### STATE OF FLORIDA FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION

In Re:	Laborers 517 Political League	Case No.:	FEC 16-684

**TO:** Laborers 517 Political League

David Brier, Chair 580 Irene Street Orlando, FL 32805 Division of Elections 500 S Bronough Street, Room 316 Tallahassee, FL 32399

### **NOTICE OF HEARING (AUTOMATIC FINE)**

A hearing will be held in this case before the Florida Elections Commission on, **February 28, 2017 at 11:00 am,** or as soon thereafter as the parties can be heard, at the following location: **Senate Office Building, 404 South Monroe Street, Room 110-S. Tallahassee. Florida 32399** 

Failure to appear in accordance with this notice will constitute a waiver of your right to participate in the hearing. Continuances will be granted only upon a showing of good cause.

This hearing will be conducted pursuant to Section 106.25, Florida Statutes, which governs your participation as follows:

**If you are the Respondent**, you may attend the hearing, and you or your attorney will have 5 minutes to present your case to the Commission. However, some cases (including those in which consent orders or recommendations for no probable cause are being considered) may be decided by an *en masse* vote and, unless you request to be heard or the Commission requests that your case be considered separately on the day of the hearing, your case will *not* be individually heard.

**If you are the Complainant**, you may attend the hearing, but you will *not* be permitted to address the Commission. In addition, some cases (including those in which consent orders or recommendations for no probable cause are being considered) may be decided by an *en masse* vote and, unless the Respondent requests to be heard or the Commission requests that the case be considered separately on the day of the hearing, the case will *not* be individually heard.

**If you are an Appellant**, and you have requested a hearing, you may attend the hearing, and you or your attorney will have 5 *minutes* to present your case to the Commission.

Please be advised that both confidential and public cases are scheduled to be heard by the Florida Elections Commission on this date. As an Appellant, Respondent or Complainant in one case, you will *not* be permitted to attend the hearings on other confidential cases.

The Commission will electronically record the meeting. Although the Commission's recording is considered the official record of the hearing, the Respondent may provide, at his own expense, a certified court reporter to also record the hearing.

If you require an accommodation due to a disability, contact Donna Ann Malphurs at (850) 922-4539 or by mail at 107 West Gaines Street, The Collins Building, Suite 224, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, at least 5 days before the hearing.

See further instructions on the reverse side.

Amy McKeever Toman

Executive Director Florida Elections Commission February 13, 2017 Please refer to the information below for further instructions related to your particular hearing:

If this is a hearing to consider **an appeal from an automatic fine**, the Filing Officer has imposed a fine on you for your failure to file a campaign treasurer's report on the designated due date and, by filing an appeal, you have asked the Commission to consider either (1) that the report was in fact timely filed; or (2) that there were unusual circumstances that excused the failure to file the report timely. You are required to prove your case. If the Commission finds that the report was filed timely or that there were unusual circumstances that excused the failure, it may waive the fine, in whole or in part. The Commission may reduce a fine after considering the factors in Section 106.265, Florida Statutes. If the Commission finds that the report was not timely filed and there were no unusual circumstances, the fine will be upheld.

If this is a hearing to consider a **consent order before a determination of probable cause has been made**, the Commission will decide whether to accept or reject the consent order. If the Commission accepts the consent order, the case will be closed and become public. If the Commission rejects the consent order or does not make a decision to accept or deny the consent order, the case will remain confidential, unless confidentiality has been waived.

If this is a hearing to consider a **consent order after a determination of probable cause has been made**, the Commission will decide whether to accept or reject the consent order. If the Commission accepts the consent order, the case will be closed. If the Commission rejects the consent order or does not make a decision to accept or deny the consent order, the Respondent will be entitled to another hearing to determine if the Respondent committed the violation(s) alleged.

If this is a **probable cause hearing**, the Commission will decide if there is probable cause to believe that the Respondent committed a violation of Florida's election laws. Respondent should be prepared to explain how the staff in its recommendation incorrectly applied the law to the facts of the case. *Respondent may not testify, call others to testify, or introduce any documentary or other evidence at the probable cause hearing.* The Commission will only decide whether Respondent should be *charged* with a violation and, before the Commission determines whether a violation has occurred or a fine should be imposed, Respondent will have an opportunity for another hearing at which evidence may be introduced.

