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# **AFFIDAVIT - of yet another BRICK - NOT suitable** for throwing thru Judge Chris Martin glass door

Sec. 31.03. THEFT. (a) A person commits an offense if he unlawfully appropriates property with intent to deprive the owner of property. Sec. 31.01(4) THEFT. "Appropriate" means: (A) to bring about the transfer or purported transfer of title to or other nonpossessory interest in property, whether to the actor or another; [for you non-lawyers: like judgments, liens. Generally such as easements etc]

#### **preface**

<u>THIS UNHOLY MESS</u> started to go bat shit crazy - when in the pattern of "too much – and never enough" – phrase courtesy Mary Trump – the perpetrators did - "bring about" – "unlawful appropriation" – "of a non-possessory interest in property" – (i.e. unlawful judgment liens) – textbook penal Sec. 31.03 white collar THEFT – "appropriate" per Sec. 31.01(4) - **by FORGING themselves** not one – but TWO additional "judgments" – making for a total of <u>THREE - all in the same case!</u> There can of course only be ONE.

# **background**

<u>How did I come to so openly taunt</u> – or rather have to taunt - our new District Judge, Hon. Chris Martin - with whom I had no personal or court proceeding conflict –

Who has not done me any wrong – but who has clearly come to see - as evidenced by our referenced AUDIOS – that "there is something rotten in the state of Denmark". Such phrase of course from Hamlet – even two lowly palace guards recognizing that something is awry in the chambers of power – in that case – murder by the new king – of his brother, the old king.

"And between the two of us etc." – as indicated by two AUDIOS - one at the county clerk's counter – when I "accidentally on purpose" met Mr. Martin, when he was still our district attorney.

"And between the two of us etc." – at our following other lengthy exchange – this one in the DA lobby - when on my way to our courthouse with my rusty wheelbarrow – for yet another – and more dramatic attempt "to be heard" – else arrested – see my **Why I need to get them to arrest me**.

"And between the two of us etc." – at our second meeting - no one else in the lobby – Mr. Martin immediately coming out of his office and joining me on the bench – my wheelbarrow between the two of us – and me again plunking down THREE small digital voice recorders – this time onto the wheelbarrow – me acknowledging the recorders – with my "these things don't always work" - -

With my earlier run-in with then DA Martin best summarized in my **criminal complaint upon DA Martin**. Same for my underlying **criminal complaint upon Judge Paul Banner**.

#### **summary**

"And between the two of us etc" – our Second AUDIO - no need to listen to it at this time – best just read these comments of mine upon it. Then listen later to the AUDIO. And again – and again – it WILL come through.

#### **conclusions**

To me, Mr. Martin came across as a totally honest and frank person – but still naïve of the evils of our courts – or rather how our courts can be – and are being misused by "bad people".

As for "bad people" - see my civil RICO suit against Judges Banner and Chapman – all documents on my web – and my <u>one hour or so audio before Judge John McCraw</u>. Ignorance of civil RICO., the constitutional limits on civil sanctions – i.e. that such have to be "coercive, forward-looking, keys-to-own-release, forbidden for COMPLETED anything, etc. -

And for completeness, Mr. Martin got his law license about 2006, and garden variety crimes ever after.

As a pro se, however, I have been "at it" ever since that fraudulent beaver dam case against me in 1994 – and those obscene sanctions starting in 2002 – and TWICE all the way up - Dallas Court of Appeals - Texas Supreme Court - US Supreme Court). ALL documents on my web – even earlier once before all-the way up.

ALL upon due process and the limits on judicial immunity per the US Supreme Court.

To me, Mr. Martin seemed to be more concerned that I had been "so unfair" to then district judge Teresa Drum" – than he was concerned about that obscenely unlawful \$62,885 and \$125,770 punishment judge Paul Banner and judge Ron Chapman had put upon me – Mr. Martin almost childishly innocent of knowledge of evil in high places.

"Yes, he said it – but I am saying it doesn't say that in the court documents – that he did it out of retaliation".

"Childishly innocent of knowledge of evil in high places".

And for completeness – there is the <u>motion for sanctions</u> – seeking punishment upon me – for in essence "<u>making a mockery of all lawyers</u> and the entire judicial system" – Judge Banner's ruling of "<u>well-intentioned</u>" thereon as caught by the court reporter – Judge Banner's Order on Motion for Sanctions devoid of any reason of WHY as required by Rule 13 – with the <u>forgery of "this judgment rendered"</u> – the fraudulent all-poison <u>Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law</u> referred to at 6:24 – the 12 year later "revival" by <u>writ of scire facias</u> – of the <u>forged</u> now newly re-christened as "sanction judgment" - and the menagerie of the <u>three</u> <u>abstracts of judgments</u> - on the <u>three judgments</u> - the <u>three writs of executions.</u>

### re the sin of omission

A man does not sin by commission only, but often by omission. Marcus Aurelius. 121-180

Canon 3: Performing the Duties of Judicial Office Impartially and Diligently D. Disciplinary Responsibilities.(1) A judge who receives information clearly establishing that another judge has committed a violation of this Code **should** take appropriate action. A judge <u>having knowledge</u> that another judge has committed a violation of this Code that raises a substantial question as to the other judge's fitness for office **shall** inform the State Commission on Judicial Conduct or take other appropriate action.

PS: I am SURE – that there exists a suitable BRICK.

This the 13th day of September, 2020

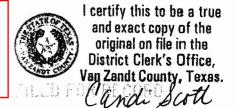
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LARGE ATTACH BELOW

1. There was of course not even a case in the court at this time - the judgment had disposed of "all the issues between all of the parties".

2. Any sanction in a civil proceeding has to be "forward looking", i.e. "coercive", i.e. provide "keys to own release" - by complying with some Order of the court - of which there was NONE - ever.



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| G. DAVII | WESTFALL, P.C. |

Plaintiff/Counter-Defendant

v.

**UDO BIRNBAUM** 

Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff and Third Party Plaintiff

v.

G. David Westfall, Christina Westfall, and § Stefani Podvin

**Third Party Defendants** 

IN THE DISTRICT COURT AN 8: 47

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294th JUDICIAL DISTRICT

THIS IS THE MOTION FOR SANCTIONS UPON WHICH I WAS PUNISHED \$62,885 AND ULTIMATELY ANOTHER \$125,770 62,885 X 2 = 155,770

VAN ZANDT COUNTY, TEXAS

#### **MOTION FOR SANCTIONS**

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COMES NOW, Third Party Defendants, G. David Westfall, Christian Westfall, and Stefani Podvin, ("Movants"), third party defendants in the above-styled and numbered cause and files this Motion For Sanctions based upon Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff's violation of Rule 13, T. R. C. P., and violation of §§10.001 et seq. of the Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code, and

3. UNCONDITIONAL "punishment" - for

would thereby show the Court as follows:

I. FACTS: 3. UNCONDITIONAL "punishment" - for past and completed conduct - requires FULL CRIMINAL PROCESS - including a finding of "beyond a reasonable doubt" - by a JURY. US Supreme Court

- 1. This lawsuit was brought by Plaintiff to collect on overdue legal fees for legal services rendered to the Defendant at Defendant's request.
- 2. Instead of a mounting a normal defense to a rather simple lawsuit such as this and raising the normal objections to a suit on a sworn account, the Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff chose

There is of course no rule that a defendant must make a "normal" defense. The judge - as the ringmaster - of course always has the power to "correct" the parties - but he never reprimanded me in the slightest. - NEVER.

**MOTION FOR SANCTIONS** 

G. David Westfall, as the only lawyer "in" Plaintiff The Law Offices of G.David Westfall, P.C, is of course INHERENTLY "implicated" - as is his office staff wife and daughter. "Law Offices" - is - Westfall, his wife, and his daughter.

instead to make this lawsuit into his own public forum to make a mockery of all lawyers and the entire legal system.

- 3. Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff tried unsuccessfully to intimidate and harass the Plaintiff into dropping this lawsuit by attempting to implicate the owner of the Plaintiff, G. David Westfall, as well as his wife and daughter in a totally frivolous claim of running an organized crime syndicate in the form of a law office.
- 4. The Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff has attempted to use the forum of this lawsuit to launch a full scale attack on the integrity and character of G. David Westfall, Christina Westfall, and Stephanie Podvin.

  G. David Westfall was of course dead by this time run over by his own giant tractor. Speaking from his grave?
- 5. If those attacks were not enough, the Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff broadened his attack in his pleadings and so called "Open Letters" to include casting aspersions at this Court, the visiting Judge, the Hon. Paul Banner, the Coordinator of the Court, the Court Reporter for the Court, and the Court of Appeals.

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AND ULTIMATELY ANOTHER \$125,770
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actions against the Defendant/Third Party

Specifically, Movants file this request for sanctions against the Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff for the following actions of the Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff:

1. Filing a frivolous third party claim pleading without factual support or a valid legal basis in Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff's causes of action filed against either G. David Westfall, Christina Westfall, or Stefani Podvin. Movants contend that Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff filed these pleadings for the purpose of causing inconvenience and/or harassment for Stefani Podvin, Christina Westfall, G. David Westfall, P.C., and G. David Westfall, individually and not in support of any valid, legally factual, and legally supportable claims.

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 Filing discovery requests and taking depositions for the purpose of harassment and inconvenience and not to support any valid claims or causes of actions against the Movants.

3. Filing a frivolous motion to recuse the Hon. Paul Banner for the purpose of causing inconvenience and/or harassment for Movants.

Filing frivolous and untimely motions to appeal the granting of the Movants'
 Motions for Summary Judgment granted by the trial court.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Movants pray that a hearing be set on this motion, and following a hearing, the Court assess appropriate sanctions against the Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff for the violations of Rule 13 of the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure and/or the violations of §10.001 et seq. of the Tex. Rules of Civil Procedure. Specifically, Movants request damages be assessed against the Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff and awarded to the Movants for the following:

- a. Reimbursement of all Movants' reasonable and necessary attorney's fees expended by Movants in defense of the allegations made by the Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff in this lawsuit to the extent such attorney's fees have not yet been awarded in any prior rulings of this Court.
- Reimbursement of all Movants' reasonable and necessary attorney's fees expended
   by Movants in pursuit of this Motion for Sanctions.
- c. Monetary damages to reimburse Movants for the inconvenience and harassment suffered by the Movants as a direct result of the improper actions taken by the Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff against the Movants in connection with this lawsuit.

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Any penalty paid to the Court - makes such "criminal in nature" - requiring full criminal process.

- d. Punitive damages to be assessed against the Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff and awarded to the Movants in order to prevent the reoccurrence of such behavior again in the future by the Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff.
- e. Damages assessed against the Defendant/Third Party Plaintiff and awarded to the

  Court to reimburse the Court for its expenses and inconvenience suffered as a

  direct result of frivolous pleadings filed on behalf of the Defendant/Third Party

  Plaintiff.

  "Inconvenience suffered" by the Court come on.
- f. And for such other and further relief, both general and special, to which Movants may be justly entitled, both at law and equity.

Respectfully submitted,

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ATTORNEY FOR MOVANTS

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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District Judge Presiding

damages, \$5,000.00 in punitive and the joint and several 1 \$50,085.00 in attorneys' fees. Mr. Birnbaum's sanctions as 2 against Mr. Fleming or against the P.C. is denied and nothing 3 was a JURY trial. Why is HE well-intentioned 4 is ordered. weighing the evidence? In assessing the sanctions, the Court has 5 6 taken into consideration that although Mr. Birnbaum may be HEREIN lies the real reason! "civil RICO" well-intentioned and may believe that he had some kind of 7 8 real claim as far as RICO there was nothing presented to the 9 court ip any of the proceedings since I've been involved that suggest he had any basis in law or in fact to support his 10 11 suits against the individuals, and I think -- can find that such sanctions as I've determined are appropriate. And if 12 you will provide me with an appropriate sanctions order, I 13 \$62,885 Sanction - for a "well-intentioned" COUNTER-14 will reflect it. CLAIM - a First Amendment Right! Official Oppression Now, as far as relief for sanctions on behalf 15 of Mr. Westfall, individually, that is specifically denied. 16 17 Any relief sought by any party by way of 18 sanctions which have not been specifically addressed either 19 by the granting or the denial of same -- such is denied. 20 How soon can I expect an order because 21 I gather this matter will go up to whatever appropriate "Oh HORROR of HORRORS - a Pro Se - with appeals court for review? 22 a CIVIL RACKETEERING counter-claim!" 23 I will give Mr. Birnbaum the MR. FLEMING: 24 I'll submit it to him. And if I don't statutory three days. 25 hear back from him, I'll submit it to you after.

