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November 27, 2019

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TALLAHASSEE, FL

RE: Case No.: FEC 19-089; Respondent: Lesly Prudent

Dear Mr. Wolland:

The Florida Elections Commission at its last regularly scheduled meeting reviewed and voted to approve the Consent Order agreed to by Respondent and Commission staff.

I have enclosed for your records a copy the Consent Order signed by the Vice Chair. The Commission appreciates your cooperation and now considers this case closed. I would also like to add my appreciation for the cooperative manner in which this case was resolved.

Please let me know if you have any questions or if I can be of any further assistance.

Sincerely,

/s/ Donna Ann Malphurs

Agency Clerk

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Enclosure: Consent Order

cc: Division of Elections, Complainant

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FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION**

In Re: Lesly Prudent

Case No.: FEC 19-089

F.O. No.: FOFEC 19-330W

CONSENT FINAL ORDER

Respondent, Lesly Prudent, and the Florida Elections Commission (Commission) agree that this Consent Order resolves all of the issues between the parties in this case. The parties jointly stipulate to the following facts, conclusions of law, and order:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On February 13, 2019, a referral was filed with the Commission alleging that Respondent violated Florida's election laws.
2. Respondent has expressed a desire to enter into negotiations directed toward reaching a consent agreement.
3. Respondent and the staff stipulate to the following facts:
 - a. Respondent was the treasurer for NMB Citizens for Responsible Government, a political committee formerly registered with the Division of Elections.
 - b. Respondent did not timely file amendments to the committee's 2018 G5, 2018 D3, 2018 D5, and 2018 G7 reports.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

4. The Commission has jurisdiction over the parties to and subject matter of this cause, pursuant to Section 106.26, Florida Statutes.

5. Section 106.25(4)(i)3., Florida Statutes, allows the Commission to approve a consent agreement with a Respondent prior to the Commission finding probable cause that a violation of the election laws occurred. The consent agreement has the same force and effect as a consent agreement reached after the Commission finds probable cause.

6. The Commission staff and Respondent stipulate that staff could prove all the facts in paragraph three above by clear and convincing evidence and to the Commission's ability to impose a civil penalty in the case.

ORDER

7. Respondent and the staff of the Commission have entered into this Consent Order freely and voluntarily and upon advice of counsel.

8. The Respondent shall bear his own attorney's fees and costs that are in any way associated with this case.

9. The Commission will consider this Consent Order at its next available meeting.

10. The Respondent voluntarily waives confidentiality upon approval of the Consent Order by the Commission, the right to any further proceedings under Chapters 104, 106, and 120, Florida Statutes, and the right to appeal this Consent Order.

11. This Consent Order is enforceable under Sections 106.265 and 120.69, Florida Statutes. Respondent expressly waives any venue privileges and agrees that if enforcement of this Consent Order is necessary, venue shall be in Leon County, Florida, and Respondent shall pay all fees and costs associated with enforcement.

12. Payment of the civil penalty by cashier's check, money order good for at least 120 days, or attorney trust account check is a condition precedent to the Commission's consideration of this Consent Order.

PENALTY

WHEREFORE, based upon the foregoing facts and conclusions of law, the Commission finds that the Respondent violated Section 106.07(2)(b)1., Florida Statutes, and imposes a civil penalty in the amount of \$100.

Therefore, it is

ORDERED that the Respondent shall remit to the Commission a civil penalty in the amount of **\$100**, inclusive of fees and costs. The civil penalty shall be paid by cashier's check, money order good for at least 120 days, or attorney trust account check. The civil penalty should be made payable to the Florida Elections Commission and sent to 107 West Gaines Street, Collins Building, Suite 224, Tallahassee, Florida, 32399-1050.

Respondent hereby agrees and consents to the terms of this Consent Order on

10/18/19



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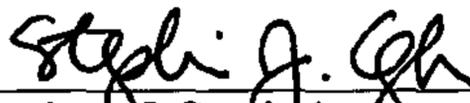
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Commission staff hereby agrees and consents to the terms of this Consent Order on

October 28, 2019.



Stephanie J. Cunningham
Assistant General Counsel
Florida Elections Commission
107 West Gaines Street
The Collins Building, Suite 224
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1050

Approved by the Florida Elections Commission at its regularly scheduled meeting held

on 11-19-19, in Tallahassee, Florida.


Chair
Florida Elections Commission

Copies furnished to:
Stephanie J. Cunningham, Assistant General Counsel
Frank Wolland, Attorney for Respondent
Division of Elections, Complainant

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PAY TO THE ORDER OF **The Florida Elections Commission**

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One hundred and 00/100*****

DOLLARS

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Tallahassee, FL 32399-1050

MEMO

Settlement, Leslie Prudent

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

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