

STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS

506 North Harrington Street
Raleigh, NC 27603

GARY O. BARTLETT
Executive Secretary-Director

May 15, 2009

Art Pope, Candidate
Art Pope for NC House Committee
904 Wakestone Court
Raleigh, NC 27609

Re: Committee Status with State Board of Elections
Art Pope for NC House Committee

Dear Mr. Pope:

This letter is to inform you that the Art Pope for NC House Committee has unresolved issues with the State Board of Elections, preventing the committee from being closed or considered an active committee pursuant to Article 22A of Chapter 163 of the North Carolina General Statutes. Please see the attached sheet for a summary of issues that need to be addressed before our office can close your committee or re-activate the committee.

In addition, the committee was sent a Notice of Termination of Active Status on 10/1/2003 pursuant to Chapter 1.0104(d) of Title 8 of the North Carolina Administrative Code. This status rendered your committee ineligible to receive or make contributions until the delinquent reports had been filed and any outstanding statutory penalties for late filing had been satisfied. Under N.C.G.S. § 163-278.27, it is the responsibility of this office to report violations of applicable provisions of Article 22A of Chapter 163 of the North Carolina General Statutes to the appropriate district attorney for potential prosecution.

In order to prevent referral to the appropriate district attorney, we ask that you address the outstanding issues your committee has with the State Board of Elections within thirty (30) days from the date of this letter. After the thirty (30) days has elapsed, we will notify the appropriate district attorney. A failure to address any outstanding issue noted on the summary of issues sheet will result in a referral to the district attorney.

If you need any assistance or have any questions regarding the status of your committee, please contact me at (919) 733-7173.

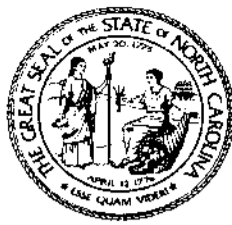
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Adam Ragan, Compliance Specialist
Campaign Finance Division

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David Stover, Treasurer
Art Pope for NC House Committee
2602 York Road
Raleigh, NC 27608

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Summary of Issues

Committee Name:	ART POPE FOR NC HOUSE
SBOE Identification Number:	STA-C1969N-C-001
Treasurer of Record:	DAVID STOVER
Candidate (if applicable):	ART POPE
Notice of Termination of Active Status sent:	10/1/2003
Notices of Non-Compliance sent (Date/Report):	4/5/1995 (1994 Annual); 12/2/2002 (2002 MY)
Penalty Assessments/Waivers sent (Date/Report):	n/a
Last Report Filed by Committee:	2001 Mid Year Semi-Annual Report
Outstanding Cash on hand (from last report filed):	\$1,705.43
Outstanding Debts/Loans owed by Committee (from last report filed)	\$137,500.00

Items to be Addressed by Committee

ISSUE	RESOLUTION
Failure to File Campaign Finance Reports	Provide a signed, notarized statement of committee activity from 7/1/2001 through 12/31/2008, explaining the distribution of any outstanding cash on hand and/or the resolution of any outstanding debts or obligations owed by the Committee
Completion/Continuation of Committee Activities	To Close Committee -- Complete any outstanding issues noted on this page and file a Certification to Close Committee form; To Continue Committee Activity -- Complete any outstanding issues noted on this page and either file a Certification of Threshold Statement for the 2009-2010 election cycle or a Certification to Return to Active Status form.
Update SBOE records with Committee and Treasurer Information	Complete and sign an amended Statement of Organization with correct Committee and Treasurer information