

Secretary of State Pedro A. Cortés announced that eight (8) disciplinary actions have been taken against charitable organizations, professional solicitors or professional fundraising counsel by the Bureau of Corporations and Charitable Organizations.

## **Actions**

### **In State**

#### **Bucks County**

Newtown Fire Association, Inc., Newtown, Bucks County, paid a \$6,000.00 administrative fine as the result of soliciting contributions from 2009 through 2012 without the approved registration filed with the Bureau after it received contributions in excess of \$25,000.00 per annum in violation of 10 P.S. § 162.15(a)(1). (7/7/17)

Philadelphia Friends of V, Inc., Morrisville, Bucks County, paid a \$5,000.00 administrative fine as the result of soliciting contributions from 2012 through 2016 without the approved registration filed with the Bureau after it received contributions in excess of \$25,000.00 per annum in violation of 10 P.S. § 162.15(a)(1). (7/7/17)

#### **Chester County**

OneRun Together, Inc., Coatesville, Chester County, paid a \$2,500.00 administrative fine as the result of soliciting contributions from 2015 through 2017 without the approved registration filed with the Bureau after it received contributions in excess of \$25,000.00 per annum in violation of 10 P.S. § 162.15(a)(1). (7/7/17)

The Parkesburg Point Youth Center, Parkesburg, Chester County, paid a \$8,000.00 administrative fine as the result of soliciting contributions from 2004 through 2016 without the approved registration filed with the Bureau after it received contributions in excess of \$25,000.00 per annum in violation of 10 P.S. § 162.15(a)(1). (7/7/17)

#### **Lehigh County**

Operation Help, PPL Electric Utilities Corporation, Inc., Allentown, Lehigh County, paid a \$5,000.00 administrative fine as the result of soliciting contributions from 2014 through 2016 without the approved registration filed with the Bureau after it received contributions in excess of \$25,000.00 per annum in violation of 10 P.S. § 162.15(a)(1). (7/7/17)

### **Out of State**

Council for a Strong America, Washington, D.C., paid a \$2,000.00 administrative fine as the result of soliciting contributions from 2015 through 2016 without the approved registration filed with the Bureau after it received contributions in excess of \$25,000.00 per annum in violation of 10 P.S. § 162.15(a)(1). (6/8/17)

Malignant Hypothermia Association of US, Sherburne, New York, paid a \$2,000.00 administrative fine as the result of soliciting contributions from 2013 through 2016 without the approved registration filed with the Bureau after it received contributions in excess of \$25,000.00 per annum in violation of 10 P.S. § 162.15(a)(1). (6/19/17)

Trees, Water and People, Fort Collins, Colorado, paid a \$2,500.00 administrative fine as the result of soliciting contributions from 2010 through 2016 without the approved registration filed with the Bureau after it received contributions in excess of \$25,000.00 per annum in violation of 10 P.S. § 162.15(a)(1). (7/7/17)

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