

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON D.C. 20463

June 2, 2009

Environment Oregon Inc. 1536 SE 11th Avenue, Suite B Portland, OR 97214

Response Due Date: July 8, 2009

Identification Number: C90010836

Reference:

FEC Form 5, dated 10/24/08

Dear Filer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the Report of Independent Expenditures Made and Contributions Received (FEC Form 5) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above. Additional information is needed for the following item:

- It appears that the 24-hour notice listed above was filed late for the following independent expenditures:

Name Date Amount Purpose Environment America Inc. 10/17/08 \$243,986.70 pro-Obama outreach

You are required to file 24-hour notices once your independent expenditures aggregate to \$1,000 or more between 20 days and 24 hours before 12:01 a.m. of the day of the election. The notice must be received at the Commission by 11:59 p.m.-Eastern Standard/Daylight Time of the day following the date on which the \$1,000 threshold is met. In the notice, you must include information for all independent expenditures that have not been previously reported. Each time you make subsequent independent expenditures relating to the same election that aggregate to \$1,000 or more, you must file another 24-hour notice disclosing these independent expenditures. (11 CFR § 109.10(d) and (e))

In addition, please be advised that you are required to disclose these independent expenditures, along with contribution and disbursement information, on Form 5 as a regularly scheduled quarterly report. (11 CFR § 109.10(b) and (e))

Please clarify the circumstances regarding the untimely disclosure of the independent expenditure(s) in question. Although the Commission may take legal or enforcement action, any response you wish to provide concerning this matter will be considered.

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1165.

Sincerely,

Rebecca Hough

Campaign Finance Analyst Reports Analysis Division

469