If this is an **informal hearing**, it will be conducted pursuant Sections 120.569 and 120.57(2), Florida Statutes; Chapter 28 and Commission Rule 2B-1.004, Florida Administrative Code. At the hearing, the Commission will decide whether the Respondent committed the violation(s) charged in the Order of Probable Cause. The Respondent will be permitted to testify. However, the Respondent may not call witnesses to testify.

Respondent may argue why the established facts in the Staff Recommendation do not support the violations charged in the Order of Probable Cause. At Respondent's request, the Commission may determine whether Respondent's actions in the case were willful. The Respondent may also address the appropriateness of the recommended fine. If Respondent claims that his limited resources make him unable to pay the statutory fine, he must provide the Commission with written proof of his financial resources at the hearing. A financial affidavit form is available from the Commission Clerk.

# FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION CASE REPORT

Case Number: FEC-16-684

CANDIDATE []

POLITICAL PARTY []

PC [X]

CCE []

ECO[]

STATE [X]

DISTRICT [ ]

COUNTY [ ]

CITY [ ]

NAME: LABORER'S 517 POLITICAL LEAGUE

DATE APPEAL RECEIVED: 1/11/17

**DATE REPORT DUE:** 10/7/16 (2016 G3)

DATE OF ELECTRONIC RECEIPT: 10/7/16<sup>1</sup>

DATE FILING OFFICER RECEIVED REPORT: 10/7/16

Number of Days Late: 0

AMOUNT OF FINE: \$500.00

FINE BASED ON: () NUMBER OF DAYS () 25% OF RECEIPTS (X) 25% OF EXPENDITURES

TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR REPORTING PERIOD: \$0

TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR REPORTING PERIOD: \$2,000.00

DATE FIRST NOTIFICATION WAS SENT: 10/18/16

**SUMMARY:** Laborer's 517 Political League is a political committee (PC) registered with the State of Florida. The PC's chair is David Brier and its treasurer is Wes Davis.

The PC is appealing the fine claiming that unusual circumstances existed that caused the 2016 G3 to be untimely filed. According to Mr. Davis, "The Laborers 517 Political League engages a Certified Public Accountant to prepare and timely file our campaign treasurer's report. As you are aware, during the time period in question, most the State of Florida, particularly the east coast was under a hurricane warning/watch. Our Certified Public Accountant is located in South Florida. Our office sends PAC related deposits and expenditures to the accountant to prepare the report. During this particular period, we had closed our office earlier in the week, as did our accountant. In an effort to comply with the filing requirements, and not having any information at the time, the accountant filed a waiver. When requesting the subsequent week's activity, it was noted that three expenditures occurred in the prior week. Our accountant filed an amended report to properly report the three transactions".

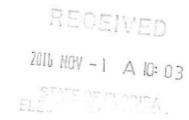
- The 2016 G3 Report covers the time period from 9/24/16 through 9/30/16.
- The 2016 G3 Queued-Transactions Report reflects that this report was created on 10/7/16 at approximately 2:15 pm, before being filed on 10/7/16 at approximately 2:15 pm.<sup>2</sup>
- In a January 17, 2017 email with Kristi Reid-Bronson, FEC staff was informed, "The committee filed a notice of no activity (waiver) on 10/10/16. A waiver is not a report. On 10/14/16, the committee filed a report showing \$2000 of activity. The fine is based on 25% of the activity.

**PRIOR CASES:** This PC has been involved in one prior FEC investigation. A \$1500.00 consent order was agreed to in FEC 15-168 for an alleged violation of 106.07(7).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Respondent initially filed a waiver that reflected no activity occurred during the 2016 G3 reporting period. Respondent later filed a 2016 G3 Report to reflect financial activity.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The report discussed in this bullet refers to the waiver that reflected zero activity.





October 26, 2016

Florida Elections Commission 107 West Gaines Street Suite 224 Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0150

Re: Laborers 517 Political League PAC 65367

#### Gentlemen;

We are in receipt of your letter dated October 18, 2016 assessing a late fine of \$500.00. Your letter states that the campaign treasurer's report due October 7, 2016 was actually filed on October 14, 2016.

Our review of our records finds a report was actually filed on October 7, 2016 and later amended and refiled on October 14, 2016. Due to the following extenuating circumstances, we respectfully request an abatement of the late fee.