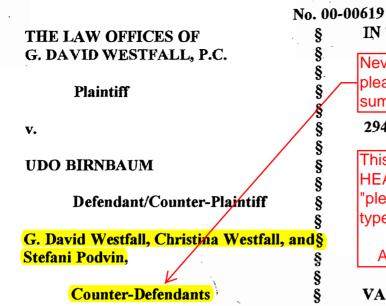
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Also FRAUD - in Judge Paul Banner NOT stating - as required by Rule 13 - just WHY he sanctioned. It would of course be incriminating - that he PUNISHED me - for having made a "civil RICO" counter-claim - a First Amendment Right - and "well-intentioned" at that.



I certify this to be a true and exact copy of the original on file in the District Clerk's Office, Van Zandt County, Texas.

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Never a "plaintiff-type". Never made a pleading against me. Also out by summary judgment long ago.

#### 294th JUDICIAL DISTRICT

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

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VAN ZANDT COUNTY, TEXAS

#### **ORDER ON MOTIONS FOR SANCTIONS**

On July 30, 2002, came on to be heard, Motions for Sanctions filed by G. David Westfall. Christina Westfall, and Stefani Podvin, as well as to be heard Motions for Sanctions filed by Udo Birnbaum. The plaintiff, The Law Office of G. David Westfall, P.C. (the "Plaintiff"), appeared in person by representative and by attorney of record. The defendant, Udo Birnbaum, appeared in person, pro se. The counter-defendant, G. David Westfall, appeared by representative and by attorney of record. The counter-defendants, Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin appeared in person and by attorney of record. All parties announced ready for a hearing on all the pending motions for sanctions currently on file in this matter at the time of the hearing.

Based upon the pleadings of the parties, the evidence presented at trial and the evidence presented at the sanctions hearing, and the arguments of counsel and by the pro se defendant, the Court is of the opinion that the Movants, Christina Westfall and Stefani Westfall are entitled to prevail on Trial - by jury - was April 8, 2002. their claim for sanctions against the Defendant, Udo Birnbaum.

Can't have a SECOND trial - a BENCH trial at that - on July 30, 2002 - over 3 months later.

ALL FRAUD ALL FRAUD

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Never a "plaintiff-type". Never made a pleading against me. Also out by summary judgment long ago.

Also FRAUD - in "finagling" a mere and untimely motion for sanctions - into a "pleading" in the cause

It is therefore, **ORDERED**, **ADJUDGED** and **DECREED** that the Counter-Defendants, Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin are awarded damages as a sanction against and to be paid by defendant, Udo Birnbaum, to Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin as follows:

- A. Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin are awarded jointly and severally the amount of \$50,085.00 as reimbursement for their joint attorney's fees.
- **B.** Christina Westfall is awarded actual damages for her personal inconvenience in the amount of \$1,000.00, and she is further awarded punitive damages for the harassment caused to her in the amount of \$5,000.00.
- C. Stefani Podvin is awarded actual damages for her personal inconvenience in the amount of \$1,800.00, and she is further awarded punitive damages for the harassment caused to her in the amount of \$5,000.00.
- **D.** The Court denies the request for a finding of any sanctions to be awarded in favor of G. David Westfall, individually.
- E. The Court denies the request for a finding of any sanctions to be awarded in favor of Udo

  Nothing ADJUDICATED. This

  ORDER is NOT a judgment

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT the judgment here rendered shall bear interest at the rate of ten percent (10%) from July 30, 2002, until paid.

All other relief regarding any motions for sanctions on file in this matter not expressly granted in this order is hereby denied.

THIS JUDGMENT RENDERED ON JULY 30, 2002, AND SIGNED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ day

JUDGE PRESIDING

of Kryust 2002

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Also JURY cause - no jury here
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Just read this stuff - - "inconsistent with due process". Markups throughout this document. Also inconsistent with DIST. CLERK VAN ZAND contemporaneous finding of "well-intentioned". ALL FRAUD No. 00-00619 IN THE DISTRICT COURT THE LAW OFFICES OF ş G, DAVID WESTFALL, P.C. Was a JURY cause. Had been tried to the JURY. Plaintiff Cannot - a SECOND time - "try to the Court". BLATANT FRAUD. This document is a CYA § § **UDO BIRNBAUM** Clarifica endments 8 ş Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff G. David Westfall, Christina Westfall, and§ Stefani Podvin. §

# FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

VAN ZANDT COUNTY, TEXAS

The above-captioned cause came on for trial to a jury on April 8, 2002. At the conclusion of the evidence, the Court submitted questions of fact in the case to the jury.

In addition to the matters tried to the jury the Court took under consideration the Motion filed by David Westfall, the Plaintiff (the "Plaintiff"), and Christina Westfall, and Stefani Podvin (Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin collectively referred to herein as the "Counter-Defendants) concerning the filing of a frivolous tawsuit and Rule 13 Sanctions. The combined issues of the counter-claim on frivolous lawsuit and the Rule 13 Motion were tried together to the Court on July 30, 2002. At the proceedings on July 30, 2002, the Plaintiff appeared by counsel, the Counter-Defendants appeared in person and were also represented by their attorney. At the proceedings on July 30, 2002, Udo Birnbaum (the "Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff"), the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff, There was NO "counter-claim" - EVER - in fact they had ALL been appeared pro se.

DISMISSED by "summary judgement" - long, long ago! ALL FRAUD. Look at heading - had been ONLY "counter-DEFENDANTS

After considering the pleadings, the evidence presented at the trial to the jury as well as the

evidence presented at the summary judgment hearings and the sanctions hearing before the

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Counter-Defendants

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in response to a request from the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff, the Court makes its findings of fact and conclusions of law as follows:

#### Findings of Fact

- 1. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims concerning RICO civil conspiracy claims against Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin (the wife and daughter of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's former attorney, David Westfall) were groundless and totally unsupported by any credible avidence whatsoever.

  Always remember the court reporter found him saying that Mr. Birnbaum was "well intentioned". Suddenly all this stuff.
- 2. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims concerning RICO civil conspiracy claims against Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin were without merit and brought for the purpose of harassment, delay, and to seek advantage in a collateral matter by attempting to cause the original Plaintiff. David Westfall to drop his claim for un-reimbursed legal services provided to the Defendant.

  "David Westfall" was NOT the plaintiff! Plaintiff was "The Law Offices" fraudulently claiming existence of an OPEN ACCOUNT. FRAUD.
- 3. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff was afforded numerous opportunities to marshal his evidence and present any facts to support his allegations concerning RICO civil conspiracy claims against the wife and daughter of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's attorney, David Westfall. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff wholly failed to provide any such credible evidence at either the summary judgment phase of the lawsuit or at the hearing on the motion for sanctions.

  NEVER was a counter PLAINTIFF
- 4. The attempt to provide testimony by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff concerning RICO civil conspiracy claims were his own opinions and totally uncorresponded by any other evidence.
- 5. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff never established that he had suffered any economic damages as a result of an alleged conspiracy. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff was sued by his former counsel to collect money for legal work which had been performed for the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff for which the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff had not paid his attorney in

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Judge Paul Banner did NOT submit ANY of this to the jury! He INSTRUCTED THEM that Mr. Birnbaum had "FAILED TO ABIDE"!

full. The jury found that the work had been performed by the attorney, the amount charged to the client was reasonable, and that there was an amount owed by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff to the Plaintiff. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims concerning RICO civil conspiracy claims had no bearing on whether or not the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff received the legal services and owed the balance of the outstanding attorney's fees.

| Did NOT sue for "outstanding attorney's fees, but for UNPAID OPEN ACCOUNT

- 6. The filing of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims concerning RICO civil conspiracy was a blatant and obvious attempt to influence the outcome of the Plaintiff's legitimate lawsuit against the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff and to cause harassment to the Plaintiff and his family members.
- 7. The behavior of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff in filing claims concerning RICO civil conspiracy in this lawsuit have been totally without substantiation on any cause of action pled.
- 8. The conduct of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff giving rise to the award of punitive damages was engaged in willfully and maliciously by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff with the intent to harm the Plaintiff and the Counter-Defendants.

  How about "well intentioned"? Remember?
- 9. The amount of actual damages, attorney's fees, suffered by the Counter-Defendant was proven to be reasonable and necessary by a preponderance of the evidence and not challenged by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff at the hearing on sanctions. The amount of actual damages awarded was in an amount that was proven at the hearing.

  Was a JURY case. No jury at this hearing.
- 10. The amount of damages for inconvenience awarded by the court was proven at the hearing by a preponderance of the evidence and not challenged by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff at the hearing on sanctions. The court awarded damages for inconvenience in an amount the Court found to be reasonable and necessary, supported by evidence, and appropriate considering the circumstances.

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Can't do PUNITIVE by CIVIL process! Only "forward looking" COERCIVE!

- 11. The amount of punitive damages awarded by the Court were found to be supported by the evidence and necessary under the circumstances to attempt to prevent similar future action on the part of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff.

  Can't do this in a CIVIL proceeding. Takes FULL CRIMINAL PROCESS.
- 12. The sanctions award is directly related to the harm done.
- 13. The sanctions award is not excessive in relation to the harm done and the net worth of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff.

  No evidence to any of this B.S. ever!
- 14. The sanctions award is an appropriate amount in order to gain the relief which the Court seeks, which is to stop the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff and others similarly situated from filing frivolous lawsuits.

  "relief which the COURT seeks" to keep from filing lawsuits a
  First Amendment Right. OFFICIAL OPPRESSION PER SE.
- 15. The amount of the punitive damage award is an amount narrowly milored to the amount of harm caused by the offensive conduct to be punished.
- 16. The Counter-Defendants suffered both economic and emotional damages as a result of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's lawsuit and specifically the frivolous nature of the lawsuit caused damages which included expenses (in addition to taxable court costs), attorney's fees, harassment, inconvenience, intimidation, and threats.

  No evidence to all this B.S. Remember "well intentioned"?
- 17. The Counter-Defendants established a prima facie case that this lawsuit was filed by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff without merit and for the purpose of harassment. The prima facie case was made by the testimony and documents introduced as evidence by the Counter-Defendants at the summary judgment proceedings as well as at the hearing on sanctions on July 30, 2002.
- 18. After the Counter-Defendants established their prima facie case, the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff failed wholly to provide any credible evidence to support the legal theories of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff. Cannot sanction for the "merit of a case"

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#### Conclusions of Law

- The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff wholly failed to provide any credible evidence to 1. substantiate any of his claims concerning a RICO civil conspiracy claim.
- An essential element of each of Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claim was damages. 2.
- 3. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff failed to prove any damage as a direct result of any action or inaction caused by the Plaintiff or the Counter-Defendants.
- All of Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims were as a matter of law unproved and untenable How about "evidence to the JURY"? on the evidence presented to the Court.
- 5. Based upon the facts presented to support Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claim concerning RICO civil conspiracy charges, the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims concerning RICO civil conspiracy were completely untenable.
- 6. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims concerning RICO civil conspiracy charges were not based upon the law, were not a good faith extension of existing law, and were brought and was "civil RICO" - not the continued to be urged for the purpose of harassment. mumbo-jumbo above
- The court concludes as a matter of law that Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims 7. Matter of "law" concerning RICO civil conspiracy were brought for the purpose of barassment.
- 8. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's behavior in bringing and prosecuting this frivolous lawsuit was a violation of one or more of the following: §9.000 et seq. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, §10.000 et seq. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, and/or Rule 13, T.R.C.P.
- The Court has the power to award both actual and punitive damages against the 9. Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff for the filing and prosecution of a frivolous lawsuit. This authority stems from one or more of the following: §9.000 et seq. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, §10.000 et seq. NO, it does NOT!

Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, Rule 13, T.R.C.P., and/or the common law of Texas.

Official Oppression per se

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- 10. The behavior and attitude of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff in filing and prosecuting this claim against the Counter-Defendants calls out for the award of both actual and punitive damages to be assessed against the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff.
- 11. The Counter-Defendants were successful in presenting a prima facie case to the Court on the issue of sanctions. After the prima facie case was made, the burden of proof shifted to the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff and the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff failed in its effort to prove good faith in the filing of the RICO civil conspiracy claims.
- 12. The appropriate award for actual damages as a result of the filing and full prosecution of this frivolous lawsuit is an award of \$50,085.00 in attorney's fees. The Court makes this award under power granted to the Court by §9.000 et seq. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, §10.000 et seq. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, Rule 13, T.R.C.P., and/or the common law of Texas.
- 13. The appropriate sanction for the inconvenience suffered by the Counter-Defendants for the filing and full prosecution of this frivolous lawsuit is an award of \$1,000.00 to Christina Westfall and \$1,800.00 to Stefani Podvin, to be paid by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff to the Counter-Defendants.
- 14. The appropriate punitive sanction for the filing and full prosecution of this frivolous lawsuit is an award of \$5,000.00 to Christina Westfall and an award of \$5,000.00 to Stefani Podvin, to be paid by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff to the Counter-Defendants.
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SIGNED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ day of September, 2003.

