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Ed Disho c/o Bobby Thompson
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Re: New Mexico Chapter of the United States Navy Veterans Association

Mr. Thompson and Mr. Disho:

I am writing to inform you that the "New Mexico Chapter of the United States Navy Veterans Association" is to cease and desist any and all solicitations or activities in the State of New Mexico. I would send this letter to the officers' addresses as listed on the 2008 990 for this organization however, after some research, including in-person visits to the addresses cited, we have determined that neither of those addresses actually exist.

Since the addresses you provided are fictional, unless you are able to provide me with a showing of legitimate activity by this organization holding itself out as having a charitable purpose in New Mexico, you are on notice that you are not lawfully registered according to the Charitable Solicitations Act at NMSA 1978 §57-22-1 et al, and may be in violation of a number of the substantive provisions of the Act as well. Unregistered organizations are prohibited from soliciting or operating in our state. I am copying this letter to your listed fundraiser, Associated Community Services, so that they are on notice that your organization is not authorized to solicit in New Mexico and that they are to cease any fundraising in New Mexico on your behalf until this matter is resolved..

I am willing to review any information you wish to provide to support the legitimacy of your organization's activities here. However, should you fail to do so, I intend to pursue any and all remedies available to ensure your compliance with New Mexico law.

Should you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Elizabeth Korsmo", written over a horizontal line.

Elizabeth Korsmo
Assistant Attorney General

Cc: Associated Community Services