

# State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations Board of Elections

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## REPORT OF INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURES, ELECTIONEERING COMMUNICATIONS OR COVERED TRANSFERS (CF-8)

Time Stamp (Office Use Only)

Identify Person, Bu	ısiness Entity or PAC ı	responsible for	Independent Expenditure, Electioneering Co	ommunication or Covered Transfer
Mid America Fund	d			
Street Address			City/Town, State and Zip Code	Telephone Number
44904 Kacsmar Estates Dr.			St. Clairsville, Ohio 43950	740-994-5077
Employer (if applicable)			Occupation (if applicable)	
N/A			N/A	
The Person, Busine	ss Entity or PAC has ex	pended more th	an \$1000 to support or defeat a Candidate or R	eferendum as follows:
dentify the Candida	ite(s) on the ballot and v	vhether funds w	ere expended to support or defeat this candidate	•
Gina Raimondo			: 🗆 Support 🖾 Defeat	
Identify the Referen	dum on the ballot and w	hether funds wl	nere expended to support or defeat this referend	um
			: 🗆 Support 🗆 Defeat	
communicati	ons, or covered tra	nsfers shall	action committee making independer report all such expenditures provided to the Board of Elections within 7 da	the total of the money so expended
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Date of Expenditure	Amount of	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>		
	Expenditure	Name and Full Address: Person, Business Entity, PAC Receiving Expenditure		
Oct. 31, 2014	\$ 302,500.00	Pound Feinstein & Associates 5614 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Ste. 270, Washington DC 20015		
	\$			
	\$			
	\$			
	\$			
Year to Date To	otal of All Expend	itures in Su	pport or Defeat of This Candidate or	Referendum: \$ 859,920
Reports of inde	ependent expenditi	ires, election	neering communications or covered tr ors of an aggregate of \$1000 or more	ansfers by a person, business entity
Date	Donation	on <u>DONATIONS</u>		
Donation Received	Amount Name, Address and Place of Employment of Donor			
Oct. 31, 2014	\$ 300,000	Government Integrity Fund, Inc. 6712 Ridpath Road Grove City, OH 43123		
	\$			
	\$			
	\$			
	\$			
	Person's, Busines		r PAC's own funds for independent	
			✓ Places Sign on Reverse Side >	

The person named below affirms, under penalty of false statement, that no expenditure contained herein is coordinated with the candidate or referendum whose support or defeat is promoted and that information provided is true and accurate and complies with RI General Laws and with Rules and Regulations adopted pursuant to RIGL \$1 253 et and to responsible for Making Expenditure

Dexter Vaughan, President of Mid America Fund

Signature of Person Besponsible for Making Expenditure

10/31/14

Address, City/Town, State, Zip Code of Person Making Expenditure

4904 Kacsmar Estates Dr. St. Clairsville, OH 43950

Notary Public 1

Reporting Requirements for Independent Expenditures, Electioneering Communications and Covered Transfers

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It is lawful for any person, business entity or political action committee (PAC), not otherwise prohibited by law and not acting in coordination with a candidate, authorized candidate committee, PAC or political party committee, to expend personally from that person's own funds a sum which is not to be repaid for any purpose not prohibited by law to support or defeat a candidate or referendum.

#### WHEN TO FILE:

Any person, business entity or PAC making independent expenditures, electioneering communications or covered transfers shall report all such expenditures, provided the total of the money so expended exceeds \$1000 within a calendar year, to the Board of Elections within seven (7) days of making the expenditure.

After a person, business entity or PAC files its initial report, the person, business entity or PAC shall file an additional report after each time the person, business entity or PAC makes or contracts to make independent expenditures, electioneering communications or covered transfers aggregating an additional \$1,000 with respect to the same election as that which the initial report relates.

When a report is required within thirty (30) days prior to the election to which the expenditure was directed, it shall be filed within twenty-four (24) hours of the expenditure. When such a report is required at any other time, it shall be filed within seven (7) days after the expenditure.

#### WHAT TO FILE:

Reports of independent expenditures, electioneering communications or covered transfers by a person shall contain the name, street address, city, state, zip code, occupation, employer, of the person responsible for the expenditure, the name street address, city, state, zip code of the person receiving the expenditure, the date and amount of each expenditure and the year-to-date total. The report shall also include a statement identifying the candidate or referendum that the independent expenditure or electioneering communication is intended to promote the success or defeat, and affirm under penalty of false statement that the expenditure is not coordinated with the candidate or referendum in question.

Reports shall also disclose the identify, which includes the name, address and place of employment and donation amount, of all donors of an aggregate of \$1000 or more to such person, business entity or PAC within the current election cycle.

#### PENALTIES:

Any person, who willfully and knowingly violates the provisions of Chapter 25.3 of Title 17 shall, upon conviction, be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined not more than \$1000 per violation. The state Board of Elections may impose a civil penalty upon any person, business or PAC who violates the provisions of Chapter 25.3 of Title 17 in the amount of \$1000, or up to 150% of the aggregate amount of the independent expenditures, electioneering communications or covered transfers per violation, whichever is greater.

### THIS FORM MUST BE RETURNED TO THE BOARD OF ELECTIONS BEARING ORIGINAL SIGNATURES.

If you have any questions on how to complete this form, please contact the Board of Elections.



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