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Campaign Finance Commission

Georgia Government Transparency and Campaign Finance Commission

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COMPLAINT FORM

Post Marked Date

Alleging a Violation of the Georgia Government Transparency and Campaign Finance Act H.D.V.Z.

JURISDICTION: This office has jurisdiction ONLY in matters involving financial disclosure, campaign finance, and lobbyist disclosure. O.C.G.A. §45-1-6 covers state vendor disclosure law as outlined in the Campaign Finance Act in O.C.G.A. Title 21-5 et seq and O.C.G.A. §45-1-6 covering state vendor disclosure law. Please ensure that your complaint is within the Commission's jurisdiction.

Mail or hand delivery original signed/notarized form and attachments to above address.

I. PERSON BRINGING COMPLAINT = COMPLAINANT:

Name:	Shawn M. Keefe						
Address:	1475 Village Park Court						
City:	Brookhaven	State:	GA	County:	DeKalb	Zip:	30319
Telephone:	(770) 653-2527	E-mail (optional):					

II. PARTY AGAINST WHOM COMPLAINT IS BROUGHT = RESPONDENT:

Name:	Taylor Bennett						
Address:	2023 Cobblestone Circle, NE						
City:	Brookhaven	State:	GA	County:	DeKalb	Zip:	30319
Telephone:	(636) 541-1561						
Title of office held or sought: (if applicable)	Candidate for State House District 80						

III. STATEMENT OF FACTS:

State the actions of the Respondent upon which your complaint is based along with an ALLEGATION that such facts constitute one or more violations of the Georgia Government Transparency and Campaign Finance Act. See JURISDICTION above. Include relevant dates and the names and addresses of other persons who you believe have knowledge of the facts and attach any documentation/evidence that support the facts alleged in this complaint. Please see § 21-5-6.23 regarding attorneys' fees.

Taylor Bennett, candidate for State House 80, has failed to file his Personal Financial Disclosure under the law within the time allotted. Furthermore, he has still yet to file his Personal Financial Disclosure as required by the law even though the special election date of July 14 has passed and we are closing in on the run-off election day of August 11. Please see the attached screenshot of the Mr. Bennett's Registration Information and Financial Reports from the Georgia Government Transparency and Campaign Finance Commission website date today, July 24, 2015.

(If continued on other side or additional paper, please check here _____)

IV. VERIFICATION BY OATH OR AFFIRMATION – ORIGINAL NOTARY & SIGNATURES REQUIRED

STATE OF Georgia COUNTY OF DeKalb

I, the undersigned Complainant, being duly sworn, depose (affirm) and say that the information in this Complaint is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Notary Stamp/Crimp:

Sworn to and subscribed before me
on

July 24, 2015
Christine G. Heiser
Signature of Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

November 14, 2015

SIGNATURE AND STATEMENT OF COMPLAINANT:

☒ I AM, ☐ I AM NOT, in filing this complaint acting as an agent, paid or otherwise, for any other person.

DATE: 07/24/2015

PENALTIES: False Swearing: A person to whom a lawful oath or affirmation has been administered or who executes a document knowing that it purports to be an acknowledgment of a lawful oath or affirmation commits the offense of false swearing when, in any matter or thing other than a judicial proceeding, he knowingly and willfully makes a false statement under Code Section 16-10-71. A person convicted of the offense of false swearing shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000.00 or by imprisonment for not less than one nor more than five years, or both.

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Filer Name: Taylor J Bennett
Filer ID: F2015017274
Mailing Address: 2023 Cobblestone Circle NE
Address 2:
City, State Zip: Brookhaven GA 30319
Telephone: (636) 541 - 1561 **Telephone:**

Office Name - Current

STATE REPRESENTATIVE - DISTRICT 80

Personal Financial Disclosure Statement(s)

No Reports Have Been Filed With The State Ethics Commission.