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Response Due Date

07/22/2024

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00420935

REFERENCE: YEAR-END REPORT (10/01/2023 - 12/31/2023)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 1 item(s):

- Schedule A supporting Line 15 discloses receipts for "Reimbursements from our bank for the 7/26/2022 & 4/20/2023 checks issued to Doug Coulter Photography" totaling \$6,999.21. These receipts appear to be related to an apparent unauthorized use of Committee funds. The Commission notes your explanation of the unauthorized activity. Please provide any additional information as it becomes available. Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding this apparent improper use of Committee funds, any further clarifying information that you can provide will be taken into consideration. (11 CFR §§ 102.9, 102.15, and 104.3)

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also 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. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.**

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mary Seiler". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Mary" written in a larger, more prominent script than the last name "Seiler".

Mary Seiler
Senior Campaign Finance Analyst