

[Judge Elisabeth Tutsch](#) replied

To: "PDC Support" <pdcc@pdcc.wa.gov>

Dear Ms. Townsend:

Please accept this response to the notification of the complaint and alleged violation of RCW 42.17A.235, RCW 42.17A.240 and WAC 390-16-037 and WAC 390-16-205 for insufficient descriptions of expenditures on C-4 reports.

After reviewing the appropriate legal requirements and guidance, the campaign agrees we did not include all required information. On October 30, our treasurer corrected and submitted amended C-4 reports to state the amounts of campaign material printed. On November 13, 2020 we re-submitted amended C-4 reports with additional corrections.

I apologize for the error, and will continue to review all applicable guidance and laws to avoid such errors in the future. I am a first time candidate. I made good faith efforts to comply with PDC requirements. I reviewed the PDC online training resources and worked with an accountant with PDC reporting experience. My reports contained disclosures similar to other campaigns, and none of us realized the insufficiency. We have corrected our reports and welcome the opportunity to increase awareness of the requirements.

Please advise if there is additional information necessary. We will willingly make any further corrections needed.

Sincerely,

Elisabeth Tutsch