



STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION  
1102 Q Street, Suite 3000, Sacramento, CA 95811

March 3, 2022

Electrical Industry PAC  
Doug Lung, Treasurer



**Warning Letter Re: FPPC No. 2022-00217; Electrical Industry PAC, Doug Lung**

Dear Committee and Mr. Lung:

The Enforcement Division of the Fair Political Practices Commission enforces the provisions of the Political Reform Act (the “Act”).<sup>1</sup> This letter is in response to a referral from the Santa Clara County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk’s office alleging that you and the Committee failed to file the semi-annual campaign statement for period covering July 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021. The Enforcement Division has completed its review and found that you and the Committee did not timely file the semi-annual campaign statement for the period covering July 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021, by the January 31, 2022 due date.

The Act requires committees to file semi-annual campaign statements each year no later than July 31 for period ending June 30, and no later than January 31 for the period ending December 31.<sup>2</sup> The obligation to file semi-annual statements continues until the treasurer terminates the committee.

You violated the Act because you failed to file the semi-annual campaign statement by the January 31, 2022 deadline. But the Enforcement Division has decided to close this case with this warning letter rather than a fine because you and the Committee filed the missing statement after you were contacted by the Enforcement Division; it does not appear that the committee has made any recent contributions or independent expenditures to support or oppose candidates or ballot measures; and, you have no prior recent Enforcement history.

This letter serves as a written warning. The information in this matter will be retained and may be considered should an enforcement action become necessary based on newly discovered information or future conduct. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act in the future will result in monetary penalties of up to \$5,000 for each violation.

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<sup>1</sup> The Political Reform Act is contained in Government Code sections 81000 through 91014, and all statutory references are to this code.

<sup>2</sup> Section 84200.

A warning letter is an Enforcement Division case resolution without administrative prosecution or fine. The Commission has adopted Regulation 18360.1 to authorize the Enforcement Division to issue warning letters to conclude cases in specified circumstances. However, the warning letter resolution does not provide you with the opportunity for a probable cause hearing or hearing before an Administrative Law Judge or the Commission. If you wish to avail yourself of these proceedings by requesting that your case proceed with prosecution rather than a warning, please notify us within ten (10) days from the date of this letter. Upon this notification, the Enforcement Division will rescind this warning letter and proceed with administrative prosecution of this case. If we do not receive such notification, this warning letter will be posted on the Commission's website ten (10) days from the date of this letter. Please feel free to contact Laura Mandler at [lmandler@fppc.ca.gov](mailto:lmandler@fppc.ca.gov) with any questions you may have regarding this letter.

Sincerely,

*Angela J. Brereton*

Angela J. Brereton, Chief  
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