JUDGE PRESIDING

Careful study of this document shows that all this B.S. is to C.Y.A. for having "awarded damages" WITHOUT A JURY - in a jury cause - and trying to CONCEAL that this is exactly what Judge Paul Banner had done.

It also is a window on his mindset during the JURY TRIAL of April 8-11, 2002, his hatred of Pro Se parties.

JUST READ ALL THIS VENOM IN THIS DOCUMENT. Remember, "although Mr. Birnbaum may be well intentioned --- etc. I (Mr. Banner) did not see the evidence as showing etc " - or something like that.

Was of course a JURY TRIAL - so why was Mr. Banner "weighing" the evidence?

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THE LAW OFFICES OF G. DAVID WESTFALL, P.C.

**Plaintiff** 

UDO BIRNBAUM

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**Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff** 

G. David Westfall, Christina Westfall, and Stefani Podvin.

**Counter-Defendants** 

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

294th JUDICIAL DISTRICT

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Official Oppression per se!

VAN ZANDT COUNTY, TEXAS

#### ORDER REVIVING JUDGMENT

On this day, November 14, 2014, came on to be considered the Application for Writ of Scire Facias to Revive Judgment (the "Application") of Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin (collectively "Movants"), judgment-creditors in the above-entitled and numbered case. The Court, having reviewed the pleadings and papers filed in this case finds that defendant/counter-plaintiff Udo Birnbaum has filed an answer to the Application and that Defendant was commanded to appear in this court to show cause why the judgment on sanctions (the "Sanctions Judgment") rendered by this court in the above-entitled and numbered cause on August 9, 2002 should not be revived on the What is this "stuff"? NEVER had

Application of the Movants. | what is this "stuff"? NEVER had "counsel". I was always Pro Se-

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plum UNLAWFUL "sanction judgment" PUNISHMENT being re-executed here today in 2014!

Application should be granted and that the Sanctions Judgment revived for the period of time proscribed by law.

IT IS HEREBY, ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED, that the Sanctions Judgment (a true and exact copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 1 and made a part of this Order as if fully set forth at length) rendered in the above-entitled and numbered cause on July 30, 2002 and signed on August 9, 2002, is hereby revived in all respects against defendant/counterplaintiff Udo Birnbaum;

IT IS FURTHERED ORDERED that execution on the revived Sanctions Judgment may immediately issue; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all costs are taxed against the Defendant, Udo Birnbaum.

All relief requested, not granted herein, is expressly denied.

SIGNED this / day of Novemba, 2014

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PAUL BANNER Senior Judge Presiding by Assignment

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I certify this to be a true and exact copy of the original on file in the District Clerk's Office, Van Zandt County, Texas.

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THE LAW OFFICES OF G. DAVID WESTFALL, P.C.

**Plaintiff** 

v.

**UDO BIRNBAUM** 

**Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff** 

G. David Westfall, Christina Westfall, and § Stefani Podvin,

**Counter-Defendants** 

294th JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Was a JURY trial - with a VERDICT and judgment "rendered" on April 11, 2002. Yet here we are - three months later - WITHOUT A JURY!

Also note - NOWHERE does Judge Paul Banner state WHY he PUNISHED ME!

VAN ZANDT COUNTY, TEXAS

## ORDER ON MOTIONS FOR SANCTIONS

On July 30, 2002, came on to be Heard, Motions for Sanctions filed by G. David Westfall. Christina Westfall, and Stefani Podvin, as well as to be heard Motions for Sanctions filed by Udo Birnbaum. The plaintiff, The Law Office of G. David Westfall, P.C. (the "Plaintiff"), appeared in person by representative and by attorney of record. The defendant, Udo Birnbaum, appeared in person, pro se. The counter-defendant, G. David Westfall, appeared by representative and by attorney of record. The counter-defendants, Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin appeared in person and by attorney of record. All parties announced ready for a hearing on all the pending motions for sanctions currently on file in this matter at the time of the hearing.

Based upon the pleadings of the parties, the evidence presented at trial and the evidence presented at the sanctions hearing, and the arguments of counsel and by the pro se defendant, the Court is of the opinion that the Movants, Christina Westfall and Stefani Westfall are entitled to prevail on their claim for sanctions against the Defendant, Udo Birnbaum.

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It was a JURY case - and ONLY the jury can award "damages". There was NO JURY making this AWARD!

It is therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that the Counter-Defendants, Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin are awarded damages as a sanction against and to be paid by defendant, Udo Birnbaum, to Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin as follows:

A. Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin are awarded jointly and severally the amount of \$50,085.00 as reimbursement for their joint attorney's fees.

Got to be a PLAINTIFF to get JUDGMENT!

B. Christina Westfall is awarded actual damages for her personal inconvenience in the amount of \$1,000.00, and she is further awarded punitive damages for the harassment caused to her in the amount of \$5,000.00.

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Stefani Podvin is awarded actual damages for her personal inconvenience in the amount of \$1,800.00, and she is further awarded punitive damages for the harassment caused to her in the amount of \$5,000.00.

Got to be a PLAINTIFF!

- **D.** The Court denies the request for a finding of any sanctions to be awarded in favor of G. David Westfall, individually.
- E. The Court denies the request for a finding of any sanctions to be awarded in favor of Udo Birnbaum.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT the judgment here rendered shall bear interest at the rate of ten percent (10%) from July 30, 2002, until paid.

All other relief regarding any motions for sanctions on file in this matter not expressly granted in this order is hereby denied.

THIS JUDGMENT RENDERED ON JULY 30, 2002, AND SIGNED THIS \_\_\_\_\_

of Kryns, 2002

JUDGE PRESIDING

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THANK YOU, JUDGE CHAPMAN - for putting this stuff down on paper - so the whole world can see - in official documents - just how EVIL or CRAZY you are.

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# THE LAW OFFICES OF G. DAVID WESTFALL, P.C.

**Plaintiff** 

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**UDO BIRNBAUM** 

Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff

G. DAVID WESTFALL, CHRISTINA WESTFALL, and STEFANI PODVIN,

**Counter-Defendants** 

# IN THE DISTRICT COURT

"inconsistent with DUE PROCESS" -- just read this stuff - - Ravings of a madman. Markups throughout this document.

## 294th JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Trial before a JURY was April 8-11, 2002. Why is he sitting on the bench on April Fools Day in 2004? And not sign till 2006? Where did Judge Chapman come up with all this "stuff" - he was NOT the trial judge!

VAN ZANDT COUNTY, TEXAS

### ORDER ON MOTIONS FOR SANCTIONS

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On April 1, 2004, came on to be heard, defendant, Udo Birnbaum's ("Birnbaum") Motion for Recusal of Judge Paul Banner. Prior to the hearing, the Court and Mr. Birnbaum were each served with notice of a Motion for Sanctions filed by G. David Westfall, P.C., Christina Westfall, and Stefani Podvin (referred to herein collectively as the "Sanctions Movants") and that Motion for Sanctions was also heard. The Sanctions Movants appeared by their attorney of record. Birnbaum, appeared in person, pro se. All parties announced ready for the hearing.

Based upon the pleadings of the parties, the evidence presented at the motion hearing, and the arguments of counsel and the arguments of the pro se defendant, the Court is of the opinion that Birnbaum's Motion to Recuse Judge Paul Banner should be in all things be denied.

At this point he should have gone HOME. Period

Based upon the pleadings of the parties, the evidence presented at the motion nearing, and the arguments of counsel and the arguments of the pro se defendant, the Court is of the opinion that the Sanctions Movants are entitled to prevail on their claim for sanctions against the Defendant, Udo Birnbaum.

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It is therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED, and DECREED that the motion by the defendant, Udo Birnbaum, that Judge Paul Banner be recused from further matters effecting this cause of action is denied.

It is therefore, FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, and DECREED that the Plaintiff, G. David Westfall, P.C., and Counter-Defendants, Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin, are awarded damages as a sanction against and to be paid by defendant, Udo Birnbaum, to G. David Westfall, P.C., Christina Westfall, and Stefani Podvin as follows:

- A. A monetary sanction in the amount of \$1,000.00 as actual damages, representing the reasonable value of the legal services rendered to the Sanctions Movants by their attorney for the defense of Birnbaum's Motion to Recuse and the prosecution of the Sanctions Movants' Motion for Sanctions.
- B. A monetary sanction in the amount of \$124,770.00 as exemplary and/or punitive damages to serve as a deterrent to prevent Birnbaum from committing further similar acts again in the future.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT the judgment here rendered shall bear interest at the rate of five percent (5%) from the date of the signing of this order, until paid.

All other relief regarding any motions for relief on file in this cause of action not expressly granted in this order is hereby denied.

With regard to the award of sanctions, the Court makes the following findings and conclusions in support of the Court's award of sanctions and in support of the type and dollar amount of the sanctions imposed:

#### **Findings of Fact**

- 1. Birnbaum's claims regarding the attempt to have Judge Paul Banner recused were groundless, vacuous, manufactured, and totally unsupported by any credible evidence whatsoever.
- 2. Birnbaum's claims regarding the attempt to have Judge Paul Banner recused were without merit and brought for the purpose of harassment and/or delay.
- 3. The testimony of Birnbaum regarding the attempt to have Judge Paul Banner recused was biased, not credible, and totally uncorroborated by any other evidence.
- 4. The sole purpose of Birnbaum filing the motion regarding the attempt to have Judge Paul Banner recused was an attempt to harass, intimidate, and inconvenience the Sanctions Movants.
- Birnbaum has a track record and history of filing lawsuits, motions, and writs of mandamus against judges that rule against him in litigation.
- 6. Birnbaum filed a pleading containing a completely false and outrageous allegation that Judge Paul Banner had conducted himself in a manner that showed bias and a lack of impartiality.
- 7. Birnbaum's difficulties with judges and the repeated allegations of a lack of impartiality have had nothing at all to do with the conduct of the judges that Birnbaum has appeared before, but instead, is a delusional belief held only inside the mind of Birnbaum idiot
- 8. Birnbaum will seemingly go to any length, even filing new lawsuits in State and Federal courts in an attempt to re-litigate issues which a court has already ruled upon and which all appropriate courts of appeal have affirmed.
- 9. Birnbaum's filing of this Motion to recuse Judge Banner was consistent with a proven pattern and practice of behavior engaged in by Birnbaum over many years and currently ongoing

now in this court and in other federal courts.

Where did you get all this stuff from? You were NOT the trial judge. We hardly met. Is everybody talking about me? Seems like it.

- 10. Birnbaum has a track record and history of bickering and quarreling with judges that have ruled against him in litigation.
- 11. Birnbaum has a track record and history of filing lawsuits without merit against judges, attorneys, and other individuals in an attempt to gain tactical advantage in other ongoing litigation.
- 12. Prior to this hearing, Birnbaum filed in March 2004, new legal action in Federal District Court against Judge Paul Banner, G. David Westfall, Christina Westfall, and Stefani Podvin. This new Federal lawsuit attempts to re-litigate the same issues Birnbaum unsuccessfully raised in this lawsuit.

  Judge Ron Chapman -- you were assigned to hear a Motion for Recusal, rule, then go HOME. Why are you all tight up? Where did you get all this stuff?
- 13. Prior to this hearing, Birnbaum has initiated a lawsuit against the attorney for the Sanctions Movants, Frank C. Fleming. Birnbaum admitted in open court that he has never had any dealings with Frank C. Fleming other than in connection with Mr. Fleming's representation of the Plaintiff and the counter-defendants in this cause of action. Birnbaum admitted in open court that the legal basis of his lawsuit against Mr. Fleming, civil RICO, is the same basis Birnbaum was previously sanctioned in this lawsuit for attempting to bring against Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin.
- 14. The behavior of Birnbaum himself in prosecuting the Motion to recuse Judge Banner has been vindictive, unwarranted, mean-spirited, frivolous, and totally without substantiation on any legally viable theory for the recusal of Judge Banner.
- 15. The Motion itself to Recuse Judge Banner without any ounce of evidence to support it, was frivolous, vindictive, and brought for the purpose of harassment.
- 16. The conduct of Birnbaum giving rise to the award of exemplary and/or punitive damages was engaged in by Birnbaum willfully and maliciously with the intent to harm the Sanctions Movants, Judge Paul Banner, and the attorney for the Sanctions Movants, Mr. Fleming.

YES - out in the halls - around the coffee pot - around the table in the jury room - ALL WITHOUT A COURT REPORTER - yes you threatened me. YES - this was ALL BEFORE we went into the courtroom - and before a COURT REPORTER.

