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The Kansas Ag Communities Coalition (KACC) is providing this submission in response to the letter it received from the FEC on November 27, 2014. The FEC letter referenced a late filed 48-hour report.

At the same time it filed its 48-hour report, KACC sent a letter to FEC dated October 22, 2014. The letter explained KACC's reason for the late filing. KACC would like to reaffirm the facts stated in that letter. The letter stated:

"To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is being provided to explain the delayed 48-hour report for independent expenditures made by the Kansas Ag Communities Coalition (KACC). The Kansas Ag Communities Coalition was recently registered with the Federal Election Commission (FEC) on October 7, 2014. The attached 48-hour report for independent expenditures disseminated on October 15, 2014, is the KACC's first report as a political action committee. The KACC and its staff are new to the FEC reporting process and were not aware of the 48-hour/24-hour reporting requirements. This oversight was discovered as KACC staff were preparing its pre-general election report. The day the error was detected, KACC filed the necessary report.

It is the goal of the KACC to be transparent and provide necessary reports on time. As KACC is now aware of the 48-hour/24-hour reporting requirements, future reports will be filed in a timely manner. We apologize for the oversight."

In addition, after this initial late report, KACC began electronic filing to better assist with timely reports. At the time of the late filing, KACC had not set up its electronic filing account and ran into difficulties accessing the system, as operating instructions were difficult to decipher.
