



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
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March 29, 2004

Thay Humes, Owner  
Humes McCoy Aviation  
470 Briscoe Blvd.  
Lawrenceville, GA 30056

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Dear Mr. Humes:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated March 29, 2004. The Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended and Commission Regulations require that the contents of a complaint meet certain specific requirements. Your letter does not meet these requirements. Although your letter was signed in the presence of a notary public and notarized, it was not sworn to, as required.

In order to file a legally sufficient complaint, you must swear before a notary that the contents of your complaint are true to the best of your knowledge and the notary must represent as part of the jurat that such swearing occurred. The preferred form is "Subscribed and sworn to before me on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_." A statement by the notary that the complaint was sworn to and subscribed before her also will be sufficient.

Please note that this matter will remain confidential for a 15 day period to allow you to correct the defects in your complaint. If the complaint is corrected and refiled within the 15 day period, the respondents will be so informed and provided a copy of the corrected complaint. The respondents will then have an additional 15 days to respond to the complaint on the merits. If the complaint is not corrected, the file will be closed and no additional notification will be provided to the respondents.

We regret the inconvenience that these requirements may cause you, but we are not statutorily empowered to proceed with the handling of a compliance action unless all the statutory requirements are fulfilled. See 2 U.S.C. § 437g. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

*Retha Dixon*  
Retha Dixon  
Docket Chief

GWINNETT  
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF [REDACTED] COUNTY  
STATE OF GEORGIA  
FAMILY DIVISION

MUR # 5441

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Petitioner: Thay J. Humes

and

Respondent: F. E. C. / John W. Clark For President

Civil Action File No: \_\_\_\_\_

Affidavit in Support of F. E. C. Investigation

I, Thay Humes, hereby swear and affirm that I have personal knowledge that  
(Print or type your name)  
the following facts are true and accurate:

I am (check one of the following)  the Petitioner  the Respondent  a witness in the above styled  
action, and I submit this affidavit in support of F. E. C. John W. Clark Investigation.  
The reasons I support this are the following: \_\_\_\_\_

Letter Enclosed, STATEMENT  
OF FACT To the F. E. C. OFFICE of  
General Council.

This the 7th day of April, 2004.

Thay J. Humes

(Sign your name here in front of the notary)

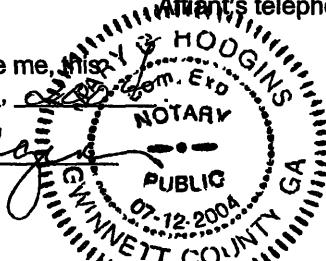
Affiant's name (print or type): Thay J. Humes

Affiant's address: 570 Briscoe Blvd.  
Lawrenceville GA 30045

Affiant's telephone number: ( )

404-840-3660

Sworn to and subscribed before me, Mary P. Hodges, Notary Public, on the 7th day of April, 2004.  
My Commission Expires: 07-12-2004



If you require materials in alternate format, please notify the Family Law Information Center as soon as possible.

Humes McCoy Aviation  
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Lawrenceville, Georgia 30045

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1-877-723-5898

April 6, 2004

**Office of General Council (Investigator Philip Dean) F.E.C.**

**Office of Representative John Linder (R-GA 7<sup>th</sup>)**

**Mr. Derrick Corbit**

Sir.

This a follow up to our telephone conversation on Friday February 20<sup>th</sup> 2004, my concern started January 29<sup>th</sup> 2004. I own a small minority aviation business in Gwinnett County Georgia. It is one of a kind; I have enclosed a folder that tells a little about my young and growing company. I was contacted by a representative John Kerry for President. I was told that an aircraft was needed for Presidential Candidate Wesley Clark and my company name was referred I was then contacted by Holly Johnson assistant to Wesley Clark. She told me they needed a large plane immediately, large enough to hold at least 40 passengers as well as lots of media equipment.

I charted a corporate configured 737-200 series aircraft. The crew arrived in Columbia South Carolina at 3am Friday morning. Mrs. Holly Johnson and I agreed on an all inclusive fee of \$10,600.00 per hour. **The invoice and agreement are enclosed with this letter.** Later that morning Wesley Clark and his staff boarded the plane for Tulsa OK. **The manifest is also included with this letter.** For the day a total of 5.9 hours of flight time was used.

