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## Public Disclosure Commission Statement of Understanding

William Peach: PDC Case 40612 and 40731

I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, hereby acknowledge that: (Printed Name of Respondent)

I failed to timely file a Monetary Contribution report (C-3 report) and three Summary Full Campaign Expenditure reports (C-4 reports) for my 2018 Campaign for Clallam County Commissioner, in violation of RCW 42.17A.235, as follows:

- Failure to timely file a C-3 report: On August 3, 2018, the Committee to Elect Bill Peach (Campaign) filed a C-3 report disclosing that I loaned the Campaign \$20,000 on May 16, 2018. The disclosure of the \$20,000 loan was required to be reported by June 11, 2018, and therefore the C-3 report was filed 53 days late, and four days prior to the August 7, 2018 primary election. The \$20,000 represented 84.5 percent of all contributions received by the Campaign as of November 14, 2018.
- Failure to timely file three C-4 reports: On September 19, 2018, the Campaign filed three late primary election C-4 reports. (1) The 21-Day Pre-Primary Election C-4 report, due to be filed on July 17, 2018, disclosed \$825 in expenditures made; (2) The 7-Day Primary Election C-4 report, due to be filed on July 31, 2018, disclosed \$2,688 in expenditures made; and (3) The Post-Primary Election C-4 report, due to be filed on September 10, 2018, disclosed \$7,457 in expenditures made.

I would like to avoid the time and expense resulting from a Brief Adjudicative Proceeding (Brief Enforcement Hearing) being scheduled by Public Disclosure Commission (PDC) staff.

Therefore, in lieu of PDC staff scheduling a Brief Enforcement Hearing, I am completing this Statement of Understanding, and enclosing a check or money order in the amount of \$600 as a penalty payment in this matter.

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The \$600 penalty being assessed, includes a \$150 penalty in accordance with the Penalty Schedule adopted by the Commission for Brief Enforcement Hearings set forth in WAC 390-37-143, for each of the following acknowledged violations:

- 1. One violation of RCW 42.17A.235 for failing to timely file a C-3 report disclosing a \$20,000 candidate loan to my Campaign.
- 2. Three violations of RCW 42.17A.235 for failing to timely file the 21-Day and 7-Day Pre-Primary Election C-4 reports, and the Post-Primary Election C-4 report.

I understand that by completing this Statement of Understanding, I am acknowledging the violations of Chapter 42.17A RCW and Title 390 WAC set forth above, and I am waiving my right to a hearing in this matter. I further understand that this will resolve the issue of my failing to timely file C-3 and C-4 reports for the 2018 election cycle.

William Peach

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Please make your check or money order payable to the "Washington State Treasurer" and be sure to include the PDC Case number in the memorandum field, and mail or deliver this Statement of Understanding along with your payment to:

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