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**From:** Kurt Young  
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**Subject:** Cancellation of Brief Enforcement Hearing for Jean Thomas: PDC Case No. 10-042

Ms. Rohs:

This e-mail is in response to your conversations with PDC staff and the electronic messages you sent to the PDC regarding the Brief Enforcement Hearing for PDC Case No. 10-042. The Brief Enforcement Hearing for PDC Case No. 10-042, involving the 2009 Jean Thomas campaign has been cancelled.

The hearing was cancelled due to several mitigating factors such as: 1) Ms. Thomas was a first-time candidate seeking public office; 2) the 21-day Pre-General C-4 report was only filed six days late but more than two weeks prior to the general election being held so the information was available for public review; and 3) the campaign substantially complied with the C-3 and C-4 filing requirements.

In addition we also weighed the additional mitigating factors stated in your e-mail, PDC staff is closing PDC Case No. 10-042 administratively. Although we determined that the late filing of the 21-day Pre-General Election C-4 report did not rise to the level of enforcement action, we are cautioning the Jean Thomas campaign to timely file all future reports of contribution and expenditure activities, should Ms. Thomas decide to file as a candidate in the future.

Thanks for the e-mail and your participation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Kurt Young  
PDC Compliance Officer