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This email is to notify you that on December 1, 2015, the Washington State Public Disclosure Commission received the attached complaint from Robert Howell, alleging political advertising and campaign disclosure violations under RCW 42.17A. The complaint did not include usable evidence. In the month following receipt of the complaint, no additional evidence was provided in response to PDC staff's requests.

Without evidence of a material violation of our chapter of law, PDC staff is unable to process complaints filed with the agency. Accordingly, we are taking no action on Mr. Howell's complaint, and have closed our file on the matter.

If in the future PDC staff receives evidence of possible violations similar to those alleged in Mr. Howell's complaint, the evidence will be reviewed and may result in a formal investigation.

Thank you for your attention to this. Please reply to this email or contact me at (360) 586-1042 if you have questions.

Sincerely,

Tony Perkins

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