

# 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  
P O 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: 26517

Date Filed: 10/20/2011

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 10/22/2011

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 20th day of October, 2011.

Michael Strain DVM

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

985-807-7474

Daytime Telephone Number

Brent A. Silva CPA

Signature of Treasurer

985-626-8299

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<br>(& description if in-kind)                                        | 2. Contributions this Reporting Period |              | 3. Valuation if In-Kind |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|
|                                                                                                         | a. Date(s)                             | b. Amount(s) |                         |
| BAYER<br>BNY Mellon NA<br>Pittsburgh, 15262<br><br>ck #3200079658                                       | 10/19/2011                             | \$1,000.00   |                         |
| GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY<br>P O Box 9544<br>Fort Myers, FL 32390-6<br><br>ck #0030053083                | 10/19/2011                             | \$500.00     |                         |
| CRAIG HARTGROVE<br>151 Forestry Road<br>Lecompte, LA 71346<br><br>ck #5291                              | 10/19/2011                             | \$5,000.00   |                         |
| LOUISIANA MARITIME COUNCIL<br>3939 N. Causeway Blvd.<br>Suite 102<br>Metairie, LA 70002<br><br>ck #3109 | 10/19/2011                             | \$2,500.00   |                         |