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Mississippi State Board of Election Commissioners
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Dear Sirs:

RE: Rankin County Voter Registration for Todd McLaurin Wade

Rankin County keeps voter registration information on two separate voter programs. The first is on our AS400 system, which was designed by our Information Technology Director in 1984. Once a name is entered into the system as a registered voter, the name can never be removed. If the voter is deceased, moves or is purged by the election commissioners, that name is given a code showing the reason for taking the voter off the active list but the voter record remains in the program. Our second voter program is the Statewide Election Management System, which was mandated by the federal government in 2003.

After a thorough search of both Rankin County voter registration programs, I was unable to find any voter registration for Todd McLaurin Wade. Our office has kept a paper printout of all voters registered in Rankin County as of July 16, 2001, and I searched that record also. Mr. Wade was not listed on our records as a registered voter at that time.

I performed a diligent search of the paper registration forms in our office dating back to 1995, the year Mr. Wade was a senior in high school, and did not find an application for Todd McLaurin Wade.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED this the 12th day of September, 2011

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