The Laborers 517 Political League engages a Certified Public Accountant to prepare and timely file our campaign treasurer's report. As you are aware, during the time period in question, most the State of Florida, particularly the east coast was under a hurricane warning / watch. Our Certified Public Accountant is located in South Florida. Our office sends PAC related deposits and expenditures to the accountant to prepare the report. During this particular period, we had closed our office earlier in the week, as did our accountant. In an effort to comply with the filing requirements, and not having any information at the time, the accountant filed a waiver. When requesting the subsequent week's activity, it was noted that three expenditures occurred in the prior week. Our accountant filed an amended report to properly report the three transactions.

We have taken great consideration to assure that campaign reports are filed timely. Our filing history will support that. There was no intent not to file, however there were circumstances beyond our control that prevented us from providing the information necessary for a proper filing.

Consequently in recognition of the above, we request an abatement of the penalty. We thank you for your consideration.

Very Truly;

Wes Davis, Treasurer

Laborers 517 Political League

Cc: Florida Division of Elections



# FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

## Ken Detzner

Secretary of State

#### **DIVISION OF ELECTIONS**

Final Notice

USPS TRACKING # 9114 9014 9645 0956 1025 83

Delivery Confirmation: & CUSTOMER

For Tracking or inquiries go to USPS.co or call 1-800-222-1811.

December 2, 2016

Wes Davis, Treasurer Laborers 517 Political League 580 Irene Street Orlando, FL 32805-2805

PAC 65367

Dear Mr. Davis:

The campaign treasurer's report that was due on October 7, 2016, was filed on October 14, 2016. By law, you are automatically assessed a late fine of \$500.00.

### You have 20 days from the receipt of this notice to either:

Pay the fine to the Florida Division of Elections (For a candidate only, a fine is not an allowable campaign expenditure and must be paid from personal funds) at:

> Florida Division of Elections R.A. Gray Building, Room. 316 500 South Bronough Street Tallahassee, Florida 32399-025011

Appeal the fine to the Florida Elections Commission (See Rules 2B-1.005 and 2B-1.0055, Florida Administrative Code) at:

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If you appeal, please send a copy also to the Florida Division of Elections so that you will not receive further notices from the Division about this matter.

If you have any questions, please contact the help desk at (850) 245-6280.

Sincerely,

Kristi Reid Bronson, Chief Bureau of Election Records

cc: David Brier, Chairperson

FAX: (850) 245-6260 • WWW Address: http://www.dos.state.fl.us • E-Mail: DivElections@dos.state.fl.us



#### FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

# Ken Detzner

# Secretary of State

## **DIVISION OF ELECTIONS**

November 3, 2016

Wes Davis, Treasurer Laborers 517 Political League 580 Irene Street Orlando, FL 32805-2805

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Sincerely,

Kristi Reid Bronson, Chief Bureau of Election Records

cc: David Brier, Chairperson



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## **DIVISION OF ELECTIONS**

October 18, 2016

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Sincerely,

Krist Reid Bronson, Chief Bureau of Election Records

cc: David Brier, Chairperson

#### **CAMPAIGN TREASURER'S REPORT SUMMARY** 65367 (1) Laborers 517 Political League (2)Candidate, Committe or Party Name I.D. Number (3) 580 Irene Street 32805 Orlando State Address (number and street) City Zip Code Check box if address has changed since last report Check appropriate box(es): Candidate (office sought): Check If PC has DISBANDED Political Committee Check If CCE has DISBANDED Committee of Continuous Existance Party Executive Committee (5) REPORT IDENTIFIERS Cover Period: From Report Type: 09/24/2016 09/30/2016 G3 Original X Amendment Special Election Report (6) CONTRIBUTIONS THIS REPORT (7) EXPENDITURES THIS REPORT \$2,000.00 Cash & Checks \$0.00 Monetary Expenditures \$0.00 Loans Transfers to Office Account \$0.00 \$0.00 Total Monetary Total Monetary \$2,000.00 \$0.00 (8) Other Distributions In-Kind Certification It is a first degree misdemeanor for any person to falsify a public record (ss.839.13, F.S.) I certify that I have examined this report and it is I certify that I have examined this report and it is true, correct and complete true, correct and complete Candidate Chaiman (PC/PTY Only ☐ Treasurer Deputy Treasurer Name of Name of Signature

