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REPORTS ANALYSIS DIVISION REFERRAL

TO

ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION OFFICE

DATE: November 14, 2023

ANALYST: Jeremiah Hempel

I. COMMITTEE: Right Women PAC

C00718841

Thomas Datwyler, Treasurer

P.O. BOX 183 Hudson, WI 54016

II. RELEVANT STATUTE: 52 U.S.C. § 30104(g)(2)

11 C.F.R. § 104.4(b)(2)

III. BACKGROUND:

Failure to Provide Supporting Schedules (Failure to Timely File 48-Hour Report)

Right Women PAC ("the Committee") failed to timely file one (1) 48-Hour Report totaling \$191,871.13 to support one (1) independent expenditure originally disclosed on the 2022 September Monthly Report, received September 20, 2022, made up to and including the 20th day before the 2022 General Election (Attachment 1).

On September 20, 2022, the Committee filed its <u>2022 September Monthly Report</u>, covering the period from August 1, 2022 through August 31, 2022. The report included a <u>Schedule E (Itemized Independent Expenditures)</u> disclosing three (3) independent expenditures, totaling \$316,982.73, made in support of two (2) federal candidates.

On October 31, 2022, a <u>Request for Additional Information (RFAI)</u> was sent to the Committee referencing the 2022 September Monthly Report. The RFAI noted that the Committee may have failed to file one (1) or more of the required 48-Hour Reports of independent expenditures. A chart was included with the RFAI identifying one (1) independent expenditure totaling \$191,871.13, for which a 48-Hour Report had not been filed.

On November 14, 2022, the Committee filed one (1) <u>48-Hour Report</u> to support two (2) independent expenditures, totaling \$294,048.63, disseminated on September 7,

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2022. The 48-Hour Report included the independent expenditure totaling \$191,871.13 questioned in the October 31, 2022 RFAI.

On March 21, 2023, the Committee filed an <u>Amended 2022 September Monthly Report</u> which disclosed the independent expenditure entry on Line 21b (Other Federal Operating Expenditures) and removed the entry from Line 24 (Independent Expenditures). That same day, the Committee also filed an <u>Amended 2022 October Monthly Report</u> disclosing the independent expenditure in question as a negative entry on Line 21b and a positive entry on Line 24.

Since February 23, 2023, the Reports Analysis Division (RAD) logged six (6) communications with a representative of the Committee which reflect efforts to help the Committee voluntarily comply with the Act regarding the matter referenced above. RAD was able to connect with the Committee on two (2) of these occasions and notified Thomas Datwyler, the Committee's Treasurer, that the Committee could be referred to another Commission office for further review. RAD advised the Committee to file an FEC Form 99 (Miscellaneous Electronic Submission) with any clarifying information for the public record (Attachment 2). To date, no further communications have been received from the Committee regarding this matter.

Filings and correspondence related to the Committee can be found here: <u>Right</u> Women PAC.

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48-Hour Report Not Timely Filed

Name of Payee	Date of Dissemination (Schedule E)	Expenditure Amount	Candidate	Election	48-Hour Report Received
Ring	9/7/2022	\$191,871.13	Stella Yvette	2022	11/14/2022
Limited		48-Hour Report	Herrell	General	
		Required		(11/8/2022)	