- 17. Prior to the hearing on the Motion to Recuse, the Court admonished Birnbaum that if his Motion to Recuse Judge Banner was not withdrawn, that if it became appropriate, the Court would hear the Motion for Sanctions. In response to this admonition, Birnbaum unequivocally elected to move forward with a hearing on his Motion in an attempt to have Judge Banner recused.
- 18. The type and dollar amount of the sanctions award is directly related to the harm done. The Court has not been presented with any evidence to believe that the amount of the sanctions award is excessive in relation to the net worth of Birnbaum. a truly AMAZING "Finding of Fact". lol
- 19. The type and dollar amount of the sanctions award is appropriate in order to gain the relief which the Court seeks, which is to stop this litigant and others similarly situated from filing frivolous motions, frivolous lawsuits, frivolous defenses, frivolous counter-claims, and new lawsuits which attempt to re-litigate matters already litigated to a conclusion. Official Oppression per se.
- 20. The amount of the exemplary and/or punitive damage award is an amount narrowly tailored to the amount of harm caused by the offensive conduct to be punished.

  UNLAWFUL by CIVIL process
- 21. The Sanctions Movants have suffered damages as a result of Birnbaum's frivolous counterclaims and Birnbaum's motion to recuse. These damages include expenses (in addition to taxable court costs), attorney's fees, harassment, inconvenience, intimidation, and threats.

#### Conclusions of Law

- 1. On the issue of the recusal of Judge Paul Banner, Birnbaum wholly failed to provide any credible evidence to substantiate any of his claims.
- 2. All of Birnbaum's claims were as a matter of law unproved and untenable on the evidence presented at the hearing.
- 3. The court concludes as a matter of law that Birnbaum's claim that Judge Paul Banner acted biased and with a lack of impartiality, was brought for the purpose of harassment. The Court makes

witnesses totally contradicted Birnbaum's version of the facts, and that evidence was presented establishing that Birnbaum has had a track record and history of harassment towards other opposing litigants, opposing counsels, and other judges before whom Birnbaum has appeared.

- 5. The Court has the power to award both actual and exemplary (and/or punitive) damages against Birnbaum for the filing and prosecution of a frivolous motion. This authority stems from one or more of the following: §\$10.001, et seq., Tex. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, Rule 13, T.R.C.P., and/or the common law of Texas.

  AGAIN sort of lacking specificity. But, at least no violation of MOTHERHOOD and APPLE PIE?
- claim against Judge Paul Banner calls out for the award of both actual and exemplary (and/or punitive) damages to be assessed against Birnbaum.

  AGAIN can't do "punitive" in CIVIL process. Requires "keys to own release"
- 7. The appropriate award for actual damages as a result of the filing and prosecution of the frivolous Motion to Recuse, is an award of \$1,000.00 in attorney's fees. The Court makes this award under power granted to the Court by \$\$10.001, et seq., Tex. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, Rule 13, T.R.C.P., and/or the common law of Texas.
- The appropriate exemplary and/or punitive sanction for the filing and full prosecution of the frivolous Motion to Recuse is an award of \$124,770.00 to be paid by Birnbaum to the Sanctions Movants.

  \$124,770.00 Judge Ron Chapman. One might overlook this if you had been DRUNK but to put this stuff on paper and actually SIGN IT? CRAZY.
- 9. The award of exemplary and/or punitive damages is directly related to the harm done.
- 10. The award of exemplary and/or punitive damages is not excessive.

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- 11. The award of exemplary and/or punitive damages is an appropriate amount to seek to gain the relief sought by the Court which is to stop Bimbaum and others like him from filing similar frivolous motions and other frivolous lawsuits.

  OFFICIAL OPPRESSION retaliation for exercising a First Amendment Right. CRAZY
- 12. The amount of the exemplary and/or punitive damage award is narrowly tailored to the harm done.
- The amount of the exemplary and/or punitive damages is narrowly tailored to exactly coincide with the amount (in total) assessed against Birnbaum to date in this litigation. This amount was selected by the Court deliberately and on purpose to send a clear message to Birnbaum. The message this award of damages is intended to relay to Mr. Birnbaum is that this litigation is over, final, and ended. The message is that further attempts to re-open, re-visit, and re-litigate matters which have already been decided in court, reduced to judgment, and affirmed on appeal will not be tolerated; and that further attempts by this litigant to engage in such activity will not be conducted without the imposition of very serious and substantial monetary sanctions imposed upon Mr. Birnbaum.

  THANK YOU, JUDGE CHAPMAN for putting this stuff down on paper so the whole world can see in official documents just how EVIL or CRAZY you are.
- 14. Authority for an exemplary and/or punitive damage award is derived from \$\$10.001, et seq., Tex. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, Rule 13, T.R.C.P., and/or the common law of Texas.

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JUDGE PRESIDING

WOULD YOU BELIEVE - "The Westfalls" actually got the 294th District Clerk to issue an "Abstract of Judgment" on this ORDER - for close to \$250,000 with interest.

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Filed it with the County Records, to put liens on all my property, did a "writ of execution" to send the sheriff out to seize my property.

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While at the SAME TIME doing a "scire facias" to revive the FIRST judgment in the case (2002) which had gone "dormant" after TEN YEARS. (There can be only ONE judgment - this mess has THREE - over a period of SIX years or so!)

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Lots more detail - at "home" - www.OpenJustice.US

Attached in below pages is:

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1. MOTION FOR RECUSAL OF JUDGE BANNER - clearly indicating that my MOTION was to STOP Judge Banner from "ex parte" concocting a "Finding" - diametrically opposite of his extemporaneous finding of "well-intentioned" - and while Banner had NO JURISDICTION.

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2. ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGE CHAPMAN - for Chapman solely to "do" a RECUSAL HEARING - a purely ADMINISTRATIVE assignment, i.e. NO jurisdiction to DO anything "in" the case. (There was of course no case left - case was OVER)

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3. LETTER TO JUDGE CHAPMAN - that there be no "surprises" - i.e. me telling Chapman exactly why I had made my Motion for Recusal of Banner - i.e. that my Motion - was a "whistle blow", a CRY FOR HELP - and a complaint of CRIMES.

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| v. The Three Westfalls                    | )(         |                              |

# Motion for Recusal of Judge Banner

This motion is by reason of Judge Banner communicating ex-parte with opposing counsel to plot a vituperative finding against Birnbaum's conduct, such finding diametrically opposite his prior finding of Birnbaum being WELL-INTENTIONED, such prior finding made extemporaneously and in the heat of battle and caught by the court reporter at the close of the Sanction Hearing on July 30, 2002.

Also by reason of Judge Banner having previously retaliated with a \$62,000 sanction against Birnbaum for having exercised his statutory and Constitutional Right to make a civil RICO pleading. i.e. protected activity. Judge Banner's words that he imposed such sanction because Birnbaum had made a civil RICO pleading were also caught by the court reporter at the same hearing.

Also by having demonstrated that he cannot or will not abide by statutory law, the Rules of Procedure, or the mandates of the Supreme Court of the United States. Details are in my prior Motion for Recusal (denied) and in my prior petition for writ of mandamus (denied) to make him go by the law.

Also for now trying to "undo" his finding of my [Birnbaum] being well-intentioned, and with opposing counsel paint me as some sort of monster to the judicial system, all while the cause is on appeal in the Dallas Fifth, and while he has NO JURISDICTION.

Details to follow shortly.

UDO BIRNBAUM, Pro Se 540 VZ CR 2916 Eustace, TX 75124 (903) 479-3929

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF VAN ZANDT

Before me, a notary public, on this day personally appeared Udo Birnbaum, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to above, and being by me first duly sworn, declared that the matters in his Motion for Recusal of Hon. Paul Banner are true and correct.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 30 day of September, 2003 HUTHER CLADOO

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that a true and correct copy of this document has been served via Reg. Mail on this the 30 day of September, 2003 upon Frank C. Fleming, 6611 Hillcrest, Suite 305, Dallas, Texas 75205-1301.

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# THE STATE OF TEXAS FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE JUDICIAL REGION ORDER OF ASSIGNMENT BY THE PRESIDING JUDGE

Persuant to Rule 18a, Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, I hearby assign the:

Honorable Ron Chapman,

Senior Judge of The 5th Court Of Appeals
To The 294th District Court of Van Zandt County, Texas.

This assignment is for the purpose of the assigned judge hearing a Motion to Recuse as stated in the Conditions of Assignment. This assignment is effective immediately and shall continue for such time as may be necessary for the assigned judge to hear and pass on such motion.

CONDITION(S) OF ASSIGNMENT:

Cause No. 00-00619; Westfall vs. Birnbaum.

The Clerk is directed to post a copy of this assignment on the notice board so that attorneys and parties may be advised of this assignment, in accordance with the law.

ORDERED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

John Ovard, Presiding Judge

First Administrative Judicial Region

ATTEST:

Assgn#

14797

Administrative Assistant

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#### February 17, 2004

TO: Judge Ron Chapman, sitting by assignment

COPY: 294th District Judge

Re: Motion to Recuse Judge Banner, No. 00-619, 294th District Court

Judge Chapman,

The purpose of this letter is that there be no surprise at your March 26, 2004 setting to hear my Sept. 30, 2003 *Motion to Recuse*.

To refresh your memory, I presented you with an earlier motion to recuse Judge Paul Banner, for not abiding by the rules of procedure, statutory law, nor the mandates of the U.S. Supreme Court. You heard that motion on Oct. 1, 2001, and let Judge Banner stay.

I filed THIS motion, even though the case had been at appeal for nearly one (1) year, when it became clear about Sept. 30, 2003, that Judge Banner and opposing counsel were ex-parte in the process of constructing *Findings* to prop up a \$62,000 fine ("Sanction Order", Aug. 9, 2002) against me that had stated NO particulars at all, NONE. RCP Rule 13 of course states that NO sanctions may be imposed without stating particulars.

Judge Banner was <u>prohibited</u> from making any more findings after my *Motion for Recusal*, but he did it anyway. Furthermore, his *Findings* have NO support in the record, and are diametrically opposite his true reason for <u>punishing</u> me, as caught by the court reporter at the July 30, 2002 sanctions hearing, where he found me "well-intentioned", just that he [Judge Banner] did not see the evidence as showing a civil RICO case. I had of course asked for weighing of the evidence by a jury.

Filing a lawsuit is of course constitutionally protected conduct, and Judge Banner <u>himself</u> said that he <u>unconditionally</u> punished ("sanctioned") me for having made my <u>civil RICO claim</u>:

"In assessing the sanctions, the Court has taken into consideration that although Mr. Birnbaum may be <u>well-intentioned</u> and may believe that he <u>had</u> some kind of real claim as far <u>as RICO</u> there <u>was</u> nothing presented to the court in any of the proceedings since I've been involved that suggest he <u>had</u> any basis in law or in fact to support his suits against the individuals, and I think — can find that such sanctions as I've determined are appropriate." (Transcript, sanctions hearing, July 30, 2002)

Judge Banner's \$62,000 Sanction against me for making my civil RICO claim (when I was sued) is nothing less than <u>retaliation</u> and <u>official oppression</u>. As for the law:

A retaliation claim essentially entail three elements: 1) the plaintiff engaged in <u>protected</u> <u>conduct</u>; (2) <u>an adverse action</u> was taken against the plaintiff that would deter a person of ordinary firmness from continuing to engage in that conduct; and (3) there is a <u>causal</u> <u>connection</u> between elements one and two — that is, the adverse action was motivated at least in part by the plaintiff's protected conduct. See Bloch v. Riber, 156 F.3d 673 (6<sup>th</sup> Cir. 1998)

Texas Penal Code, Sec. 39.03. OFFICIAL OPPRESSION:

- (a) A public servant acting under color of his office or employment commits an offense if he:
  - (1) <u>intentionally</u> subjects another to mistreatment or to arrest, detention, search, seizure, <u>dispossession</u>, <u>assessment</u>, or lien that he <u>knows is unlawful</u>;
  - (2) <u>intentionally</u> denies or impedes another in the exercise or enjoyment of any <u>right</u>, privilege, power, or immunity, <u>knowing his conduct is unlawful</u>; or
  - (3) intentionally subjects another to sexual harassment.
- (b) For purposes of this section, a public servant acts under color of his office or employment if he acts or purports to act in an official capacity or takes advantage of such actual or purported capacity.
- (c) In this section, "sexual harassment" means ... etc

#### **Summary**

Judge Paul Banner has <u>again</u> shown that he will not abide by the rules of procedure, statutory law, nor the mandates of the U.S. Supreme Court.

Justice requires that Judge Banner be immediately removed from this case. This man appears not to want to abide by the bounds of his authority, nor the constitutional rights of those before him. Justice also requires that Judge Banner's latest *Findings*, made in the absence of jurisdiction, be officially declared NULL and VOID.

For details, I am attaching my Oct. 21, 2003 inquiry letter to Judge Banner ("WHAT IS GOING ON?"), a document I previously <u>copied</u> to you at that time, as you had already been assigned on Oct. 8, 2003 to hear THIS recusal.

Everything else about this case is fraud too. OVER MY OBJECTIONS, Judge Banner submitted WRONG JURY ISSUES. Plaintiff pleaded unpaid OPEN ACCOUNT for "legal services", but jury questions sounded in breach of contract, and even for that, Judge Banner

would not let the jury determine on ALL the elements. There of course was no "sale" and "delivery", nor question nor instruction thereto to the jury. Fraud, fraud, and more fraud.