The campaign paid \$49,000.00 of the \$67,230.50 bill. I was then told by Holly Johnson and other staff members, because the campaign was ending and all of Wesley Clarks resources would be used for Presidential Candidate John Kerry, **the balance of \$18,230.50 would be a in kind campaign contribution or I should discount the aircraft bill with a letter to and for the campaign.** Sir I am a small start up Minority Company located here in Georgia, I am also a minority vendor with the Department of Transportation. I work hard I just cannot afford to give a campaign that type of contribution. I feel that Wesley Clarks assistant Holly Johnson and her staff now the Kerry for president 2004 staff are forcing me to contribute or make discount for my services and aircraft, to an interest I do not believe in.

Is this legal? How can they be stopped? I have incurred a great expense to provide them with an aircraft. I need the entire invoice due.

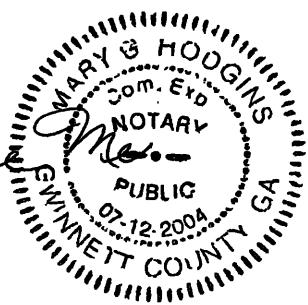
Thank you,

*Thay Humes*

Thay Humes Owner  
Humes McCoy Aviation

*Attest: Sworn to & Subscribed Before  
4/7/04*

*Mary G. Hodges*



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**Date: January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2004**

**Company: Presidential Candidate Wesley Clark 2004**

**Address: 1400 West Markham**

**City: Little Rock Arkansas**

**Zip code: 72201**

**Phone: 501-537-2004**

**Fax:**

**Representative: General Wesley Clark and Stacey Rubin**

**Date Of Service: January 30<sup>th</sup> 2004**

**Aircraft/Tail# N737Q**

**Flight Segments:**

**Leg Times:**

**Reposition: 737-200 From LAX to COLUMBIA, SC**

**3hr 50min**

**1<sup>st</sup> Leg: From-To COLUMBIA, SC - TULSA, OK**

**2hr 40min**

**Flight Charges:**

**Amount**

**AirCraft Base Charge: \$ 62,540.00**

**Catering Fee: 0**

**Federal Excise Tax: \$ 4,690.50**

**Landing Fees: 0**

**Segment Adjustment: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Total of Charges: \$ 67,230.50**

**Paid: \$ 49,000.00**

**Balance due: \$ 18,230.50**

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## FINAL WKC SCHEDULE

1/30/2004

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12:40 p.m.  
EST

**WHEELS UP** en route Tulsa, OK  
 [flight time: 2 hours, 30 minutes]  
 [time change: -1 hour]

**TAIL #:** N737Q  
**PIC:** Capt. Jeff Stewart (916-275-8188)  
 Co - Pilot Craig Tompkins  
 2 Flight Attendants TBD

**LUNCH WILL BE SERVED****FLIGHT MANIFEST:**

General Wesley Clark  
 Eli Segal  
 Gene Caulfield  
 Chris Lehane  
 Stacey Rubin  
 Jamal Simmons  
 Vanessa Weaver  
 Amad Jackson  
 Jamie Rubin  
 Josh Gottheimer  
 Ian Alberg  
 Deborah Apton ABC  
 Beth Fouhy AP  
 Charles Dharapak AP  
 Kevin Freking Arkansas Democrat Gazette  
 Rick Klein Boston Globe  
 Bonney Kapp CBS  
 Sasha Johnson CNN  
 Rick Blackburn CNN  
 Chris Hrubesh CNN  
 Eric Slater LA Times  
 Marisa Buchanan MSNBC  
 Ed Wyatt New York Times  
 Thomas Frank Newsday  
 Trent Giegax Newsweek  
 Ron Haviv Newsweek  
 Art Spiegelman Reuters  
 Dana Hull San Jose Mercury News  
 Sue Faulkner Staffers  
 Anthony Suau TIME  
 Paul Schwartzman Washington Post  
 Eric Lesser European Photo Agency

2:10 p.m.  
CST**WHEELS DOWN** Tulsa, OK

**FBO:** Tulsa Air Beachcraft  
**Address:** 3207 N. Sheridan  
 Tulsa, OK 74115  
**Phone:** 918-835-7651  
**Fax:** 918-835-1561

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Thay J. Humes  
c/o  
Humes Mccoy Auction.

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Ms. R. Dixon

This is my 3rd attempt. I believe  
ALL IS IN ORDER.

Thay's

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