

May 22, 2026

Via Email: Jonathan.Wayne@maine.gov

Mr. Jonathan Wayne, Executive Director
State of Maine
Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices
135 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

RE: Complaint by Ben Midgley Campaign

Dear Mr. Wayne and Members of the Commission,

I represent Bobby Charles for Maine Governor (the “Campaign”) in connection with the May 18, 2026 complaint (the “Complaint”) filed by Lauren LePage, campaign manager for Benjamin Midgley. I write in response to the Commission’s inquiry to confirm that the Campaign has no involvement in the website at issue in the Complaint, as the attached materials demonstrate.

The Complaint alleges that the Campaign paid for or was otherwise involved with the website midgeleyexposed.com (the “Website”), and the Commission has asked whether this is so. **The Campaign was not involved in the creation, operation, or funding of the Website, and did not pay for any of the costs associated with it.**

The Commission further requested clarification regarding a \$50 expenditure reported by the Campaign on March 26, 2026. This expenditure appears to be the basis for the Complaint’s theory that the Campaign was involved in creating the Website. That expenditure was a reimbursement to Harris Media, a digital marketing firm for the Campaign, and was reflected in the Campaign’s 42-Day Pre-Primary Report as “WEB – Website costs / Reimburse Harris Media for GoDaddy.”¹ As reflected in the attached affidavit of Harris Media CEO Vincent Harris and accompanying Exhibit A, **the March 26, 2026 reimbursement related to a separate domain purchase unrelated to the Website.**

I plan to attend the Commission’s May 27, 2026 meeting via Zoom and would appreciate receiving the access information. If the Commission determines that no further information is needed and does not require the Campaign’s participation, please let me know and I will defer to the Commission’s preference on attendance.

¹ Complaint, Appendix B.

Should you have any further questions, or if I may provide any additional information in advance of the May 27 meeting, please contact me at amackin@lexpolitica.com.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Anna Mackin". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Anna" and last name "Mackin" clearly distinguishable.

Anna Mackin
Counsel to Bobby Charles for Maine Governor

Encl.: Affidavit of Vincent Harris with Exhibit A



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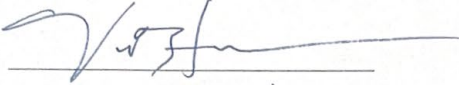
AFFIDAVIT OF VINCENT HARRIS

I, Vincent Harris, being duly sworn, do hereby state the following:

1. I am over the age of eighteen and competent to make this declaration. Unless otherwise stated, I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein.
2. I am Chief Executive Officer and Founder of Harris Media LLC (“Harris Media”), a digital marketing and political media agency. Harris Media is the digital marketing firm for the 2026 campaign of Robert B. (“Bobby”) Charles for Governor of Maine (“Campaign”). In that capacity, Harris Media manages digital advertising, website development, and related communications on behalf of the Campaign. As founder and CEO, I am familiar with Harris Media’s standard business practices, as well as its work on the Campaign.
3. As a standard business practice, Harris Media charges clients a flat \$50 fee for domain and website setup purchases made through Harris Media’s GoDaddy account. My review of Harris Media’s business records reflects the following:
 - a. On or about February 10, 2026, Harris Media purchased the domain therealgarrettmason.com through GoDaddy on behalf of the Campaign. Attached as Exhibit A is a true and correct excerpt from the GoDaddy receipt associated with Harris Media’s purchase of therealgarrettmason.com.
 - b. On or about March 3, 2026, Harris Media invoiced the Campaign the standard \$50 charge for reimbursement for the purchase of therealgarrettmason.com.
 - c. The Campaign reimbursed Harris Media \$50.00 for the purchase of therealgarrettmason.com, as reflected on the Campaign’s 42-Day Pre-Primary Report dated March 26, 2026, described as “WEB – Website costs / Reimburse Harris Media for GoDaddy.”
4. Harris Media’s business records reflect that Harris Media did not purchase the domain midgeleyexposed.com, and the domain is not and has never been associated with Harris Media’s GoDaddy account.
5. After learning of the allegation made to the Maine Ethics Commission that Harris Media

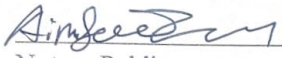
was involved with midgeleyexposed.com, I communicated with each Harris Media employee to investigate that allegation. Based on those communications, neither I nor, to the best of my knowledge and belief, any employee or contractor of Harris Media LLC created, purchased, operated, or authorized midgeleyexposed.com.

The statements above are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature: 

Printed name: Vincent Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of May, 2026, by Vincent Harris.


Notary Public
Printed Name: Airam Samuel Torres
City/County: Culpeper
My commission expires: June 30, 2027
Registration No.: 8085868

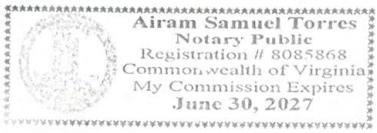


EXHIBIT A

GoDaddy Receipt for therealgarrettmason.com Domain Purchase

 [therealgarrettmason.com](https://www.godaddy.com/therealgarrettmason.com) ... Active Feb 10, 2027 On — Feb 10, 2026 On On