#### Prayer

This whole mess upon me started in 1995, with a suit against me over a BEAVER dam! Except for that frivolous suit (No. 95-63, still active), neither you nor I would be involved in this today. Judge Chapman, PLEASE, resolve this matter, ONCE and FOR ALL.

Mold Birnbaum

Udo Birnbaum, *Pro Se* 540 VZCR 2916

Eustace, TX 75124

(903) 479-3929 (phone and fax)

Attachment: "WHAT IS GOING ON?" To Judge Banner, Oct. 21, 2003 Copied to Judge Chapman and Judge Ovard at that time

#### Copy (less attachment):

#### Hon. John Ovard

Presiding Judge, First Administrative Judicial Region 133 N. Industrial LB50, Dallas, Texas 75207

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## Complaint and Affidavit of Official Oppression and Abuse of Official Capacity upon Udo Birnbaum

SEC. 39.03, 39.02, SECOND DEGREE FELONY

#### synopsis

My name is UDO BIRNBAUM. I am 78 years old, reside in Van Zandt County, Texas, and am competent to make this affidavit.

This complaint arises out of a \$67,885 unconditional punishment upon me, by a Judge PAUL BANNER, by civil process, titled <u>Order on Motion for Sanctions</u>, for having made a cross-claim in a court of law, a First Amendment Right:

(HINT: civil process cannot unconditionally punish for past conduct – can only "coerce" into compliance – with some Order. Has to provide "keys to own release")

"In assessing the <u>sanctions</u>, the Court has taken into consideration that although Mr. Birrnbaum may be <u>well-intentioned</u> and may believe that he <u>had</u> some kind of real claim as far as RICO there <u>was</u> nothing presented to the court in any of the proceedings since I've been involved <u>that suggest</u> he <u>had</u> any basis in law or <u>in fact</u> to support his <u>suits</u> against the individuals, <u>and I think</u> – can find that such <u>sanctions</u> as I've determined are appropriate". (Judge Paul Banner, Transcript, Sanction hearing)

#### details

On or about the 14th day of November, 2014, Senior "visiting" Judge PAUL BANNER, in Van Zandt County, Texas, did then and there, under color of the 294th District Court of Van Zandt County, and after having been made fully aware by said UDO BIRNBAUM at such proceeding, that his action was unlawful, on or about such 14th day of November, 2014, did Official Oppression and Abuse of Official Capacity upon said UDO BIRNBAUM.

Such Official Oppression and Abuse of Official Capacity – by said Judge PAUL BANNER - in a non-adjudicative setting - on such 14th day of November, 2014 – by magisterially breathing life anew – and color of legitimacy - onto <u>Order on Motion for Sanctions</u> – as it was up that day for "revival" by <u>Application for Writ of Scire Facias to Revive Judgment</u>. (HINT: An Order in need of "revival"? – something STINKS)

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Such fresh life by on such 14th day of November, 2014, "visiting" Judge Paul Banner magisterially signing into the records of the 294th District Court of Van Zandt County, a document titled <u>Order Reviving Judgment</u> - upon the July 30, 2002 \$67,885 <u>Order on Motion for Sanctions</u> - as he had unlawfully oppressed upon same UDO BIRNBAUM in 2002.

Again, such Official Oppression and \$67,885 Abuse of Official Capacity by said Judge PAUL BANNER upon said UDO BIRNBAUM – as punishment - for having dared to exercise a First Amendment Right – to make a counter-claim – in said 294th District Court – when said UDO BIRNBAUM was sued:

"In assessing the <u>sanctions</u>, the Court has taken into consideration that although Mr. Birrnbaum may be <u>well-intentioned</u> and may believe that he <u>had</u> some kind of real claim as far as RICO there <u>was</u> nothing presented to the court in any of the proceedings since I've been involved <u>that suggest</u> he <u>had</u> any basis in law or <u>in fact</u> to support his <u>suits</u> against the individuals, <u>and I think</u> – can find that such <u>sanctions</u> as I've determined are appropriate". (Judge Paul Banner, Transcript, Sanction hearing July 30, 2002)

The attached documents speak for themselves:

- Transcript Sanction Hearing 2002 finding of "well-intentioned"
- Order on Motion for Sanctions 2002 [\$67,885] "no-mention-anything"
- <u>Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law</u> 2003 re his \$67,885 Order on Motion for Sanction suddenly "all-venom" no more "well-intentioned"
- Order Reviving Judgment 2014 fresh life upon unlawful [\$67,885]
   Order on Motion for Sanctions and conceal as "Sanction Judgment"

(details at www.OpenJustice.US)

#### summary

(all "venom" - no more "well-intentioned")

Here, a few quotes from Judge Paul Banner's <u>Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law</u> as go with his [\$67,885] <u>Order on Motion for Sanctions</u> – which Order he reexecuted on Nov. 14, 2014, by reviving same that day.

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THINK – why would any judge want or have to make a FINDING on his own ORDER in the first place – and "revive" such own 2002 Order - in 2014? Something really STINKS.

Was of course a **JURY** cause. Findings had to be by **JURY**, but ......

- 11. ... <u>punitive</u> damages awarded <u>by the Court</u> ... ... prevent similar <u>future</u> action p3
- 14. ... the relief which the Court seeks ...... and others similarly situated from filing ...... lawsuits. p3
- 15. ... punitive damage ... ... conduct to be punished p3
- 4. ... on the evidence presented to the Court p5
- 9. ... punitive damages ... ... for the filing ... ... lawsuit p5
- 10. ... [for] filing ..... this claim ..... calls out for ... punitive damages p6
- 15. ... The award of **punitive** damages ... ... harm done p6
- 16. ... The award of **punitive** damages is not excessive. p5
- 17.... <u>Punitive</u> damages ..... gain the <u>relief sought</u> which is to stop ..... <u>and</u> <u>others like him</u>, from <u>filing</u> ..... <u>lawsuits</u>. p6
- 18. ... punitive damage award ... ... to the harm done. p7
- 19. ... Authority for the <u>punitive</u> damage award ... ... etc. ... ... common law of Texas. p7

Totally "inconsistent with due process". Filing a lawsuit (I did NOT – only made a counter and cross-claim) is a First Amendment Right. <u>ANY</u> adverse action – by a public official – for exercising a Right (and Judge Banner says that is why he did it) <u>is</u> official oppression. He also cannot impose <u>punitive</u> sanction by <u>civil</u> process – only "coercive" – where one has the "keys to one's own release" – i.e. by complying with some Order – of which there was none – to purge a contempt!

And all these poison words? At his <u>very sanction hearing</u>, he found me "<u>well-intentioned</u>", only that HE did not see my <u>evidence</u> as showing my <u>counter-claim</u>. Weighing the evidence is of course for the jury. And he even states – that he is <u>punishing</u> ("sanctions") me – for <u>having</u> made a counter-claim – a <u>First Amendment Right</u>! Civil contempt cannot punish for past conduct. Period. US Supreme Court. Plum mad. So, once again:

"In assessing the **sanctions**, the Court has taken into consideration that although Mr. Birrnbaum may be well-intentioned and may believe that he had some kind of real claim as far as RICO there was nothing presented to the court in any of the proceedings since I've been involved that suggest he had any basis in law or in fact to support his suits against the individuals, and I think - can find that such sanctions as I've determined are appropriate". (Judge Paul Banner, Transcript, Sanction hearing)

<u>Indicated real reason</u>: - to stop this defendant "and others like him" (Judge Paul Banner Findings) - from going Pro Se with civil RACKETEERING counter-claims – against fraudulent suits – by lawyers for that holiest-of-holies - LEGAL FEES!

#### summary

So, what happened to "well-intentioned"? ANSWER: All one big cover-up – and the Order Reviving Judgment of November 14, 2014 – of the \$67,885 sanction – is nothing less than a fresh re-execution – on November 14, 2014, of Official Oppression and Abuse of Official Capacity.

All statements upon personal knowledge, all attached documents true copies of the originals, except for obvious markups all by me, all of which also upon personal knowledge. Lots more "stuff" at www.OpenJustice.US

Attached: See page 2 for list

UDO BIRNBAUM 540 Van Zandt CR 2916 Eustace, TX 75124 (903) 479-3929

brnbm@aol.com

SIGNED this 31 day of Aug., 2015

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME on this 3/5 day of august, 2015

BRENDA HARMISON **Notary Public** STATE OF TEXAS My Commission Expires 03/31/2017

Notary Public, State of Texas

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damages, \$5,000.00 in punitive and the joint and several 1 \$50,085.00 in attorneys' fees. Mr. Birnbaum's sanctions as 2 against Mr. Fleming or against the P.C. is denied and nothing 3 was a JURY trial. Why is HE well-intentioned 4 is ordered. weighing the evidence? 5 In assessing the sanctions, the Court has taken into consideration that although Mr. Birnbaum may be 6 well-intentioned and may believe that he had some kind of 7 real claim as far as RICO there was nothing presented to the 8 9 court ip any of the proceedings since I've been involved that suggest he had any basis in law or in fact to support his 10 11 suits against the individuals, and I think -- can find that such sanctions as I've determined are appropriate. And if 12 you will provide me with an appropriate sanctions order, I 13 \$67,000 Sanction - for a "well-intentioned" COUNTER-14 will reflect it. CLAIM - a First Amendment Right! Official Oppression Now, as far as relief for sanctions on behalf 15 16 of Mr. Westfall, individually, that is specifically denied. 17 Any relief sought by any party by way of 18 sanctions which have not been specifically addressed either 19 by the granting or the denial of same -- such is denied. 20 How soon can I expect an order because 21 I gather this matter will go up to whatever appropriate 22 appeals court for review? MR. FLEMING: 23 I will give Mr. Birnbaum the 24 statutory three days. I'll submit it to him. And if I don't

hear back from him, I'll submit it to you after.

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I certify this to be a true and exact copy of the original on file in the District Clerk's Office, Van Zandt County, Texas.

Candi Sou IN THE DISTRICT COURT

THE LAW OFFICES OF G. DAVID WESTFALL, P.C.

**Plaintiff** 

v.

**UDO BIRNBAUM** 

**Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff** 

G. David Westfall, Christina Westfall, and § Stefani Podvin,

**Counter-Defendants** 

294th JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Was a JURY trial - with a VERDICT and judgment "rendered" on April 11, 2002. Yet here we are - three months later - WITHOUT

A JURY!

Also note - NOWHERE does Judge Paul Banner state WHY he PUNISHED ME!

VAN ZANDT COUNTY, TEXAS

#### ORDER ON MOTIONS FOR SANCTIONS

On July 30, 2002, came on to be Heard, Motions for Sanctions filed by G. David Westfall. Christina Westfall, and Stefani Podvin, as well as to be heard Motions for Sanctions filed by Udo Birnbaum. The plaintiff, The Law Office of G. David Westfall, P.C. (the "Plaintiff"), appeared in person by representative and by attorney of record. The defendant, Udo Birnbaum, appeared in person, pro se. The counter-defendant, G. David Westfall, appeared by representative and by attorney of record. The counter-defendants, Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin appeared in person and by attorney of record. All parties announced ready for a hearing on all the pending motions for sanctions currently on file in this matter at the time of the hearing.

Based upon the pleadings of the parties, the evidence presented at trial and the evidence presented at the sanctions hearing, and the arguments of counsel and by the pro se defendant, the Court is of the opinion that the Movants, Christina Westfall and Stefani Westfall are entitled to prevail on their claim for sanctions against the Defendant, Udo Birnbaum.

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It was a JURY case - and ONLY the jury can award "damages". There was NO JURY making this AWARD!

It is therefore, **ORDERED**, **ADJUDGED** and **DECREED** that the Counter-Defendants, Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin are awarded damages as a sanction against and to be paid by defendant, Udo Birnbaum, to Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin as follows:

- A. Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin are awarded jointly and severally the amount of \$50,085.00 as reimbursement for their joint attorney's fees.
- B. Christina Westfall is awarded actual damages for her personal inconvenience in the amount of \$1,000.00, and she is further awarded punitive damages for the harassment caused to her in the amount of \$5,000.00.
- C. Stefani Podvin is awarded actual damages for her personal inconvenience in the amount of \$1,800.00, and she is further awarded punitive damages for the harassment caused to her in the amount of \$5,000.00.
- **D.** The Court denies the request for a finding of any sanctions to be awarded in favor of G. David Westfall, individually.
- E. The Court denies the request for a finding of any sanctions to be awarded in favor of Udo

  Cannot award "judgment" to someone who is NOT A PLAINTIFF!

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT the judgment here rendered shall bear interest at the rate of ten percent (10%) from July 30, 2002, until paid.

All other relief regarding any motions for sanctions on file in this matter not expressly granted in this order is hereby denied.

