FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION
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Jami Trinidad
Candidate

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**Warning Letter: Case No. 13/1171; Jami Trinidad For Norwalk-La Mirada School Board 2013**

Dear Mr. Trinidad:

The Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC) enforces the provisions of the Political Reform Act (Act)[1]. This letter is in response to a non-filer enforcement referral from Los Angeles Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk. The FPPC has completed its investigation and found that you failed to file two semi-annual statements and pre-election statement (Form 460[2]) for the following date range periods:

- Semi-annual statement period covering January 1, 2013 - June 30, 2013 (due July 31, 2013)
- Pre-election statement period covering July 1, 2013 - September 21, 2013(due September 26, 2013)
- Semi-annual statement period covering September 21, 2013 - December 31, 2013 (due January 31, 2014)

Section 84200 provides that candidates and committees must file semi-annual and pre-election campaign statements. Your actions violated the Act because you failed to file the abovementioned statements by the specified deadline. However, since your committee does not have an enforcement history and you withdrew your candidacy for the office sought and did not appear on the ballot, we are closing your case with this warning letter. This information will be retained and may be considered should a future enforcement action become necessary.

Although the FPPC is closing its case at this time, you are still required to file all outstanding statements with Los Angeles Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk and continue filing until you officially terminate your committee. You will be responsible for any late filing fees assessed by your filing officer. (§ 91013.) If your committee is no longer active, you may want to terminate as well. Please note: any future failure to timely file your required statements will automatically be brought to our attention and will result in monetary penalties.

A warning letter is an FPPC case resolution without administrative prosecution; however, this resolution does not provide you with the opportunity for a probable cause or administrative hearing. If you wish to

[1] The Act is contained in Government Code sections 81000 through 91014. The regulations of the FPPC are contained in sections 18110 through 18997 of Title 2 of the California Code of Regulations.
[2] Electronic link to Form 460: http://www.fppc.ca.gov/forms/1-05forms/460.pdf

avail yourself of these proceedings by requesting that your case proceed with prosecution rather than a warning, please notify us within ten days from the date of this letter. Upon this notification, the FPPC will rescind this warning letter and proceed with administrative prosecution of your case. If we do not receive such notification, this warning letter will be posted on the FPPC's website.

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, contact Tracey Frazier at (916) 327-2019.

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Chief, Enforcement Division

cc: Los Angeles Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk

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