



6. When the report was filed past its due date, the report was administratively assessed a \$500 late penalty.
7. The respondent received an administrative waiver of the penalty.

### **Conclusions of Law**

1. Disposition of these cases are within the jurisdiction of the Texas Ethics Commission. GOV'T CODE § 571.061.
2. The respondent received legally sufficient notice of the hearing in these cases. GOV'T CODE § 571.032 and 1 T.A.C. § 12.21. The hearing was held in accordance with section 12.23, 1 Texas Administrative Code.
3. The campaign treasurer of a general-purpose political committee is required to file reports 30 days and 8 days before each election in which the committee is involved. ELEC. CODE § 254.064.
4. There is credible evidence that the respondent violated section 254.064 of the Election Code in connection with the committee's 30-day pre-election report.
5. The Texas Ethics Commission may impose a sanction against the respondent of not more than \$5,000 or triple the amount at issue, whichever amount is greater. GOV'T CODE § 571.173

### **No Sanction**

After considering the seriousness of the violation described, including the administrative waiver previously granted by the Texas Ethics Commission in connection with the violation, and after considering the sanction necessary to deter future violations, the commission does not impose a civil penalty.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

FOR THE COMMISSION

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