THIS JUDGMENT RENDERED ON JULY 30, 2002, AND SIGNED THIS

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JUDGE PRESIDING

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Just read this stuff - - "inconsistent with due process'. Markups throughout this document.

No. 00-00619

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THE LAW OFFICES OF G. DAVID WESTFALL, P.C.

**Plaintiff** 

**UDO BIRNBAUM** 

Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff

G. David Westfall, Christina Westfall, and §
Stefani Podvin,

Counter-Defendants

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

294th JUDICIAL DISTRICT

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Amendments

VAN ZANDT COUNTY, TEXAS

#### FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The above-captioned cause came on for trial to a jury on April 8, 2002. At the conclusion of the evidence, the Court submitted questions of fact in the case to the jury.

In addition to the matters tried to the jury the Court took under consideration the Motion filed by David Westfall, the Plaintiff (the "Plaintiff"), and Christina Westfall, and Stefani Podvin (Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin collectively referred to herein as the "Counter-Defendants) concerning the filing of a frivolous lawsuit and Rule 13 Sanctions. The combined issues of the counter-claim on frivolous lawsuit and the Rule 13 Motion were tried together to the Court on July 30, 2002. At the proceedings on July 30, 2002, the Plaintiff appeared by counsel, the Counter-Defendants appeared in person and were also represented by their attorney. At the proceedings on July 30, 2002, Udo Birnbaum (the "Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff"), the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff, UTTERLY FALSE. There NEVER was a counter-claim. They had been dismissed by summary judgment - LONG AGO!

After considering the pleadings, the evidence presented at the trial to the jury as well as the evidence presented at the summary judgment hearings and the sanctions hearing before the Court

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in response to a request from the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff, the Court makes its findings of fact and conclusions of law as follows:

#### Findings of Fact

- 1. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims concerning RICO civil conspiracy claims against Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin (the wife and daughter of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's former attorney, David Westfall) were groundless and totally unsupported by any credible avidence whatsoever.

  Always remember the court reporter found him saying that Mr. Birnbaum was "well intentioned". Suddenly all this stuff.
- 2. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims concerning RICO civil conspiracy claims against Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin were without merit and brought for the purpose of harassment, delay, and to seek advantage in a collateral matter by attempting to cause the original Plaintiff. David Westfall to drop his claim for un-reimbursed legal services provided to the Defendant.
- 3. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff was afforded numerous opportunities to marshal his evidence and present any facts to support his allegations concerning RICO civil conspiracy claims against the wife and daughter of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's attorney, David Westfall. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff wholly failed to provide any such credible evidence at either the summary judgment phase of the lawsuit or at the hearing on the motion for sanctions.
- 4. The attempt to provide testimony by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff concerning RICO civil conspiracy claims were his own opinions and totally uncorroborated by any other evidence.
- 5. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff never established that he had suffered any economic damages as a result of an alleged conspiracy. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff was sued by his former counsel to collect money for legal work which had been performed for the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff for which the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff had not paid his attorney in

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Judge Paul Banner did NOT submit ANY of this to the jury! He INSTRUCTED THEM that Mr. Birnbaum had "FAILED TO ABIDE"!

full. The jury found that the work had been performed by the attorney, the amount charged to the client was reasonable, and that there was an amount owed by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff to the Plaintiff. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims concerning RICO civil conspiracy claims had no bearing on whether or not the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff received the legal services and owed the balance of the outstanding attorney's fees.

- 6. The filing of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims concerning RICO civil conspiracy was a blatant and obvious attempt to influence the outcome of the Plaintiff's legitimate lawsuit against the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff and to cause harassment to the Plaintiff and his family members.
- 7. The behavior of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff in filing claims concerning RICO civil conspiracy in this lawsuit have been totally without substantiation on any cause of action pled.
- 8. The conduct of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff giving rise to the award of punitive damages was engaged in willfully and maliciously by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff with the intent to harm the Plaintiff and the Counter-Defendants. How about "well intentioned"? Remember?
- 9. The amount of actual damages, attorney's fees, suffered by the Counter-Defendant was proven to be reasonable and necessary by a preponderance of the evidence and not challenged by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff at the hearing on sanctions. The amount of actual damages awarded was in an amount that was proven at the hearing.

  Was a JURY case. No jury at this hearing.
- 10. The amount of damages for inconvenience awarded by the court was proven at the hearing by a preponderance of the evidence and not challenged by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff at the hearing on sanctions. The court awarded damages for inconvenience in an amount the Court found to be reasonable and necessary, supported by evidence, and appropriate considering the circumstances.

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- 11. The amount of punitive damages awarded by the Court were found to be supported by the evidence and necessary under the circumstances to attempt to prevent similar future action on the part of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff.

  Can't do this in a CIVIL proceeding. Takes FULL CRIMINAL PROCESS.
- 12. The sanctions award is directly related to the harm done.
- 13. The sanctions award is not excessive in relation to the harm done and the net worth of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff.

  No evidence to any of this B.S. ever!
- 14. The sanctions award is an appropriate amount in order to gain the relief which the Court seeks, which is to stop the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff and others similarly situated from filing frivolous lawsuits.

  | "relief which the Court seeks" to keep from filing lawsuits a First Amendment Right. OFFICIAL OPPRESSION PER SE.
- 15. The amount of the punitive damage award is an amount narrowly milored to the amount of harm caused by the offensive conduct to be punished.
- 16. The Counter-Defendants suffered both economic and emotional damages as a result of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's lawsuit and specifically the frivolous nature of the lawsuit caused damages which included expenses (in addition to taxable court costs), attorney's fees, harassment, inconvenience, intimidation, and threats.

  No evidence to all this B.S. Remember "well intentioned"?
- 17. The Counter-Defendants established a prima facie case that this lawsuit was filed by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff without merit and for the purpose of harassment. The prima facie case was made by the testimony and documents introduced as evidence by the Counter-Defendants at the summary judgment proceedings as well as at the hearing on sanctions on July 30, 2002.
- 18. After the Counter-Defendants established their prima facie case, the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff failed wholly to provide any credible evidence to support the legal theories of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff.

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#### Conclusions of Law

- The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff wholly failed to provide any credible evidence to 1. substantiate any of his claims concerning a RICO civil conspiracy claim.
- An essential element of each of Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claim was damages. 2.
- 3. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff failed to prove any damage as a direct result of any action or inaction caused by the Plaintiff or the Counter-Defendants.
- All of Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims were as a matter of law unproved and untenable How about "evidence to the JURY"? on the evidence presented to the Court.
- 5. Based upon the facts presented to support Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claim concerning RICO civil conspiracy charges, the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims concerning RICO civil conspiracy were completely untenable.
- 6. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims concerning RICO civil conspiracy charges were not based upon the law, were not a good faith extension of existing law, and were brought and was "civil RICO" - not the mumbo-jumbo above continued to be urged for the purpose of harassment.
- The court concludes as a matter of law that Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's claims 7. concerning RICO civil conspiracy were brought for the purpose of barassment.
- 8. The Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff's behavior in bringing and prosecuting this frivolous lawsuit was a violation of one or more of the following: §9.000 et seq. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, §10.000 et seq. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, and/or Rule 13, T.R.C.P.
- The Court has the power to award both actual and punitive damages against the 9. Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff for the filing and prosecution of a frivolous lawsuit. This authority stems from one or more of the following: §9.000 et seq. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, §10.000 et seq. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, Rule 13, T.R.C.P., and/or the common law of Texas.

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- 10. The behavior and attitude of the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff in filing and prosecuting this claim against the Counter-Defendants calls out for the award of both actual and punitive damages to be assessed against the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff.
- 11. The Counter-Defendants were successful in presenting a prima facie case to the Court on the issue of sanctions. After the prima facie case was made, the burden of proof shifted to the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff and the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff failed in its effort to prove good faith in the filing of the RICO civil conspiracy claims.
- 12. The appropriate award for actual damages as a result of the filing and full prosecution of this frivolous lawsuit is an award of \$50,085.00 in attorney's fees. The Court makes this award under power granted to the Court by §9.000 et seq. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, §10.000 et seq. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, Rule 13, T.R.C.P., and/or the common law of Texas.
- 13. The appropriate sanction for the inconvenience suffered by the Counter-Defendants for the filing and full prosecution of this frivolous lawsuit is an award of \$1,000.00 to Christina Westfall and \$1,800.00 to Stefani Podvin, to be paid by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff to the Counter-Defendants.
- 14. The appropriate punitive sanction for the filing and full prosecution of this frivolous lawsuit is an award of \$5,000.00 to Christina Westfall and an award of \$5,000.00 to Stefani Podvin, to be paid by the Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff to the Counter-Defendants.
- 15. The award of punitive damages is directly related to the harm done.
- 16. The award of punitive damages is not excessive.
- 17. The award of punitive damages is an appropriate amount to seek to gain the relief sought which is to stop this Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff, and others like him, from filing similar frivolous

lawsuits.

OFFICIAL OPPRESSION per se. Can't do "punitive" in a CIVIL proceeding. Only "coercive". Requires "keys to own release"!

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- 18. The amount of the punitive damage award is narrowly milored to the harm done.
- 19. Authority for the punitive damage award is derived from §10.000 et seq. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code, Rule 13, T.R.C.P., and/or the common law of Texas.

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SIGNED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ day of September, 2003.

JUDGE PRESIDING

Careful study of this document shows that all this B.S. is to C.Y.A. for having "awarded damages" WITHOUT A JURY - in a jury cause - and trying to CONCEAL that this is exactly what Judge Paul Banner had done.

It also is a window on his mindset during the JURY TRIAL of April 8-11, 2002, his hatred of Pro Se parties.

JUST READ ALL THIS VENOM IN THIS DOCUMENT. Remember, "although Mr. Birnbaum may be well intentioned --- etc. I (Mr. Banner) did not see the evidence as showing etc " - or something like that.

Was of course a JURY TRIAL - so why was Mr. Banner "weighing" the evidence?

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THE LAW OFFICES OF G. DAVID WESTFALL, P.C.

**Plaintiff** 

UDO BIRNBAUM

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v.

**Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff** 

G. David Westfall, Christina Westfall, and Stefani Podvin.

**Counter-Defendants** 

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

294th JUDICIAL DISTRICT

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Also plum UNLAWFUL punishment for exercising a First Amendment Right to make a COUNTER-CLAIM! (see "Findings")

Official Oppression per se!

VAN ZANDT COUNTY, TEXAS

#### ORDER REVIVING JUDGMENT

On this day, November 14, 2014, came on to be considered the Application for Writ of Scire Facias to Revive Judgment (the "Application") of Christina Westfall and Stefani Podvin (collectively "Movants"), judgment-creditors in the above-entitled and numbered case. The Court, having reviewed the pleadings and papers filed in this case finds that defendant/counter-plaintiff Udo Birnbaum has filed an answer to the Application and that Defendant was commanded to appear in this court to show cause why the judgment on sanctions (the "Sanctions Judgment") rendered by this court in the above-entitled and numbered cause on August 9, 2002 should not be revived on the What is this "stuff"? NEVER had

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plum UNLAWFUL "sanction judgment" PUNISHMENT being re-executed here today in 2014!

Application should be granted and that the Sanctions Judgment revived for the period of time proscribed by law.

IT IS HEREBY, ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED, that the Sanctions Judgment (a true and exact copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 1 and made a part of this Order as if fully set forth at length) rendered in the above-entitled and numbered cause on July 30, 2002 and signed on August 9, 2002, is hereby revived in all respects against defendant/counterplaintiff Udo Birnbaum;

IT IS FURTHERED ORDERED that execution on the revived Sanctions Judgment may immediately issue; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all costs are taxed against the Defendant, Udo Birnbaum.

All relief requested, not granted herein, is expressly denied.

SIGNED this / day of November, 2014

JUDGÉ PAUL BANNER, PRESIDI

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THIS is my "civil RICO" counter-claim upon I which I was so severely PUNISHED - \$62,885 plus another \$125,770.

Making a claim in court is of course a First Amendment Right

#### No. 00-00619

| THE LAW OFFICES OF G. DAVID WESTFALL, P.C. | )( IN THE DISTRICT COURT<br>)( 294 <sup>TH</sup> JUDICIAL DISTRICT              |
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| Vs. UDO BIRNBAUM                           | )( 294 JUDICIAL DISTRICT<br>)( VAN ZANDT COUNTY, TEXAS<br>)(                    |
| Vs.  | )(<br>)(<br>)(  |
| G. DAVID WESTFALL CHRISTINA WESTFALL       | DIST. CLEAR   |
| STEFANI PODVIN                             | )(<br>)(<br>)(  |
| John Doe<br>Mary Doe                       | )(<br>)(<br>)(<br>)(<br>)(<br>)(<br>)(<br>)(<br>)(<br>)(<br>)(<br>)(<br>)(<br>) |

#### UDO BIRNBAUM'S THIRD PARTY PLAINTIFF CIVIL RICO CLAIM AGAINST G. DAVID WESTFALL, CHRISTINA WESTFALL, AND STEFANI PODVIN

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

Comes now UDO BIRNBAUM supplementing his DEFENDANT'S ANSWER, COUNTERCLAIM, AND CROSS-COMPLAINT by also asserting claims under 18 U.S.C. \$ 1964(c) ("Civil RICO"), upon certain, but not all, of the adverse parties.

