

**FEC
FORM 1****STATEMENT OF
ORGANIZATION**

Office Use Only

1. NAME OF COMMITTEE (in full) ☐ (Check if name is changed) Example: If typing, type over the lines.

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Veterans for a Strong America Action Group

ADDRESS (number and street)

P.O. Box 1246

☐ (Check if address is changed)

Sioux Falls

CITY ▲

SD

STATE ▲

57101

ZIP CODE ▲

COMMITTEE'S E-MAIL ADDRESS

☒ (Check if address is changed)

info@vsagroup.org

Optional Second E-Mail Address

dbacker@DBCapitolStrategies.com

COMMITTEE'S WEB PAGE ADDRESS (URL)

☐ (Check if address is changed)

www.vsagroup.org

2. DATE

MM / DD / YYYY
05 / 21 / 2013

3. FEC IDENTIFICATION NUMBER ►

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4. IS THIS STATEMENT ☒ NEW (N) OR ☐ AMENDED (A)

I certify that I have examined this Statement and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete.

Type or Print Name of Treasurer Dan Backer

Signature of Treasurer Dan Backer

[Electronically Filed]

Date

MM / DD / YYYY
05 / 21 / 2013

NOTE: Submission of false, erroneous, or incomplete information may subject the person signing this Statement to the penalties of 2 U.S.C. §437g.

ANY CHANGE IN INFORMATION SHOULD BE REPORTED WITHIN 10 DAYS.

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OnlyFor further information contact:
Federal Election Commission
Toll Free 800-424-9530
Local 202-694-1100**FEC FORM 1**
(Revised 06/2012)

5. TYPE OF COMMITTEE

Candidate Committee:

- (a) ☒ This committee is a principal campaign committee. (Complete the candidate information below.)
- (b) ☐ This committee is an authorized committee, and is NOT a principal campaign committee. (Complete the candidate information below.)

Name of Candidate

Candidate
Party AffiliationOffice
Sought:

House

Senate

President

State

District

- (c) ☐ This committee supports/opposes only one candidate, and is NOT an authorized committee.

Name of
Candidate**Party Committee:**

- (d) ☐ This committee is a (National, State or subordinate) committee of the (Democratic, Republican, etc.) Party.

Political Action Committee (PAC):

- (e) ☐ This committee is a separate segregated fund. (Identify connected organization on line 6.) Its connected organization is a:
- ☐ Corporation ☐ Corporation w/o Capital Stock ☐ Labor Organization
- ☐ Membership Organization ☐ Trade Association ☐ Cooperative
- ☐ In addition, this committee is a Lobbyist/Registrant PAC.
- (f) ☐ This committee supports/opposes more than one Federal candidate, and is NOT a separate segregated fund or party committee. (i.e., nonconnected committee)
- ☐ In addition, this committee is a Lobbyist/Registrant PAC.
- ☐ In addition, this committee is a Leadership PAC. (Identify sponsor on line 6.)

Joint Fundraising Representative:

- (g) ☐ This committee collects contributions, pays fundraising expenses and disburses net proceeds for two or more political committees/organizations, at least one of which is an authorized committee of a federal candidate.
- (h) ☐ This committee collects contributions, pays fundraising expenses and disburses net proceeds for two or more political committees/organizations, none of which is an authorized committee of a federal candidate.

Committees Participating in Joint Fundraiser

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Write or Type Committee Name

Veterans for a Strong America Action Group**6. Name of Any Connected Organization, Affiliated Committee, Joint Fundraising Representative, or Leadership PAC Sponsor**

NONE

Mailing Address

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

Relationship: ☐ Connected Organization ☐ Affiliated Committee ☐ Joint Fundraising Representative ☐ Leadership PAC Sponsor**7. Custodian of Records:** Identify by name, address (phone number -- optional) and position of the person in possession of committee books and records.

Full Name Mr. Joel Arends

Mailing Address P.O. Box 1246

Sioux Falls

SD

57101

Title or Position

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

Chairman/Treasurer

Telephone number

8. Treasurer: List the name and address (phone number -- optional) of the treasurer of the committee; and the name and address of any designated agent (e.g., assistant treasurer).

Full Name of Treasurer Mr. Joel Arends

Mailing Address P.O. Box 1246

Sioux Falls

SD

57101

Title or Position

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

Chairman/Treasurer

Telephone number

Full Name of
Designated
Agent

Dan Backer

Mailing Address

209 Pennsylvania Avenue SE

Suite 2109

Washington

DC

20003

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

Title or Position

Asst. Treasurer

Telephone number

202

210

5431

9. **Banks or Other Depositories:** List all banks or other depositories in which the committee deposits funds, holds accounts, rents safety deposit boxes or maintains funds.

Name of Bank, Depository, etc.

Wells Fargo Bank, NA

Mailing Address

101 N. Phillips Ave.

Sioux Falls

SD

57104

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

Name of Bank, Depository, etc.

Mailing Address

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

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This committee intends to make independent expenditures, and consistent with the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit decision in *SpeechNow v. FEC*, it therefore intends to raise funds in unlimited amounts. This committee will not use those funds to make contributions, whether direct, in-kind, or via coordinated communications, to federal candidates or committees.

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