

CANDIDATE'S SPECIAL REPORT

(to be filed by a candidate or his principal campaign committee)

This form is filed during the 20 day period immediately preceding an election to report (1) all receipts from a single source in excess of \$1,000 by major office candidates; in excess of \$500 by district office candidates; or, in excess of \$250 by any other office candidates, and/or (2) any payments exceeding \$200 to any person who endorses candidates and who is required to file campaign finance disclosure reports.

All candidates who have had any such transactions within the 20 days immediately preceding an election are required to report any such transaction on this form within 48 hours of the time the transaction occurred.

1. Qualifying Name and Address of Candidate

MICHAEL (MIKE) STRAIN
PO Box 897
Abita Springs, LA 70420-2471

2. Office Sought (Include title of office as well as parish, city, town and/or election district.)

Commissioner of Agriculture &
Forestry
Statewide
Statewide

OFFICE USE ONLY

Report Number: 12497

Date Filed: 10/9/2007

Report Includes Schedules:
Schedule A

3. Name and address of principal campaign committee
(Applicable only if candidate has a principal campaign committee)

4. Date of Election 10/20/2007

Primary General (Check one)

5. a. Name of Person Preparing Report

b. Daytime Telephone

6. WE HEREBY CERTIFY that the information contained in this report and the attached schedules is true and correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief, and that no expenditures have been made nor contributions received that are required to be disclosed have not been reported herein, and that no information required to be reported by the Louisiana Campaign Finance Disclosure Act has been deliberately omitted.

This 9th day of October, 2007.

Signature of Candidate/Chairperson (To be signed by Chairperson only if report by principal campaign committee)

985-809-7474
Daytime Telephone Number

Signature of Treasurer

Daytime Telephone Number

SCHEDULE A: CONTRIBUTIONS (Including In-Kind Contributions)

MAJOR OFFICE CANDIDATES: The following information must be reported for all contributions and in-kind contributions exceeding \$1,000 received during the last 20 days before the primary election, as well as those received in the last 20 days before the general election if the candidate participates in the general election.

DISTRICT OFFICE CANDIDATES: The following information must be reported for all contributions and in-kind contributions exceeding \$500 received during the last 20 days before the primary election, as well as those received in the last 20 days before the general election if the candidate participates in the general election.

ANY OTHER OFFICE CANDIDATES: The following information must be reported for all contributions and in-kind contributions exceeding \$250 received during the last 20 days before the primary election, as well as those received in the last 20 days before the general election if the candidate participates in the general election.

1. Name and Address of Contributor (& description if in-kind)	2. Contributions this Reporting Period		3. Valuation if In-Kind
	a. Date(s)	b. Amount(s)	
JOHN L BLAIR JR 275 Simalusa Drive Covington, LA 70433	10/09/2007		\$1,000.00
GORDON E DOVE SR. CAMPAIGN FUND 5 Glen Oaks Drive Houma, LA 70360	10/09/2007	\$1,000.00	
GULF STATES CONTRACTORS LLC 310 Howze Beach Lane Slidell, LA 70460	10/09/2007	\$1,000.00	
JERRY JONES FOR MAYOR COMMITTEE P O Box 7665 Shreveport, LA 71137	10/09/2007	\$1,000.00	
JONES WALKER WAECHTER POITEVANT CARRERE & 601 Poydras Street New Orleans, LA	10/09/2007	\$2,500.00	
E JOHN LITCHFIELD 136 Rosa Avenue Metairie, LA 70005	10/09/2007	\$1,000.00	
SYLVIA REINE 300 Blue Crane Slidell, LA 70461	10/09/2007	\$2,000.00	

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BARBARA THOMPSON 1930 Post Oak Road Keithville, LA 71047	10/09/2007	\$2,500.00	
TIM BURNS CAMPAIGN FUND 1 Sanctuary Blvd. Suite 306 Mandeville, LA 70471	10/09/2007	\$1,000.00	
WILLIAM B LAWTON CO LLC 641 West Prien Lake Road Lake Charles, LA 70601	10/09/2007	\$3,000.00	