#### **SUMMARY OF THIS CLAIM**

- 1. This never was an honest "collection" suit, but a full-blown racketeering scheme being executed within full view of this Court as evidenced by the documents already before it.
- 2. All the elements of "Civil RICO" are met. The association in fact of "The Law Offices of G. David Westfall, P.C." and "G. David Westfall Family Farms" is an "enterprise" as defined in 18 U.S.C. \$ 1961. G. David Westfall, Christina Westfall, and Stefani Podvin are RICO "persons" as defined there, conducting the affairs of this "enterprise", and are and have been participating and conducting by a "pattern of racketeering activity" by personally committing or aiding and abetting the RICO requisite "predicate acts".

- 3. The "enterprise" is distinct from the RICO "persons". The "enterprise" is distinct from the "pattern of racketeering". Injury was "by reason of the RICO violation" and "flows from the pattern of racketeering". All the legal requirements have been met including the element of continuity plus relationship and the threat of such conduct extending into the indefinite future.
- 4. The "enterprise", the "pattern of racketeering", and the "conducting of the affairs of the enterprise" is clearly visible in the testimony of G. David Westfall and his accountant Richard Alderson, as shown in the transcript of the September 20, 2000 bankruptcy proceedings against G. David Westfall (No 300-34287-HCA-7, Exhibit 8).
  - 5. This Court has jurisdiction to hear this RICO claim.

#### INTRODUCTION

- 6. Having diligently investigated both the facts and the law, Birnbaum has found that the matters he previously complained of were not isolated garden variety wrongs, but that the evidence shows he is the victim of conduct proscribed by 18 U.S.C. \$ 1961 et seq ("RICO"), i.e. that certain "persons" established, conducted and participated in an enterprise which engaged in a pattern of racketeering activity and affected interstate commerce, etc. and that he was injured by reason of such violation.
- 7. Birnbaum has also found, and comes to show, that he is not the only victim of the enterprise, i.e. that the enterprise and its scheme was and is ongoing upon others, and constitutes a menace projecting into the indefinite future.
- 8. Birnbaum, in asserting this supplementary Civil RICO claim, is in conformance with the Congressional intent of Civil RICO as established by the Supreme Court of the United States in Rotella v. Wood et al. (2000), i.e. a "congressional objective [in enacting Civil RICO] of encouraging civil litigation not merely to compensate victims but also to turn them into private attorneys general, supplementing Government efforts by undertaking litigation in the public good".
- 9. State courts have concurrent jurisdiction to consider civil claims arising under RICO. Tafflin v. Levitt, 493 U.S. 455 (1990). And, to the extent that Congress intended RICO to serve broad remedial purposes, concurrent jurisdiction will advance rather than jeopardize federal policies underlying the statute. Id.

- described in the Affidavit of Udo Birnbaum dated August 16, 2000, already previously supplied as Exhibit 1. Birnbaum was at that time a victim of the filing of a fraudulent suit in the Texas 294<sup>th</sup> District Court in Canton, Texas which had become the feature article in a newsletter about corrupt lawyers a certain Michael Collins had mailed to 15,000 residents in Van Zandt County. (Exhibit 5). Shortly thereafter three beheaded calves appeared upon Birnbaum and Collins as reported by several newspapers. (Exhibit 6, 7).
- The scheme upon Birnbaum in the Texas 294<sup>th</sup> District Court is fully shown in the complaint of extortion which G. David Westfall <u>himself</u> as Birnbaum's lawyer filed in the Federal Court in Dallas, Texas, including 104 attached exhibits, and by reference made a part of this Claim. G. David Westfall was and is well aware of the corruption that can be practiced in this state court.
- 12. Birnbaum paid G. David Westfall \$20,000 up front. Evidence that G. David Westfall had darker reasons than the \$20,000, i.e. active obstruction of Birnbaum's (3:99cv0696) and Michael Collins' (3:99cv0641) civil RICO cause in the Dallas Court for the purpose of ingratiating himself with certain Texas district judges is contained in another Affidavit of Udo Birnbaum, dated September 15, 2000, already previously supplied as Exhibit 2. Schemes such as this for the purpose of defrauding of the honest services of public officials have been held to violate RICO. *United States v. Brumley*, 116 F.3d 728 (5<sup>th</sup> Cir. 1997) en banc.

#### THE ENTERPRISE

- 13. Birnbaum incorporates as though fully set forth herein, each and every allegation contained in DEFENDANT'S ANSWER, COUNTERCLAIM, AND CROSS-COMPLAINT and in the preceding paragraphs.
- 14. The alleged RICO enterprise is the association in fact between "The Law Offices of G. David Westfall, P.C." ("The Law Office"), and "G. David Westfall Family Limited Partnership" ("The Farm"). The enterprise has both a legal and hierarchical elements. The enterprise affects interstate and/or foreign commerce.
- 15. The named enterprise is distinct from the three above named RICO defendants. The defendants are associated with this enterprise and control and conduct the affairs of this enterprise in a manner violative of RICO, and their proscribed conduct projects into the indefinite future.

- 16. The "enterprise" is evident from the transcript of the September 20, 2000 bankruptcy proceedings against G. David Westfall (Exhibit 8):
  - Mr. Alderson, the accountant for everybody, including "The Law Office", "Westfall Farms",
     Mr. Westfall, Mrs. Westfall for ten (10) years does not "know" if Mr. Westfall is a shareholder of "The Law Office of G. Westfall, P.C." page 33 starting line 9.
  - Mr. Alderson's testimony that funds are co-mingled among the "enterprise". page 40 starting line 12 and going on for pages.
  - The Court reprimanding Mr. Alderson: "I don't understand how you can put your name on a tax return if you haven't looked to at least spot check checks." And "Aren't you sticking your neck out when you put your name on a return like that?" page 52 starting line 15.
  - David Westfall funding the whole bunch out of a single account. Starting page 64.
  - Neither David Westfall nor Christina Westfall have personal checking accounts. Everything comes out of the slush fund "Law Office" account. Starting at page 77
  - David Westfall hiding that his daughter Stefani Podvin is the real owner of "The Law Offices of G. David Westfall". page 87 line 16.
  - When Westfall shuffled assets and the old Westfall Farms became a "dormant corporation".
     In there somewhere.
  - David Westfall trying to make himself bullet proof from a pending \$500,000 King Ranch judgment. In there somewhere
  - Etc

#### THE PURPOSE OF THE SCHEME

- 17. The purpose of the scheme is to illicitly enrich the named RICO persons at the expense of victims such as Birnbaum. As used in this Claim, the term "enrich" includes maintaining or securing employment, status, influence, personal power, and/or assurances of each other's present and future support. A further purpose of the scheme is to ingratiate the defendants with public servants by creating what could be termed "YOM" ("you owe me") chips, constituting future enrichment, and to pay on "IOU" ("I owe you") chips.
- 18. A further purpose of the scheme, i.e. the establishment and maintenance of the total "enterprise" is to make G. David Westfall "bullet-proof" as he has used that term by shuffling

proceeds of the pattern of racketeering activity into "G. David Westfall Familily Limited Partnership", allowing him to continue the ongoing pattern of racketeering.

#### THE SCHEME

- 19. Although the exact details of the alleged extortion scheme and the scheme to defraud of honest service are not known and await discovery, the scheme evinced from the pattern of racketeering activity is as follows:
- 20. G. David selects a victim based not only on the financial assets as he has come to know such person has, but also on the future "usefulness" of such person such as "free" labor he can extract in behalf of "The Farm", their future "usefulness" as solicitor for "The Law Office", or as a bargaining chip, source of priviledged information, or as a "toy".
- 21. G. David Westfall, as a public citizen, and in the glow of the law license entrusted him by the Texas State Bar, slowly and carefully "buddies" up to the victim and obtains their complete trust. He may or may not have them sign a retainer agreement, but downplays the legal implications of such document in the name of "The Law Offices of G. David Westfall, P.C." by not providing timely account statements and telling them not to worry about the bill.
- 22. G. David Westfall, as a RICO person, at the same time schemes as how to get the most out of the situation, going even so far as conspiring to get his victim "client" to drop defendants to ingratiate himself with those same defendants (Birnbaum and Collins case).
- 23. G. David Westfall, as a RICO person, begins to create an alternate version of the facts, i.e. planting untruths that somebody is "mean" (Collins), or "has not told the truth" (Collins), or is "weird" (Birnbaum), all the time still working on building the trust of his victims, and of course not telling them that he is spreading lies, and still not providing statements.
- When such victim has discovered G. David Westfall's scheme, i.e. how much Westfall is benefitting, and how little service he (Westfall) has provided, and all the lies he has told them, or at such time as G. David Westfall believes they have discovered such, he strikes, and as a public citizen, and under power of his law license proceeds to take under force or perceived force that which he wants.
- 25. When such victim begins to assert his rights as would expose G. David Westfall's scheme, G. David Westfall calls in his "bargaining chips" to "do in" and/or silence such victim by whatever means are available.

#### PATTERN OF RACKETEERING ACTIVITIES

#### The pattern upon Udo Birnbaum:

- 26. Westfall solicited Udo Birnbaum to obstruct his civil RICO cause 3:99cv0696 in the Dallas Federal Court for the purpose of ingratiating himself with certain rogue judges. Westfall gets paid \$20,000 up front. Evidence is in the documents Westfall thereto created and the total court file hereby made a part of this claim by reference. Evidence is also in the previously provided exhibits.(Exhibits 1-4)
- 27. Westfall obstructed in the administration of justice in the Dallas Federal Court in cause 3:99cv0696. Evidence is in the documents Westfall thereto created and in the total court file hereby made a part of this claim by reference.
- 28. Westfall pushes Udo Birnbaum to drop certain judge defendants from his suit, but does not succeed.
- 29. As a public citizen Westfall defrauded Udo Birnbaum of the "intangible right of honest service".
- 30. Westfall begins to discredit Udo Birnbaum's by telling others that Udo Birnbaum is "weird". Westfall never sends accounting statements.
- 31. Westfall suddenly created fraudulent accounts at "The Law Offices of G. Westfall P.C.", i.e. "the bill".
- 32. Westfall attempt to extort \$18, 121.10 ("the bill") by filing fraudulent suit in the very same Texas 294<sup>th</sup> District Court as Westfall knows is a "pocket of corruption" <u>as shown by his own</u> document and 104 attached Exhibits!
- 33. Westfall is trying to pull a "sneeky Pete" attempting to extort not only an additional \$18,121.10 in "legal fees", but to defraud Birnbaum of his right to be heard upon the fraud in the entire "bill" and the entire scheme.

#### The pattern upon Michael Collins:

34. Solicited Michael Collins to obstruct his civil RICO cause 3:99cv0641 in the Dallas Federal Court for the purpose of ingratiating himself with certain rogue judges. Evidence in the

previously provided exhibits. Gets paid only \$3000. Never sends Collins any bill or accounting statement.

- 35. Pushes Collins into working out of Westfall's "Law Office" and even live there a week.
- 36. Pushes Collins into dropping such certain judge defendants from Collins' suit, stating that Collins would have a "better case" that way. Westfall succeeds.
- 37. Pushes Collins into <u>working</u> at "Westfall Farms" and tries to get him <u>to move</u> out there. Westfall provides Collins with a list of tasks to be performed. Collins sees through the scheme.
- 37. Pushes Collins to obtain rights to "My Playhouse", a cardboard construction project Collins was marketing. Collins sees through the scheme.
- 38. Pushes to obtain rights to a book Collins was writing. Collins sees through the scheme.
  - 39. Behind Michael Collins' back tells others Michael Collins is "mean" and a "liar".
- 40. Obstructed in the administration of justice in the Dallas Federal Court in cause 3:99cv0641.
- 41. As a public citizen defrauded Michael Collins of the "intangible right of honest service".
- 42. Created fraudulent "bill" at "The Law Offices" in Collins' Walmart suit. Never previously sent accounting statement. Refused to return Collins' Walmart file. Never provided a "bill" in Collins' federal Civil RICO suit.

#### The pattern upon Kathy Young:

- 43. "Saves" Kathy Young from trumped up criminal charges in the Texas 294<sup>th</sup> District Court. Ultimately also becomes her lawyer in her divorce matter in 1998.
- 44. Pushes Young to turn over spousal support payments. Never straightens out divorce and keeps collecting \$700 per month for two years. Never provides accounting statement.
- 45. Pushes Young to <u>work</u> at "Westfall Farms" and ultimately <u>live there</u>. Young feeds and waters the animals, moves hay, and looks after the calves and the place in general.
  - 46. Pushes Young to solicit Michael Collins and Udo Birnbaum.

