

**BEFORE THE OFFICE OF CAMPAIGN FINANCE  
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA BOARD OF ELECTIONS AND ETHICS  
FRANK D. REEVES MUNICIPAL BUILDING  
2000 14<sup>th</sup> STREET, NW SUITE 420  
WASHINGTON, DC 20009  
(202) 671-0550**

<b>IN THE MATTER OF</b>	:	
	:	<b>DOCKET NO.: 014 P-026</b>
<b>Two Is Enough DC 2014</b>	:	<b>Date: March 31, 2015</b>
<b>C/o William V. Jones, III</b>	:	
<b>4110_5<sup>th</sup> Street, NW</b>	:	
<b>Washington, DC 20011</b>	:	

**ORDER TO VACATE FINE**

**Statement of the Case**

This matter came before the Office of Campaign Finance (hereinafter OCF) Office of the General Counsel following a determination by its Public Information and Records Management Division, that pursuant to The Campaign Finance Act of 2011 (The Act), codified in DC Official Code 1-1163.01, William V. Jones, III, Chairperson, "Two Is Enough 2014" (hereinafter TIE DC) political action committee, (1) failed to register the political action committee within a timely manner in advance of engaging the voters of the District of Columbia; (2) failed to timely file a Receipt and Expenditure Report (hereafter R&E); and (3) failed to include the proper language on its campaign literature.

By Notice of Hearing, Statement of Violations and Order of Appearance dated October 29, 2014, OCF ordered William V. Jones, III (hereinafter Respondent), to appear at a scheduled hearing on Wednesday November 5, 2014 and show cause why he should not be found in violation of Title III of the Campaign Finance Act of 2011, and fined accordingly.

Respondent appeared for the scheduled hearing, and on December 31, 2014 the OCF issued an Order finding the Respondent in violation of the DC Campaign Finance laws and fined Respondent in the amount of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00).

Respondent appealed the decision to the Board of Elections (BOE), and a hearing was held in this matter. On or about February 12, 2015 the parties (Respondent and OCF) reached an agreement to settle this matter. OCF instructed Respondent to file an amended Statement of Organization for the initiative committee "No On 71" which would include "Two Is Enough DC" (TIE DC). Pursuant to Respondent's submission of an amended Statement of Organization the OCF agreed to withdraw the fine that was levied in its Order dated December 31, 2014.

On or about February 19, 2015, Respondent filed an amended Statement of Organization per the terms of the agreement.

**Recommendation**

In view of the foregoing and information included in the record, I **HEREBY RECOMMEND** that the Director **VACATE** the December 31, 2014 Order imposing a fine of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00).

March 31, 2015  
Date

Leonard Muhammad  
Leonard Muhammad  
Hearing Officer

**Concurrence**

In view of the foregoing, I **HEREBY CONCUR** with the Recommendation.

March 31, 2015  
Date

William O. Sanford  
William O. SanFord  
General Counsel

**ORDER OF THE DIRECTOR**

**IT IS ORDERED** THAT THE December 31, 2014 Order imposing a fine of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) is **VACATED**.

March 31, 2015  
Date

Cecily E. Collier-Montgomery  
Cecily E. Collier-Montgomery  
Director

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I **HEREBY CERTIFY** that a copy of the **ORDER TO VACATE FINE** was served on William Jones, III 4110 5<sup>th</sup> Street, NW Washington, DC 20011, and by electronic mail to: tiadc2014@gmail.com on this 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, 2015.

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NOTICE

Any party adversely affected by any order of the Director may obtain review of the order by filing, with the Board of Elections and Ethics, a request for a hearing *de novo*. Pursuant to 3 DCMR §3711.5, any fine imposed by the Director shall become effective on the 16<sup>th</sup> day following the issuance of a decision and order, if the respondent does not request an appeal of this matter. If applicable, within 10 days of the effective date of this order, please make a check or money order payable to the D.C. Treasurer, c/o Office of Campaign Finance, 2000 Fourteenth Street, N.W., Suite 433 Washington, DC 20009.