

Date: April 8, 2008

To: State Credentials Committee or other governing body

RE: Challenge to 1. Zan (Statham) Prince, County Chairman for Parker County, TX
2200 Lake Country Drive, Weatherford, 76087 817-594-5029 Voter ID - Unknown

Madam Chairman,

Please deliver the following challenge to the Republican State Officials Committee (as constituted in the bylaws of the SREC) or in the alternative if appropriate to the Temporary Credentials Committee of the State Convention.

We, the undersigned, having voted in the 2008 Presidential Primary Elections held March 4, 2008 find it necessary, pursuant to Rule 11b(1) of the Texas Republican Party's General Rules For All Conventions and Meetings, to be charged with the duty of recognizing, identifying and rectifying any infraction of these rules to the integrity of the Republican Party; and following the procedures outlined in Rule 27 (2) for filing said challenge, please be advised that this letter serves as our Challenge to the above-listed individual.

This named person intentionally violated the Laws of Texas (TEC) and the RPT Rules and in accordance with the above-cited Rules we hereby specify the grounds for the challenge and detail the specific rule or rules we allege to have been violated:

Challenge: Violation of Rule 23 which states:

“...All resolutions adopted by the next lower level convention shall be considered by the Temporary Platform and Resolutions committee of the next higher level convention...”

Issues regarding Rule 23 infractions:

Prior to the Parker County Republican County Convention held on March 29, 2008, a delegate had been assured by Mrs. Zan Prince that she would be on the Temporary Resolutions Committee which was chaired by Mr. Ken Davis. **Mrs. Prince went so far as to give said delegate the entire folder containing all resolutions passed in Precinct 205 and Precinct 115** (this being the precinct of the delegate who was told she would be on the Resolutions Committee.) The recipient of the folder containing the resolutions verified with the Permanent Precinct Chair for Precinct 205 that all 3 copies of every resolution passed by his delegation were, indeed, contained in the folder. And the recipient of the folder was the Permanent Precinct Chair for Precinct 115 and, therefore, has verified that all of the resolutions passed in her precinct convention were also included in the folder.

This **folder is**, at this writing, still **in the possession of the delegate**. It has never been requested by either Mrs. Prince or Mr. Davis. Therefore, none of the resolutions passed by Precinct 205 or Precinct 115 was considered during the meeting of the Temporary Resolutions Committee. Copies of the resolutions that were voted on and accepted by the delegation of the Parker County Republican County Convention show that 2 of these resolutions must have been present in resolutions passed in other precincts. The other **9 resolutions were never considered by the Temporary Resolutions Committee**.

In Conclusion, since it is fact that the Rules of the Republican Party of Texas state that all resolutions adopted by a lower delegation must be considered by the next higher level; and these several resolutions have never been considered by the Temporary Resolutions Committee nor presented to the Parker County Republican County Convention, the members of at least 2 precincts in this county have been denied their right to be involved in the process.

We the undersigned do request that this Challenge be upheld by the State Credentials Committee, or other governing body, by executing the required consequences on Mrs. Zan (Statham) Prince as required in Rule #11 (b) “...shall be removed from serving as a delegate to any convention of the Party at any level throughout the year.”

We further assert that the Parker County Republican County Convention was not a work executed by the delegation but rather a work of the above-listed small group excluding numbers of individuals making every attempt to participate in the

process. We would therefore request that the minutes which have been submitted be declared “null and void” since there is not true representation of the voting body of Parker County, TX.

Sincerely,

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