

24 September 1998

Federal Election Commission
999 E Street
Washington, DC 20463

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Subject: MUR 4807

Dear Sirs,

Guthrie Trailer Sales has violated no Federal Election Campaign Act, nor any other regulation. The trailer referred to in the subject complaint was sold by my business (a sole proprietorship) to Rudy Izzard, D.D.S. on 1 May 1996 for the amount of \$1700.00. This amount was paid by Mr. Izzard on that date, using First National Bank of Ballinger, TX check #1699.

On 2 November 1996 I received a request that I re-purchase the trailer, which was no longer needed. My offer of \$1200.00 was accepted, and I made payment on that date using my Texas Bank of Brownwood, TX check #941. Subject trailer was thereafter placed on display on my sales lot, and subsequently resold.

The transactions described above were, indeed, normal and proper commercial events. I feel deeply offended that anyone could suppose otherwise. Please inform me, as quickly as possible, that this baseless allegation has been withdrawn or canceled.

Sincerely,

Lonneal Guthrie
Lonneal Guthrie
2202 10th Street
Brownwood, TX 76801