



STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION
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Aisha Wahab for Senate 2022

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Via e-mail: wahab2022@deaneandcompany.com

No Action Closure Letter re: FPPC Case No. 2023-00632; Aisha Wahab for Senate 2022

Dear Committee and Aisha Wahab,

The Enforcement Division of the Fair Political Practices Commission (“Commission”) enforces the provisions of the Political Reform Act (the “Act”).¹ This letter is in response to an anonymous complaint submitted to the Enforcement Division of the Fair Political Practices Commission alleging that you did not properly disclose occupation and employer information for several individual contributors. The Enforcement Division has completed its review of the facts in this case, and is closing this matter with no further action.

The Act provides that campaign statements filed by a committee must contain specific information.² Section 84211(f) requires that if a contribution of \$100 or more is received from a person, the committee’s campaign statement must include that person’s full name and street address. For contributions received from an individual, the individual’s occupation and employer must also be disclosed. The Commission has advised that, for purposes of these disclosure requirements, committees may rely on the information provided by the contributor so long as it is not incomplete, and the committee has no reason to believe the information is inaccurate.³

You disclosed occupation and employer information based on information provided by the contributors, and it did not appear to be incomplete or inaccurate. However, after the Enforcement Division notified you about the complaint, you contacted the relevant contributors to seek clarification regarding their employers. Based on the updated information you received, you filed amendments to clarify employer information for those contributors. For these reasons, the allegations have been disproven, and we are closing this matter without further action. If you have any questions, please contact Tara Stock at tstock@fppc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Christopher B. Burton

Christopher B. Burton, Acting Chief
Enforcement Division

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¹ The Political Reform Act is contained in Government Code sections 81000 through 91014, and all statutory references are to this code. The regulations of the Fair Political Practices Commission are contained in Sections 18104 through 18998 of Title 2 of the California Code of Regulations, and all regulatory references are to this source.

² Section 84211.

³ Warren Advice Letter, No. I-07-152.