



**State of Washington  
PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION**

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Delivered electronically to [info@pnwrstrategies.com](mailto:info@pnwrstrategies.com)

Subject: Staff-generated complaint, PDC Case 91634

Dear Coalition for a Respectful Workplace:

On June 2, 2021, the Public Disclosure Commission (PDC) notified you of an alleged violation of RCW 42.17A.630 for failure to timely file a Lobbyist Employer's Annual Report (L-3 report) disclosing lobbying activities for calendar year 2019.

PDC staff have reviewed this matter and found the following:

- The PDC received Coalition for a Respectful Workplace's L-3 report for 2019 on June 11, 2021, as required by RCW 42.17A.630. As a Lobbyist Employer, the yearly report is due by the last day of February of each following year, making your report 468 days late.
- Coalition for a Respectful Workplace completed a *Statement of Understanding* (SOU) and paid a \$100 civil penalty in accordance with WAC 390-37-143 (Brief Enforcement Penalty Schedule), acknowledging a violation of RCW 42.17A.630 for failing to timely file the Lobbyist Employer's Annual Report (L-3 report) disclosing lobbying activities for calendar year 2019. The \$100 penalty assessed resolves the allegation in this case.

Based on this information, the PDC finds that no further action is warranted and has dismissed this matter in accordance with RCW 42.17A.755(1)(a). The PDC will not conduct a more formal investigation into these allegations or take further enforcement action in this matter.

If you have questions, you may contact Tabatha Blacksmith at 1-360-753-1111, toll-free at 1-877-601-2828 or by e-mail at [pdcc@pdcc.wa.gov](mailto:pdcc@pdcc.wa.gov)

Sincerely,

Electronically signed

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Endorsed by,

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