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE, DIVISION OF ELECTIONS

Reviewed On: 10/14/16 3:55 pm Prepared on: 1/17/17 9:54:34AM

Signature

# CAMPAIGN TASURER'S REPORT - ITEMIZED CONT. UTIONS

Page 1 of 1

Name: Laborers 517 Political League

Report: 2016 G3

Period: 09/24/2016

to 09/30/2016

\*\* Records in Filed Report \*\*

Seq #	Full Name (Last, Suffix, First, Middle Street Address & City, State, Zip	Contributor Type	Occupation In-Kind Description	Amount
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ASURER'S REPORT - ITEMIZED EXPENITURES

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Name: Laborers 517 Political League

Report: 2016 G3

Period: 09/24/2016

to 09/30/2016

*	Records	in	Filed	Report **	
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Seq#	Full Name (Last, Suffix, First, Middle	Turno	Duranes		Amount
Date	Street Address & City, State, Zip	Туре	Purpose	Amend	
1	LISA MONTELIONE CAMPAIGN	MON	CONTRIBUTION		\$500.00
09/29/2016	P.O. BOX 292805 TAMPA, FL 33687	mon		ADD	
2	GENE SIUDUT CAMPAIGN 6001 PALM PLACE LANE #128	MON	CONTRIBUTION		\$500.00
09/29/2016	TAMPA, FL 33647	50.700 to 600. W 10		ADD	
3	BETH TUURA CAMPAIGN P.O. BOX 536426	MON	CONTRIBUTION		\$1,000.00
09/29/2016	ORLANDO, FL 32853			ADD	

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Name: L

Laborers 517 Political League

Report: 2016 G3

Period: 09/24/2016

to 09/30/2016

\*\* Records in Filed Report \*\*

Seq#	Full Name (Last, Suffix, First, Middle	Recipient	Purpose	Amount
Date	Street Address & City, State, Zip	Туре	Related Expenditure	Amend
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# CAMPAIGN TR. SURER'S REPORT - ITEMIZED FUND

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Name: Laborers 517 Political League

Report: 2016 G3

Period: 09/24/2016

to 09/30/2016

\*\* Records in Filed Report \*\*

Seq#	Full Name (Last, Suffix, First, Middle Street Address & City, State, Zip	Туре	Nature of Account	Amount

# Queued Items for 2016-G3

Account: 65367

Laborers 517 Political League

Rpt Seq: 18

ProcessDescription	Status	Submitter	Created	LastUpdate
Create Pending Report	Processing Complete	65367	10/7/2016 2:15:01 PM	10/7/2016 2:15:01 PM
File Pending Report	Processing Complete	65367	10/7/2016 2:15:29 PM	10/7/2016 2:15:29 PM
Review Filed Report	Processing Complete	65367	10/7/2016 2:16:38 PM	10/7/2016 2:16:38 PM
Amend Filed Report	Processing Complete	65367	10/14/2016 3:48:56 PM	10/14/2016 3:48:56 PM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	65367	10/14/2016 3:53:58 PM	10/14/2016 3:53:58 PM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	65367	10/14/2016 3:55:16 PM	10/14/2016 3:55:16 PM
File Pending Report	<b>Processing Complete</b>	65367	10/14/2016 3:56:31 PM	10/14/2016 3:56:31 PM



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# Florida Election System Reports

C	andidate/Committee Lookup	Committ	ee Na	ame: Labore	rs 517 l	Political	League			
Name:			Acco	unt: 65367						
Election:		Date Due	Туре	Date Filed	Status	Days Late	Fine Assessed	Appealed	Amount Fined	Amount Paid
	<b>V</b>	1/10/2017	M12	1/7/2017						
Acct:	65367	12/12/2016	M11	12/10/2016						
Type:	Committee	11/4/2016	G7	11/4/2016						
		11/4/2016	D6	11/3/2016						
	Search Reset	11/2/2016	D5	11/2/2016						
		11/1/2016	D4	11/1/2016						
		10/31/2016	D3	10/31/2016						
		10/30/2016	D2	10/30/2016						
		10/29/2016	D1	10/29/2016						
		10/28/2016	G6	10/28/2016						
		10/21/2016	G5	10/21/2016						
		10/14/2016	G4	10/14/2016						
		10/7/2016	G3	10/7/2016	APP	0	\$500.00	1	\$500.00	\$0.00
		9/30/2016	G2A	9/30/2016						
		9/23/2016	G2	9/21/2016						
		9/16/2016	G1A	9/16/2016						
		9/9/2016	G1	9/9/2016						
		9/2/2016	P7A	9/1/2016						
		8/26/2016	P7	8/26/2016						
		8/19/2016	P6	8/18/2016						
		8/12/2016	P5	8/10/2016						
		8/5/2016	P4	8/5/2016						
		7/29/2016	P3	7/28/2016						
		7/22/2016	P2A	7/22/2016						
		7/15/2016	P2	7/15/2016						
		7/8/2016	P1A	7/8/2016						
		7/1/2016	P1	6/30/2016						
		6/10/2016	<b>M</b> 5	6/9/2016						
		5/10/2016	M4	5/10/2016						
		4/11/2016	<b>M</b> 3	4/11/2016						



