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Public Disclosure Commission Statement of Understanding

International Association of Machinists Lodge W38 and

International Association of Machinists Lodge W24

PDC Case 56888

I RICK SIMPSON, PRESIDENT, as an Officer of the International Association of
(Printed Name of Officer for Respondent) of Machinists Lodge W38 (IAM Lodge W38), and
I Wayne Thompson, ADBR, as an Officer of the International Association of
(Printed Name of Officer for Respondent) Machinists Lodge W24 (IAM Lodge W24), hereby
acknowledge that IAM Lodge W38 and IAM Lodge W24:

Failed to timely file Independent Expenditure reports (C-6 reports) disclosing independent expenditures for legal fees in opposition to the City of Shelton Propositions 1 and 2, in violation of RCW 42.17A.255.

On October 8, 2019, IAM Lodge W38/IAM Lodge W24 filed one C-6 report disclosing expenditures totaling \$10,535.95 made to the law firm of Reid, McCarthy, Ballew & Leahy, LLP in November and December 2014 and January 2015. The C-6 report filed by IAM Lodge W38/IAM Lodge W24 included, in pertinent part, the following:

1. On November 20, 2014, IAM Lodge W38/IAM Lodge W24 made a \$4,125 expenditure to Reid, McCarthy, Ballew & Leahy, LLP for legal services incurred in opposition to the City of Shelton Propositions 1 and 2. The November 2014 C-6 report was due to be filed no later than December 10, 2014 and was filed 1,763 days late.
2. On December 11, 2014, IAM Lodge W38/IAM Lodge W24 made a \$4,890 expenditure to Reid, McCarthy, Ballew & Leahy, LLP for legal services incurred in opposition to the City of Shelton Propositions 1 and 2. The December 2014 C-6 report was due to be filed no later than January 10, 2015 and was filed 1,732 days late.

3. On January 15, 2015, IAM Lodge W38/IAM Lodge W24 made a \$742 expenditure to Reid, McCarthy, Ballew & Leahy, LLP for legal services incurred in opposition to the City of Shelton Propositions 1 and 2. The January 2015 C-6 report was due to be filed no later than February 10, 2015 and was filed 1,701 days late.

IAM Lodge W38/IAM Lodge W24 would like to avoid the time and expense resulting from a Brief Adjudicative Proceeding (Brief Enforcement Hearing) being scheduled by the Public Disclosure Commission (PDC) staff.

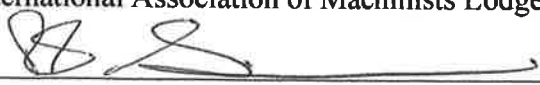
Therefore, in lieu of PDC staff scheduling a Brief Enforcement Hearing, IAM Lodge W38/IAM Lodge W24 is completing this Statement of Understanding and enclosing a check or money order in the amount of \$450 as a penalty payment to resolve this matter.

The \$450 penalty being assessed includes \$150 for the three acknowledged violations of RCW 42.17A.255 by IAM Lodge W38/IAM Lodge W24 for failing to timely file C-6 reports, in accordance with the Penalty Schedule adopted by the Commission for Brief Enforcement Hearings set forth in WAC 390-37-143.

IAM Lodge W38/IAM Lodge W24 understands that by completing this Statement of Understanding, IAM Lodge W38/IAM Lodge W24 are acknowledging violations of Chapter 42.17A RCW and Title 390 WAC as set forth above and waiving our rights to a hearing in this matter. IAM Lodge W38/IAM Lodge W24 further understands that this will resolve the issue of failing to timely file the three C-6 reports.


Wayne Thompson, Assistant Directing Business Representative,
International Association of Machinists Lodge W24

11/5/19
Date Signed


Representative, International Association of Machinists Lodge W38

11-4-19
Date Signed

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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