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May 3, 2018

Delivered electronically to “vincent@vincentbuys.com”

Subject: PDC Case 30692

Dear Vincent Buys:

Below is a copy of an electronic letter sent to Washington State Democratic Party concerning a complaint filed with the Public Disclosure Commission (PDC).

As noted below to Washington State Democratic Party, 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, including the filing fee, and the timely filings of all future PDC reports, including C-3 and C-4 reports.

If you have questions, you may contact Fox Blackhorn at 1-360-753-1980 toll-free at 1-877-601-2828, or by e-mail at fox.blackhorn@pdcc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

/s _____
Fox Blackhorn
Compliance Coordinator 2

Endorsed by,

/s _____
Barbara Sandahl
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May 3, 2018

Delivered electronically to “iglitzin@workerlaw.com”

Subject: Complaint regarding Vincent Buys, PDC Case 30692

Dear Washington State Democrats:

The Public Disclosure Commission (PDC) has completed its initial review of the complaint you filed on January 31, 2018. Your complaint alleged that Vincent Buys may have violated RCW 42.17A.235 for failure to timely report contributions and expenditures.

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

- Vincent Buys failed to timely file reports of contributions and expenditures in violation of RCW 42.17A.235.
- The late-filed reports were filed shortly after the due-date, were isolated in nature, and small in proportion to the number of timely filed reports.
- Vincent Buys has no prior found violations of PDC laws or rules.

Based on these initial findings, staff has determined that in this instance, failure to timely file reports of contributions and expenditures does not amount to, a material violation warranting further investigation.

PDC staff is reminding Vincent Buys about the importance of the timely disclosure of all contribution and expenditure activities, including the filing fee, and the timely filings of all future PDC reports, including C-3 and C-4 reports.

The PDC has closed the matter, 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 Fox Blackhorn at 1-360-753-1980 toll-free at 1-877-601-2828, or by e-mail at fox.blackhorn@pdc.wa.gov.

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