- 47. Becomes Young's mothers' lawyer telling Young her mother has a "good case". Never provides accounting statement. Does not provide "honest service". Finally tells Young her mother never had a "good case." Refuses to return file.
- 48. When Young comes to realize how she got duped by Westfall, Westfall turns on her, and tries to have her arrested in another matter he "did not clean up".
  - 49. Labor was extorted under threat of "legal fees" for the benefit of "Westfall Farms".

#### The pattern upon Jeryl Cockerham

- 50. Westfall gets Kathy Young to bring Cockerham to Westfall. Cockerham, former Sheriff of Van Zandt County, had been run through the mill in the same pocket of corruption in the Texas 294<sup>th</sup> District Court. Westfall had it right, when he stated to Birnbaum and Collins that "It[Van Zandt County] is truly a RICO enterprise."
- 51. When Cockerham told Westfall he could not afford him, Westfall kept telling him "not to worry" about the bill, all the time discrediting Cockerham before others by claiming Cockerham was avoiding him and not paying his bill.
- 52. Westfall finally sent Cockerham a bill totaling \$13,861.90 for work supposedly done between July and December of 1998. Cockerham paid a total of \$4,500. Westfall pushed Cockerham to work at "Westfall farms".
- 53. The first charge on Cockerham's "bill", is a charge for a teleconference between Kathy Young, Westfall's solicitor, and G. David Westfall. This fits the pattern of Birnbaum's "bill", which likewise has a charge for a teleconference with Kathy Young, his solicitor, as the first entry.
  - 54. Labor was extorted under threat of "legal fees" for the benefit of "Westfall Farms".

#### The pattern upon Mathew Chitty:

- 55. Mathew Chitty was charged with a bogus criminal charge in the Texas 294<sup>th</sup> District Court. G. David Westfall became Chitty's lawyer and told Chitty that he had taken care of the matter, but he had not.
- 56. G. David Westfall ran up a bill of about \$9,000 and Mathew Chitty likewise <u>wound</u> up on "Westfall Farms", where he <u>lived in the barn</u>.
- 57. Mathew Chitty fed and watered the animals, moved hay, worked on the road, and was to be paid \$150 per week and money to be taken off the "bill".

- 58. Mathew Chitty ultimately fired G. David Westfall for lying to him and moved. G. David Westfall thereupon tried to have him arrested upon the criminal matter he had left "unfinished".
- 59. Labor and liberty was extorted under threat of "legal fees" for the benefit of "Westfall Farms".

#### The pattern upon Glen Cox:

- 60. Glen Cox was charged with a bogus criminal matter and David Westfall became his lawyer.
- 61. G. David Westfall did not "do as good a job of handling Glen's legal matters as he could have" to enable him to maintain a substantial leverage position over him. Glen Cox wound up **working** on "Westfall Farms", but Westfall did not pay him as agreed and Cox fired Westfall and left.
- 62. Westfall tried to have Cox arrested for stealing a trailer which he (Westfall) had in fact loaned to him. When that failed, he called Glen's bondsman to tell him that Glen no longer had a lawyer, and "needed to be picked up."
- 63. Tried to get Kathy Young to make a fraudulent affidavit that Westfall had not loaned the trailer to Cox.
- 64. Labor and liberty was extorted under threat of "legal fees" for the benefit of "Westfall Farms".

#### The pattern upon Margie Phelps:

- 65. G. David Westfall became her lawyer and got her to turn her file and research over to him. Westfall intentionally ran her past the statute of limitations and then would not return her file.
- 66. Phelps worked for Westfall without pay and Westfall tried to get her to solicit for him.

#### **Summary of the Pattern of Racketeering**

67. A Horror story of a pattern of defrauding of honest service and obstruction in the administration of justice.

#### **COUNT ONE--RICO**

#### For violation of 18 U.S.C. §1962(c)

### (participating through a pattern of racketeering activity) G. David Westfall, Christina Westfall, and Stefani Podvin

- 68. At all relevant times, Birnbaum was a "person" within the meaning of RICO, 18 U.S.C. §§ 1961(3) and 1964(c).
- 69. At all relevant times, the above-named were "persons" within the meaning of RICO, 18 U.S.C. §§ 1961(3) and 1962(c).
- 70. At all relevant times, the "enterprise" was engaged in, and its activities affected, interstate and foreign commerce, within the meaning of RICO, 18 U.S.C. § 1962(c).
- At all relevant times the above-named associated with this enterprise conducted or participated, directly or indirectly, in the conduct of the enterprise's affairs through a "pattern of racketeering activity" within the meaning of RICO, 18 U.S.C. § 1961(5), in violation of RICO, 18 U.S.C. § 1962(c).
- 72. Specifically, at all relevant times, the above-named engaged in "racketeering activity" within the meaning of 18 U.S.C. § 1961(1) by engaging in the acts set forth above. The acts set forth above constitute a violation of one or more of the following statutes: 18 U.S.C. § 1341 (mail fraud); 18 U.S.C. § 1503 (obstruction of justice). Each of the above-named committed and/or aided and abetted the commission of two or more of these acts of racketeering activity.
- 73. The acts of racketeering activity referred to in the previous paragraph constituted a "pattern of racketeering activity" within the meaning of 18 U.S.C. § 1961(5). The acts alleged were related to each other by virtue of common participants, a common method of commission, and the common purpose and common result of defrauding while enriching the above and concealing their fraudulent activities. The fraudulent scheme threatens to continue into the indefinite future.
- 74. As a result of the violation of 18 U.S.C. § 1962(c), Birnbaum was injured by the \$20,000 retainer fee paid, other direct costs, and loss of earnings.
- 75. As a result of their misconduct, the above-named are liable to Birnbaum for his injury in an amount to be determined at trial.
- 76. Pursuant to RICO, 18 U.S.C. § 1964(c), Birnbaum is entitled to recover threefold his damages plus costs and attorney's fees.

#### **COUNT TWO—RICO**

#### For violation of 18 U.S.C. §1962(a)

### (operating enterprise with income derived from a pattern of racketeering activity) G. David Westfall, Christina Westfall, and Stefani Podvin

- 77. At all relevant times, Birnbaum was a "person" within the meaning of RICO, 18 U.S.C. §§ 1961(3) and 1964(c).
- 78. At all relevant times, the above-named were "persons" within the meaning of RICO, 18 U.S.C. §§ 1961(3) and 1962(c).
- 79. The above-named operated an "enterprise" within the meaning of RICO, 18 U.S.C. § 1961(4).
- At all relevant times, this "enterprise" was engaged in, and its activities affected, interstate and foreign commerce, within the meaning of RICO, 18 U.S.C. § 1962(c).
- 81. At all relevant times, the above-named derived income derived from a "pattern of racketeering activity" within the meaning of RICO, 18 U.S.C. § 1961(5).
- 82. At all relevant times the above-named used part of that income in acquiring an interest in or operating the "enterprise".
- 83. As a result of the violation of 18 U.S.C. § 1962(a), Birnbaum was injured by the \$20,000 retainer fee paid, other direct costs, and loss of earnings.
- As a result of their misconduct, the above-named are liable to Birnbaum for his injury in an amount to be determined at trial.
- 85. Pursuant to RICO, 18 U.S.C. § 1964(c), Birnbaum is entitled to recover threefold his damages plus costs and attorney's fees.

### COUNT THREE--VIOLATIONS OF THE TEXAS DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES ACT (DTPA)

The Law Offices of G. David Westfall, P.C., G. David Westfall, Christina Westfall, and Stefani Podvin

(previously claimed)

#### **COUNT FOUR-FRAUD**

The Law Offices of G. David Westfall, P.C., G. David Westfall, Christina Westfall, and Stefani Podvin (previously claimed)

86. The above-named made misrepresentations of material facts and failed to inform Birnbaum of material facts.

- 87. The above-named knew or should have known of the falsity of their representations to Birnbaum or of the incompleteness of their statements to Birnbaum at the time that they were made.
- The misrepresentations, omissions, and concealment of material facts were made intentionally or recklessly for the purpose of inducing Birnbaum to submit to their scheme, and were made with reckless and utter disregard as to their truthfulness ore completeness.
- Birnbaum reasonably and justifiably relied to his detriment on the truthfulness of the misrepresentations and on the completeness of disclosures of material facts. But for the misrepresentations, omissions, and concealment of material facts, Birnbaum would not have paid the \$20,000 retainer fee and incurred other direct costs.
- 90. As a direct and proximate result of the intentional misrepresentations, omissions, and concealment of material facts, Birnbaum has been damaged by the \$20,000 retainer fee, other direct costs, and loss of earnings.
- 91. The conduct was knowing, intentional, with malice, demonstrated a complete lack of care, and was in conscious disregard for the rights of Birnbaum. Birnbaum is therefore entitled to an award of punitive damages.

#### **Summary**

- 92. This never was an honest "collection" suit, but a full-blown racketeering scheme being executed within full view of this Court as evidenced by the documents already before it.
- 93. Recognizing the suit for what it is, Birnbaum hereby drops his various claims for affirmative relief previously made except for the claims for Fraud and under the Texas Deceptive Trade Act (DTPA), and asserts the two RICO claims above.

#### PRAYER FOR RELIEF

Wherefore, Udo Birnbaum respectfully requests that judgment be entered against parties THE LAW OFFICES OF G. DAVID WESTFALL, P.C., G. DAVID WESTFALL, CHRISTINA WESTFALL, and STEFANI PODVIN, by reason of fraud, violation of the Texas Deceptive Trade Practice Act, and under Civil RICO.

Their conduct was knowing, intentional, with malice, demonstrated a complete lack of care, and was in conscious disregard for the rights of Defendant. Defendant is therefore entitled to an award of punitive damages. Defendant seeks judgment against each of them jointly and severally:

- (a) In an amount not less than \$100,000
- (b) For the costs of suit, including reasonable attorney's fees, if any
- (c) Pre-judgment interest at the maximum rate allowed by law
- (d) Post-judgment interest at the maximum rate allowed by law
- (e) Punitive damages in an amount as the jury may award at its discretion
- (f) All such other relief, legal and equitable, special or general, as the Court deems proper and just

#### BIRNBAUM HEREBY DEMANDS A TRIAL BY JURY

Respectfully submitted,

Udo Birnbaum, Pro Se

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** 

This is to certify that a true and correct copy of this document has been served via CMRR on this the 30 day of May, 2001 upon G. David Westfall, 5646 Milton, Suite 520, Dallas, Texas 75206 and Frank C. Fleming, Law Office of Frank C. Fleming, 6611 Hillcrest, Suite 305, Dallas, Texas 75205-1301.

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THIS is my "civil RICO" counter-claim upon I which I was so severely PUNISHED - \$62,885 plus another \$125,770.

Making a claim in court is of course a First Amendment Right

#### No. 00-00619

| THE LAW OFFICES OF G. DAVID WESTFALL, P.C. Vs. | )( IN THE DISTRICT COURT<br>)(<br>)( 294 <sup>TH</sup> JUDICIAL DISTRICT |
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| UDO BIRNBAUM                                   | )( VAN ZANDT COUNTY, TEXAS )(  |
| Vs.  | )( )( )( )( )( )( )( )( )( )( )( )( )( )                                 |
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| CHRISTINA WESTFALL                             | 30 For   |
| STEFANI PODVIN                                 | PM T:  |
| John Doe<br>Mary Doe                           | CORD<br>1: 07<br>GCO.JX.<br>1CCO.JX.                                     |

# APPENDIX TO <u>UDO BIRNBAUM'S THIRD PARTY PLAINTIFF CIVIL RICO CLAIM AGAINST</u> <u>G. DAVID WESTFALL, CHRISTINA WESTFALL, AND STEFANI PODVIN</u>

| EXHIBIT 1 | AFFIFAVIT OF UDO BIRNBAUM (AUGUST 16, 2000)  |
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| EXHIBIT 2 | AFFIDAVIT OF UDO BIRNBAUM (SEPTMEBER 15, 2000)   |
| EXHIBIT 3 | DEMAND LETTER (SEPTEMBER 6, 2000)  |
| EXHIBIT 4 | AFFIDAVIT OF UND BIRNBAUM (OCTOBER 3, 2000)  |
| EXHIBIT 5 | NEWSLETTER   |
| EXHIBIT 6 | NEWSPAPER ARTICLE  |
| EXHIBIT 7 | NEWSPAPER ARTICLE  |
| EXHIBIT 8 | TRANSCRIPT OF WESTFALL BANKRUPTCY PROCEEDINGS (SEPTEMBER 20, 200)  |
| NOTE:     | EXHIBITS 1 THROUGH 4 SUPPLIED WITH DEFENDANT'S ANSWER, COUNTERCLAIM, AND CROSS COMPLAINT (OCTOBER 3, 2000) |