

## LOBBYIST FILING AGREEMENT

This Agreement, made this 19<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2008, by and between MARY ALICE ROSE, lobbyist for the Christian Science Committee on Publication and William J. Colquhoun, Staff Counsel to the Maryland State Ethics Commission (hereinafter "Staff Counsel").

### RECITALS

The State Ethics Commission ("the Commission") is the executive agency of the State of Maryland established by Chapter 513, Acts of 1979 for the purpose of enforcing the Maryland Public Ethics Law (State Government Article, Title 15, Annotated Code of Maryland, hereinafter the Ethics Law) including the provisions of Subtitle 7, the lobbying disclosure program.

On December 1, 2008, Mary Alice Rose ("the filer") registered with the Commission for lobbying activities on behalf of the Christian Science Committee on Publication for the period November 1, 2008 to October 31, 2009.

The filer did not timely register on behalf of the employer for the period of November 1, 2008 to October 31, 2009 as required by the Md. Code. Ann., State Gov't. Art., §15-703(d)(1)(Supp. 2008).

The filer subsequently registered on December 1, 2008, for the period of November 1, 2008 to October 31, 2009.

The filer is voluntarily entering into this agreement to admit her failure to timely file a lobbyist registration with the Commission pursuant to Section 15-405 of the Ethics Law.

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the submission of the required lobbyist registration forms by the filer on December 1, 2008, and the admissions and agreements herein contained, the filer and Staff Counsel stipulate and agree as follows:

1. The filer did not timely file her lobbyist registration form on behalf of the Christian Science Committee on Publication for the period November 1, 2008 to October 31, 2009 as required by §15-703(d)(1) of the Ethics Law.

2. The filer reported her delinquency to the Commission on December 1, 2008, and filed her registration form (a copy of which has been attached hereto and made a part thereof) on December 1, 2008.

3. The filer understands that failure to comply with the lobbying disclosure provisions of the Ethics Law may subject her to a formal complaint by the Commission and, upon finding of a violation, late fees and the possibility of civil fines.

4. The Staff Counsel will, upon execution of this Agreement by the filer, recommend that the Commission not institute any proceedings on his failure to timely register. The filer understands that the Commission is under no obligation to accept this agreement and may decide to take other action, including issuing a complaint.

5. The filer waives a formal hearing on this matter (if the agreement is accepted by the Commission) to which she would be entitled if a complaint were issued, and she understands that this Agreement and materials relating to this matter are not subject to the confidentiality provisions of the Ethics law, and will be public information unless otherwise protected.

6. The filer understands a copy of this agreement will be mailed to her employer.

7. The filer and the Staff Counsel have entered into this Agreement for the sole purpose of resolving the late submission of a lobbyist registration statement.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, Mary Alice Rose, and Staff Counsel, State Ethics Commission, have hereunto set their hands.

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ORIGINAL AGREEMENT

William J. Colaninno, Staff Counsel  
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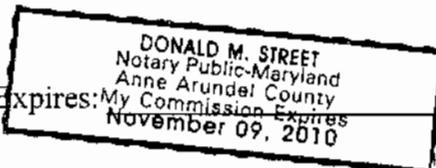
Mary Alice Rose  
Lobbyist  
Christian Science Committee on Publication

State of Maryland  
County of: ANNE ARUNDEL, to wit:

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Mary Alice Rose, who made oath on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of DECEMBER, 2008 in due form of law that the matters and facts hereinabove set forth are true to the best of her knowledge, information and belief, and are her voluntary act and that she executed this document for the purpose set forth herein.

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Notary Public

My Commission Expires:  DONALD M. STREET  
Notary Public-Maryland  
Anne Arundel County  
My Commission Expires  
November 09, 2010

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State of Maryland,  
County of: ANNE ARUNDEL , to wit:

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared William J. Colquhoun, Staff Counsel to the State Ethics Commission, who made oath on this 19~~th~~ day of December, 2008 in due form of law that he executed this agreement for the purposes set forth herein.

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Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

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Accepted by the Commission

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Robert F. Scholz, Chair  
for the Commission

Date: Jan 22, 2008