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Republican Party of Florida 420 E. Jefferson Street Tallahassee, FL 32301

Dear Republican Party of Florida,

It has come to my attention that recent political mailers paid for by your organization, and television ads paid for by Republican Stockton Reeves, are attributing the following quote to me: "Hey Hey, Ho Ho, Capitalism has to go."

I never made that statement. These deliberately deceptive and untruthful advertisements amount to intentional misconduct and gross negligence on your part in communicating to the voters of House District 47.

According to Florida Statute 768.72: "Intentional misconduct" means that the defendant had actual knowledge of the wrongfulness of the conduct and the high probability that injury or damage to the claimant would result and, despite that knowledge, intentionally pursued that course of conduct, resulting in injury or damage. "Gross negligence" means that the defendant's conduct was so reckless or wanting in care that it constituted a conscious disregard or indifference to the life, safety, or rights of persons exposed to such conduct.

I demand that you cease the use of fake quotes attributed to me. Our district deserves an honest and authentic leader, someone who stands by the facts, and offers meaningful solutions to the challenges we face. These dishonest and desperate advertisements are the antithesis to this -- and Central Florida deserves better.

I look forward to your response.

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Regard

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Candidate, Florida State House District 47

cc: Stockton Reeves