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ROGGIO CAMPAIGN ADMITS ERRORS ON MISLEADING FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENT FOLLOWING GERLACH COMPLAINT

*Unanswered Questions Remain Over Sections of Roggio's Filing
Mysteriously Left Blank; Roggio Has Yet to Release His Amended
Filing to Press or Public*

(Glenmoore, PA) - The Philadelphia *Evening Bulletin* today confirmed that Democrat Congressional candidate Bob Roggio filed a misleading Financial Disclosure Statement last March and now claims to have "amended" the document. The corrections came following a complaint made yesterday by Jim Gerlach with the House Committee on Standards of Official Conduct and the Department of Justice. In answering the charges via a prepared news release, the Roggio campaign admitted guilt yesterday on one section of his report, suddenly amending and now disclosing sources of income not previously made available to the public on his statement. The problem is, no one has seen the so-called amended filing, and the one error Roggio fixed wasn't the only mistake.

Roggio's campaign dodged questions raised yesterday and again today about missing information on Schedule IV, which covers full disclosure of all paid and unpaid positions held in organizations like business partnerships, corporations, non-profits, and educational institutions. Roggio indicated on the "Preliminary Information" page of his original filing that he did in fact hold at least one of those positions, but failed to disclose what positions he held and the name of the organization, as required by law.

"I don't know why Bob Roggio continues to stumble and hide," said Mark Campbell, Political Director. "If we can't expect Bob Roggio to be honest and forthright when running for Congress, how can we expect him to be an honest public servant? This is very telling about how much Bob Roggio and his campaign care about honesty and ethics in government."

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