to the PDC, and makes knowingly providing false documentation to the PDC a Class C felony. RCW 42.17A.750.

What Mr. Morgan is accusing me of is something that I do not have any control over. You have copies of all the refund checks that I sent to the various entities, including the MLK Jr. County Labor Council.

I sent check #1098 to the MLK Jr. County Labor Council on April 27, 2017. I was contacted on June 30, 2017 by the MLK Jr. County Labor Council telling me that they were unable to locate the April 27, 2017 check in the amount of \$50. Out of courtesy I reissued check #1102 to replace check #1098 and sent that check to the MLK Jr. County Labor Council on that same day – June 30, 2017. All of these checks and my bank statements were sent to you in a confidential supplemental response.

I cannot control when people cash checks. My responsibility is to make sure that the checks are written and sent or delivered. For example, the check written to the Great Wall Investment Group was written and mailed April 27, 2017 but that check was not cashed until June. This is evidenced by the June bank statement I sent to you in the confidential supplemental response. To hold me responsible for when they are cashed and saying that I have broken the law or lied is not correct. I have not provided ANY false information and have been very forthcoming and have provided all necessary and pertinent information to the Public Disclosure Commission.

Regarding the allegation related to reimbursement of my campaign Treasurer for the domain name. I would like to reiterate that the domain name remains inactive. It is also my belief that

this matter is closed pursuant to the June 7, 2017 Formal Written Warning letter that I received from Barbara Sandahl.

## Allegation #2, Failure to breakdown expenditure

I discussed this matter with the Public Disclosure Commission and was told that I have provided the appropriate description for services on the 5/19/2017 and 6/23/2017 forms. Therefore I believe that this allegation is most at this point.

Once again, I have continued to make good faith attempts to comply with the law and I have corrected all of the mistakes that have been brought to my attention immediately as I have become aware of them. I believe I have been extremely forthcoming in acknowledging my mistakes and have made every effort to correct them. I have been diligent in communicating with and seeking the assistance of the PDC staff to correct and amend my campaign reports. Nothing I have done has been done with any ill intent or any attempt to deceive.

I trust that I have satisfied your request and would make myself available to provide more information it is important to me to comply with not only the PDC.

Sincerely,

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