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## Via Email

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Re: PDC Allegations Concerning Text Message Describing the Washington State Democrat Party's Platform Promoting The Chemical Castration Of Children In School.

Compliance Officer Hansen:

This letter responds to the PDC's two allegations regarding a text message sent by the Washington State Republican Party. In your email of November 19, 2024, you stated that the PDC alleged that the text message failed to include a sponsor ID, and identified that allegation as Allegation 2 in PDC Case Number 159267.<sup>1</sup> In your email of November 20, 2024, you assigned PDC Case Number 162582 to your enforcement of a complaint brought by The Washington State Democrat Party, claiming that the contents of the text message are false and defamatory.

First, the text message plainly and unequivocally identifies the sponsor in the first words:

Hola, este es Matteo del Partido Republicano del Estado de Washington.

Your incomplete translation omits the first name "Matthew," but otherwise correctly reflects that the message is plainly identified as coming from the Washington State Republican Party.

Second, the Democrat Party, through its lawyers, complains that the text message is false and defamatory. It's not at all clear what part of the message the Democrat Party considers defamatory. The message is not only true but also accurately reflects both the Democrat Party's positions and the response of the vast majority of Americans to those reprehensible policy offerings.

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<sup>1</sup> I am not, at this moment, able to identify from the email thread what constitutes Allegation 1 of Case Number 159267.

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The Democrat Party, and these three failed candidates in particular, actively promote the involvement of teachers in what the Democrat Party euphemistically refers to as “gender transitions” and “gender-affirming care.” We specifically note that not a single one of these three candidates supported I-2081, an initiative that specifically reversed Democrat Party supported laws excluding parents from gaining information about these destructive, irreversible medical experiments being foisted on their children in Washington’s public schools. And have no doubt, the administration to minors of both gonadotropin-releasing hormone agonists as well as cross-sex hormones (estrogen to males and testosterone to females) constitutes chemical castration. Indeed, the Cleveland Clinic specifically identifies administration of GnRH agonists as one of the categories of treatments falling under the broad definition of “chemical castration.”

See, e.g., <https://my.clevelandclinic.org/health/treatments/22402-chemical-castration>.

Each of these three candidates supported the direct involvement of public school officials in guiding minors to take these destructive chemicals, and simultaneously to exclude the involvement of parents in such decisions.

The three candidates also reject, as the message states, the Spanish language. They instead adopted the Ivy-League flavored conceit of “Latinx,” a made up word created in an attempt to mash Hispanic voters into a woke category that was consistent with yesterday’s Democrat Party dogma. We note that the Democrat Party has taken some baby steps to retreat from this verbal monstrosity, but only because of the drubbing it received in the 2024 general election, when Americans of all races, colors, and creeds resoundingly rejected the crazy extremism promoted by the Democrat Party and embodied by these failed candidates.

We look forward to the PDC promptly rejecting this latest attempt by the Democrat Party to use a neutral state agency as a Party-affiliated tool for harassment of its opponents. If the Democrats don’t like being called out for their most insane policy proscriptions, which have been rejected resoundingly by Americans and Washingtonians, their recourse is to adopt sanity, not complain to the PDC that their insanity is correctly identified and called out.

Yours,



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