



Missouri Ethics Commission

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Final Action: MEC No. 21-0037-I, 21-0038-I: Jon Paul (J.P.) Johnson

Date: June 3, 2026

The Missouri Ethics Commission took final consideration of the complaint filed against Jon Paul Johnson (J.P. Johnson) at its June 3, 2026, meeting.

The complaint alleged that Progress St. Louis Action Fund failed to file a Statement of Committee Organization, collected contributions, made expenditures to support or oppose candidates and ballot measures, and failed to timely file required campaign finance reports. It further alleged that Mr. Johnson, as the registered agent of the organization, was responsible for these violations.

The investigation confirmed that Progress St. Louis Action Fund's activities triggered reporting requirements under Chapter 130, RSMo, and that the organization failed to timely file the necessary campaign finance reports. The organization is a Missouri corporation in good standing, and Mr. Johnson serves solely as the registered agent.

Progress St. Louis Action Fund has entered into a reconciliation agreement with the Commission, acknowledging probable cause that it failed to file a Statement of Committee Organization, failed to file campaign finance disclosure reports, and failed to timely report contributions and non-committee activity.

This agreement appropriately resolves the matter, and the Commission has dismissed the complaint against Mr. Johnson.

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