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May 3, 2018

Delivered electronically to “krystal4burien@gmail.com”

Subject: PDC Case 25503

Dear Krystal Marx:

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

As noted below to Glen Morgan, 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 properly disclosing Sponsor ID on all political advertising. PDC staff expects that you will comply with all disclosure requirements for political advertising in the future.

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 _____
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Endorsed by,

/s _____
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May 3, 2018

Delivered electronically to “glenmorgan89@gmail.com”

Subject: Complaint regarding Krystal Marx, PDC Case 25503

Dear Glen Morgan:

The Public Disclosure Commission (PDC) has completed its initial review of the complaint you filed on September 27, 2017. Your complaint alleged that Krystal Marx may have violated RCW 42.17A.235 for failure to timely file C-4 for month of April, and RCW 42.17.320 for failure to include Sponsor ID on website and Facebook.

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

- Krystal Marx timely filed a C-4 report covering activity in the month of April on May 10, 2017, in accordance with RCW 42.17A.235.
- Krystal Marx operated a campaign website that substantially complied with the sponsor identification requirements of RCW 42.17A.320, yet failed to include the address on the main page of her website.
- Krystal Marx is a first-time candidate, with a relatively unsophisticated campaign, relatively modest contributions and expenditures, with no prior found violations of PDC requirements. WAC 390-37-061.

Based on these initial findings, staff has determined that in this instance, failure to adequately report Sponsor ID does not amount to a material violation warranting further investigation.

PDC staff is reminding Krystal Marx about the importance of properly disclosing Sponsor ID on all political advertising. PDC staff expects that Krystal Marx will comply with all disclosure requirements for political advertising in the future.

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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cc: Krystal Marx