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Statement from Betty Cardenas, National Chairwoman of the RNHA on the recent social media attacks against the organization.

The Republican National Hispanic Assembly, hereinafter referred to as “RNHA,” is a political organization founded in 1967. We seek to promote Hispanic-American issues and interests within the Republican Party with a goal of attracting Hispanic-Americans to vote with regularity to express their views and concerns.

It has come to the attention of the RNHA that some groups are attempting to slur the impeccable name and reputation of the RNHA. **The RNHA categorically denies each and every allegation.** A reporter has asked questions about our finances to some disgruntled former members who had a conflicting term with the organization. The former members have no knowledge of the financial conditions of the RNHA. The reporter has asked the RNHA to open its books to prove that the allegations are false. This simply will not happen. The RNHA has confidential donor and membership information and, in many cases, has signed non-disclosure agreements. Furthermore, each RNHA chapter is required to file for its own EIN and is responsible for its own filings. The reporter should have asked more questions about the source of the information that he received. The timing of the release is questionable in that the RNHA has a major event scheduled in Florida. Other entities are seeking to disrupt our Florida State Convention by disseminating false and misleading allegations about the RNHA. We would also like to clarify that all proceeds stay in Florida. As a political organization, we are constantly attacked by the liberal left and, sadly, also by some of the “so-called” Republicans. The RNHA continues to support the America First agenda and our Republican Party.

We have forwarded this matter to our legal team for further action, as the RNHA is concentrating efforts on the special elections taking place today. The RNHA has the peace of mind of knowing that everything we do is strictly in accordance with the law. I also want to thank our strong Board members, members, and donors for their unconditional support. As national chairwoman, I am committed to upholding the reputation of this incredible organization that has worked tirelessly for the growth, participation, and inclusion of our Hispanic brothers and sisters. Our leaders have sacrificed their personal time to achieve the favorable results we have obtained. I could not be more proud of our team. Nobody profits from this; we are all volunteers. We do this for the future of our children and for the love of our country.

The RNHA will seek legal remedies against these defamatory accusations and any harm they have caused.

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