



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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May 15, 2017

AMERICANS FOR PROSPERITY
2111 WILSON BLVD SUITE 350
ARLINGTON, VA 22201

Response Due Date

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C90013285

06/19/2017

REFERENCE: YEAR-END REPORT (10/01/2016 - 12/31/2016)

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 3 item(s):

1. Line 7 of your FEC Form 5 filing discloses disbursements made for independent expenditure(s). However, no contributions are disclosed on Line 6, "Total Contributions." Each contributor who made a donation in excess of \$200 to further the independent expenditure(s) must be itemized on Schedule 5-A, including their identification information. Please amend your report to provide the missing information or provide clarifying information. (11 CFR §§ 109.10(e)(1)(vi) and 114.10(f))

2. It appears that 48-hour notice(s) for the attached independent expenditures was filed late. Please be advised that you are required to file 48-hour reports once you make independent expenditures aggregating \$10,000 or more with respect to a given election any time during the calendar year up to and including the 20th day before the election. The report must be received at the Commission 11:59 p.m. Eastern Standard/Daylight Time by the second day after the communication was publicly distributed or otherwise disseminated. In the report, 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 \$10,000 or more, you must file another 48-hour report disclosing these independent expenditures. (11 CFR § 109.10(c) and (e)) Please provide clarification regarding the timeliness of your 48-hour reporting for the independent expenditures in question. Further, if the date disclosed on your Form 5 was the date of payment, rather than the date of

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public dissemination or distribution, please provide the date of dissemination or distribution.

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))

3. It appears that 24-hour notice(s) for the attached independent expenditures was filed late. Please be advised that you are required to file 24-hour reports once your independent expenditures aggregate \$1,000 or more after the 20th day but more than 24 hours before 12:01 a.m. of the day of the election. The report must be received at the Commission by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Standard/Daylight Time of the day following the date on which the communication was publicly distributed or otherwise disseminated. In the report, 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 \$1,000 or more, you must file another 24-hour report disclosing these independent expenditures. (11 CFR § 109.10(d) and (e)) Please provide clarification regarding the timeliness of your 24-hour reporting for the independent expenditures in question. Further, if the date disclosed on your Form 5 was the date of payment, rather than the date of public dissemination or distribution, please provide the date of dissemination or distribution.

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))

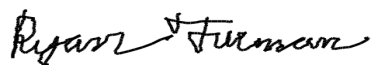
Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by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

For additional information about the report review process or specific filing information, please visit <http://www.fec.gov/rad/>. 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) 694-1151.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ryan Furman". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "R" and "F".

Ryan Furman
Sr. Campaign Finance & Reviewing Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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Late Filed 48-Hour Reports
Americans for Prosperity (C90013285)

| Name | Date | Amount | Purpose | Candidate |
|------------------------|-------------|---------------|---|------------------|
| Indianapolis Radio | 10/10/16 | \$5,000.00 | Radio Advertisement For Debate Party | Bayh, Evan |
| Innovative Advertising | 10/6/16 | \$3,730.50 | Door Hangers | Ross, Deborah K |
| Innovative Advertising | 10/6/16 | \$38,693.00 | Mailer (Ross Keeping NC Down) | Ross, Deborah K |

Late Filed 24-Hour Reports
Americans for Prosperity (C90013285)

| Name | Date | Amount | Purpose | Candidate |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|---------------|----------------|------------------|
| King Strategic Communications, Inc. | 10/22/16 | \$5,400.00 | Door Hangers | Strickland, Ted |