# Laborers 517 Political League

# **Campaign Finance Activity**

**Note:** The information presented below was obtained from the Committee's/Candidate's Campaign Treasurer's Report filed with the Division of Elections. About the Campaign Finance Data Base. If all contributions for a reporting period are less than 1 dollar Then they may not be displayed.

			ontributions				
	Filing Period	Monetary	Loans	InKind	Expend	Other	Transfers
0	03/12/2016 - 03/31/2016	72,981.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0	04/01/2016 - 04/30/2016	5,348.03	0.00	0.00	1,850.00	0.00	0.00
0	05/01/2016 - 05/31/2016	2,268.08	0.00	0.00	4,500.00	0.00	0.00
0	06/01/2016 - 06/24/2016	74.68	0.00	0.00	2,600.00	0.00	0.00
0	06/25/2016 - 07/01/2016	2,111.46	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	0.00	0.00
W	07/02/2016 - 07/08/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
W	07/09/2016 - 07/15/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0	07/16/2016 - 07/22/2016	64.93	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0	07/23/2016 - 07/29/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,500.00	0.00	0.00
0	07/30/2016 - 08/05/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	750.00	0.00	0.00
W	08/06/2016 - 08/12/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0	08/13/2016 - 08/25/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.00
W	08/26/2016 - 08/26/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0	08/27/2016 - 09/02/2016	2,642.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
W	09/03/2016 - 09/09/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
W	09/10/2016 - 09/16/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0	09/17/2016 - 09/23/2016	2,341.88	0.00	0.00	6,000.00	0.00	0.00
	09/24/2016 - 09/30/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.00
W	10/01/2016 - 10/07/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
W	10/08/2016 - 10/14/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
W	10/15/2016 - 10/21/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0	10/22/2016 - 10/28/2016	5,814.97	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

W	10/29/2016 - 10/29/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
W	10/30/2016 - 10/30/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
W	10/31/2016 - 10/31/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
W	11/01/2016 - 11/01/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
W	11/02/2016 - 11/02/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
W	10/22/2016 - 11/03/2016	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0	11/04/2016 - 11/30/2016	102.72	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0	12/01/2016 - 12/31/2016	2,631.52	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
•	All Dates (Totals)	96,381.93	0.00	0.00	24,200.00	0.00	0.00

Note: (E) indicates that report was filed electronically

X Indicates that detail has not been released

W Indicates that a waiver was filed and L Indicates that a loan report was filed

 Select Detail Type
 Select Sort Order
 Select Output Type

 Contributions
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 Date(Ascending)
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 Display On Screen
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Submit Query Now

Query the Campaign Finance Data Base

[Department of State] [Division of Elections] [Candidates and Races] [Campaign Finance Information]



RE: Acct #65367 Bronson, Kristi R.

to:

Cedric Oliver 01/17/2017 09:25 AM

Hide Details

From: "Bronson, Kristi R." < Kristi. Bronson@DOS. MyFlorida.com>

To: Cedric Oliver < Cedric.Oliver@myfloridalegal.com>

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Regards,

Kristi Reid Bronson, Chief Division of Elections, Bureau of Election Records (850) 245-6240

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From: Cedric Oliver [mailto:Cedric.Oliver@myfloridalegal.com]

Sent: Thursday, January 12, 2017 2:39 PM

To: Bronson, Kristi R. Subject: Acct #65367

Kristi, Could you please explain the discrepancy for this PC's 2016 G3 Report. DOE records reflect that this report was filed on 10/7/16, which is the day that the report was due. This PC was fined \$500.00.

The Department of State is committed to excellence. Please take our <u>Customer Satisfaction Survey</u>.