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TRUTH CONTINUES TO SLIP FROM POLLARD CAMPAIGN MATERIALS - AFTER FREE-LANCE STAR CORRECTS POLLARD, HE MAKES AN EVEN MORE OUTRAGEOUS LIE -

STAFFORD – In a desperate attempt to win votes, yesterday, the Pollard campaign sent a mailer to the people of the 28th District that claims Richard Stuart would support “amnesty” for employers who hire illegal aliens.

The problem for the Pollard campaign is that the citation for this even more outrageous lie is the same *Free Lance-Star* article of 8/22/07 used by the Pollard campaign to make the claim that Stuart would not crackdown on employers. This claim was made even *after* the *Free-Lance Star* clarified that Richard Stuart did not make such a statement and that the story on 8/22/07 did not include such a statement – stating Stuart “did not say he opposed cracking down on employers.”

Rather than apologize to Richard Stuart, the Pollard campaign now grows even more desperate and claims that Richard Stuart supports “amnesty” – citing the same 8/22/07 article from the *Free-Lance Star*.

“It is truly disappointing that Albert Pollard has yet to stop using the *Free Lance-Star* to support his outrageous lies when the newspaper has set the record straight,” said Susan Stimpson, Campaign Director. “When will Albert accept the truth?”

What about Pollard’s admission that he voted for in-state tuition in 2004? (HB 156, 2004). Last week he told the *Free Lance-Star* that his response to the question “might have been inartful” and this week his campaign manager told the *Northern Neck News* that the answer was being “misinterpreted.” (*Northern Neck News* 10/10/07)

There is nothing unclear about Albert Pollard’s own statement acknowledging that he voted against legislation that would have prohibited in-state tuition in 2004:

When asked in the King George debate about whether he supports denying in-state tuition for illegal immigrants, Pollard responded: “Absolutely. The children of illegal or illegal immigrants should not receive in-state tuition. And in 2004 I had actually voted against a bill because you had to establish domicile in order to have in-state tuition and quite frankly the size of the problem had been misrepresented to me. But I did some research and I voted in 2005 for HB 1798, which cut off state and local assistance for illegal immigrants, because first we need to take care of folks who are here legally.” (Albert Pollard, King George Debate, 08.24.07)

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