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RE: Request to Revoke Member Status

Dear

I am in receipt of your letter requesting to resign your member status. I have changed your status in our database to non-member dues payer. As a non-member, you will no longer have the rights most other represented employees have, including the right to vote on the collective bargaining agreement under which you are covered or in any local elections. If you wish to preserve your membership rights and do not want this change to occur please let us know immediately.

I should also note that the organization with whom you appear to be communicating, the Freedom Foundation, has clearly for some time, consistently advocated against your interest as a public employee by, among other things, advocating for the end of defined benefit pensions for public employees. More information on this group is available at <a href="https://www.nwaccountabilityproject.com">www.nwaccountabilityproject.com</a>. In our experience, most employees who study the work of the Freedom Foundation choose to no longer associate themselves with it.

We cannot process your request for a rebate at this time. A request must be made in the agreed upon time frame as specified on the membership card and/or Local 88 collective bargaining agreement.

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You may submit your rebate request to be processed during the open period mentioned above.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Sam Austin

Administrative Services Manager Oregon AFSCME Council 75

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