



STATE OF WASHINGTON

PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

Greg Flemming  
16500 North Sagewood  
Nine Mile Falls WA 99026

In Re Compliance with RCW 42.17A

Greg Flemming

Respondent.

PDC Case No. 13-174

Findings of Fact,  
Conclusions of Law, and  
**Order Imposing Fine**

A brief enforcement hearing (brief adjudicative proceeding) was held August 1, 2013, in Room 206, Evergreen Plaza Building, 711 Capitol Way, Olympia, Washington to consider whether the Respondent violated RCW 42.17A.205 by failing to timely file the Candidate Registration (C-1 report), which was due to be filed within two weeks of the date the Respondent became a candidate in 2013.

The hearing was held in accordance with Chapters 34.05 and 42.17A RCW and Chapter 390-37 WAC. A brief enforcement hearing notice was sent to Greg Flemming on July 18, 2013. Commission Chair Amit Ranade was the Presiding Officer. The Commission staff was represented by Kurt Young, Compliance Officer. The Respondent participated by telephone and provided sworn testimony to the Presiding Officer at the hearing.

Having considered the evidence, the Presiding Officer finds as follows:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The Respondent is an incumbent School Director in the Nine Mile Falls School District, and a candidate for re-election to that office in 2013.
2. As a candidate, the Respondent was required to file a C-1 report within two weeks of the date the Respondent filed a declaration of candidacy, or no later than May 31, 2013.
3. The Respondent filed the missing C-1 report on July 20, 2013, prior to the date of the hearing.
4. The Respondent stipulated to a violation of RCW 42.17.040 for failing to timely file a C-1 report in PDC Case No. 06-100 for the 2005 election cycle, and paid a \$100 penalty.



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5. The Respondent stated that he knew he had filed his F-1 report earlier in 2013, but since the C-1 report is not required every year, he did not pay attention to the PDC correspondence until he received the July 18, 2013 hearing notice. He stated that once he received the hearing notice, he promptly filed the missing C-1 report.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Based on the above facts, as a matter of law, the Presiding Officer concludes as follows:

1. This matter was duly and properly convened and all jurisdictional, substantive and procedural requirements have been satisfied.
2. The Respondent violated RCW 42.17A.205 by failing to timely file the C-1 report, which was due to be filed no later than May 31, 2013.

ORDER

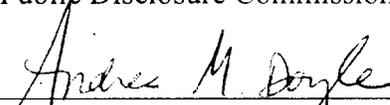
ON the basis of the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Respondent is assessed a civil penalty of \$200 in accordance with the penalty schedule set forth in WAC 390-37-165, that is payable within 30 days of the date of this order.**

This is an **Initial Order** of the Public Disclosure Commission.

Entered this 14 day of August, 2013.

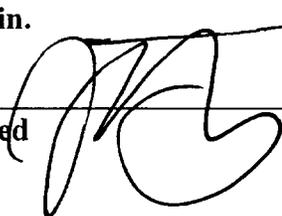
Public Disclosure Commission

  
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Andrea McNamara Doyle  
Executive Director

Enclosure: Information about Appeal Rights

I, Jacob Berkay, certify that I mailed a copy of this order to the Respondent(s) at his/her/its respective address, postage pre-paid, on the date stated herein.

Signed



Date

8/14/13