

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
SAN ANTONIO DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF CONTEMPT
PROCEEDINGS OF

DAVID C. WILLIAMSON,

PROSPECTIVE JUROR,
Jury Panel Number P-46-5
Juror Number 119

SA 02CA0782FB

NOTICE TO SHOW CAUSE WHY PROSPECTIVE JUROR,
DAVID C. WILLIAMSON,
SHOULD NOT BE HELD IN CONTEMPT OF COURT

rate of \$100 per hour. Attached as Exhibit B is a copy of Mr. Williamson's latest correspondence of August 4, 2002. Mr. Williamson contemptuously thinks his time is more valuable than that of his fellow citizens. Mr. Williamson has also contemptuously suggested that the Court call Mr. Williamson to schedule an appointment with Mr. Williamson to discuss the matter. Mr. Williamson does not indicate whether the Court will have to pay the \$100 per hour rate.

The Court is happy to accommodate Mr. Williamson's suggestion for an appointment: Mr. Williamson is **HEREBY ORDERED TO APPEAR** in Courtroom 2 of the John H. Wood, Jr. United States Courthouse, 655 East Durango Boulevard, San Antonio, Texas 78206, at 8:30 a.m. on August 26, 2002, to show cause why he should not be held in **CONTEMPT OF THIS COURT AND JAILED ACCORDINGLY**, save and except that Mr. Williamson can purge himself of his contemptuous acts by reporting for jury service at the same time, at the same place, and on the same date and to be paid the usual rate as other American citizens at \$40 a day, plus mileage.

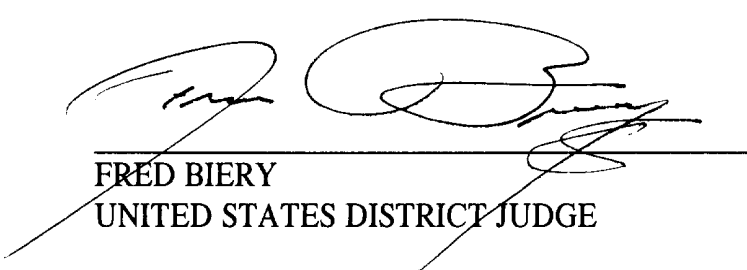
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the United States Marshals Service is **AUTHORIZED** and **DIRECTED** to service this Order as soon as practicable on David C. Williamson at the following address:

Mr. David C. Williamson
913 Canterbury Hill
San Antonio, Texas 78209.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court send a copy of this letter by certified mail, return receipt requested to Mr. Williamson at the above listed address. The Court will send a courtesy copy to Mr. Williamson by facsimile transmission.

It is so ORDERED.

SIGNED this 12th day of August, 2002.



FRED BIERY
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

EXHIBIT "A"

David C. Williamson

913 Canterbury Hill
San Antonio, Texas 78209

Telephone (210) 826-0674
Fax (210) 829-8933

Saturday, February 23, 2002

Jury Clerk
US District Court
655 E. Durango Blvd RM G65
San Antonio, TX 78206-9900

Dear Mr. Putnicki and/or Pamela j. Ramsey and/or Honorable Court,

First of all thank you so much for your prompt response to my request. Also thank you so very much for your understanding in granting my request to be excused from the JURY Panel: P-40-5 Juror no: 44, although your response sites "Service on the P-39-5 Panel".

Per your direction I acknowledge that I am assigned to serve on the jury panel beginning August 2002 and understand that I will not be granted any further requests to be excused, therefore I must comply or be sited.

I am a small business owner, as explained in my request, and as ordered in the response dated February 19, 2002 I have started contacting clients that are and have requested my services any time during the month of August 2002.

As a result of your order I am not able to schedule any business in the month of August and cannot generate any income during that period. Therefore because you ordered me to "Please keep your calendar free of any commitments during this month" I am interpreting the correspondence you sent as a contract for my professional services for the entire month of August and attaching an invoice for those services at my normal rate. You will notice that the invoice is dated for Monday February 25, 2002 and is due by March 25, 2002. Please be as prompt with payment as you were with your order.

As I must schedule work far in advance I will comply with the order from the Honorable Court and start scheduling work in September 2002 and none in August.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David C. Williamson", with a stylized flourish at the end.

David C. Williamson
Consultant

INVOICE

Date of Invoice: February 25, 2002

Bill To: United States District Court, William G. Putnicki, and Pamela J. Ramsey
John H. Wood Jr., U.S. Courthouse
655 E. Durango Boulevard
San Antonio, Texas 78206

For: Court ordered professional services for the entire month of August 2002

Purchase Order: Correspondence from the court Dated February 19, 2002 and signed by Pamela J. Ramsey

Time: 22 days X 8 hours per day X \$100.00 per hour

Sub total amount Due: \$17,600.00

Amount reduced for the day I will appear: 1 day X 8 hours X \$100.00 = \$800.00

Total Amount due: \$16,800.00

Full amount due on or before March 25, 2002. Amount not paid by this date will be subject to interest at the rate of 2% per month of the unpaid balance.

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Sunday, July 28, 2002

Jury Clerk
US District Court
655 E. Durango Blvd RM G65
San Antonio, TX 78206-9900

Dear Mr. Putnicki and/or Pamela j. Ramsey and/or Honorable Court,

On February 11, February 23, and March 30 of this year, 2002, I have sent correspondence to you and your office concerning jury duty requirements and payment you owe me as a result of those requirements. To date you have not acknowledged either the correspondence or the request for payment.

The directive I received from Pamela J. Ramsey, dated February 19, 2002 indicates the entire month of August 2002 is to be made available for you and your required jury duty. To date there have been no summons and per your rules they will be sent 30 days in advance.

Therefore, please note that I am once again requesting you to pay the invoice I sent in February, it is attached, as I did comply with the directive and did not schedule any appointments for the month of August. As a direct result of this I will not be able to receive any revenue from the business I had to turn down.

Also note that I am trying to recover some of the lost revenue for the month of August and therefore will not be available for Jury duty in August as i am traveling, on Pre-paid tickets, to customer sites. This should not matter as 30 days in advance of today is September anyway.

I will also not be available in the month of September or October or November or December of this year as those months are either already booked or will be by the time you can get around to sending me a summons.

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Sunday, August 04, 2002

Office of the United States District Court
Attention: Norma J. Wagoner, Jury Administrator
655 E. Durango Blvd RM G65
San Antonio, TX 78206-9900

Dear Ms. Wagoner and Honorable Judge Fred Biery,

In your letter dated July 29, 2002 you indicated that if I needed to serve for a shorter duration or at a different time due to undue hardship, to submit a written response to your Summons and the basis for the response.

I just arrived back in town last evening and received the correspondence concerning the jury summons for August 26, 2002. Thank you for the courtesy of pre-planning in this matter. As I stated in a letter that was sent to the court on July 28, 2002 I am unavailable for jury duty until January 2003. I am the principal of a small growing business that depends on me. I do a lot of business out of town, which requires me to schedule travel and business endeavors far in advance to accommodate customer needs and schedules. As a result flights must be made and paid for far in advance to meet the needs of my company from a cost perspective and my customers from a reliability and product quality perspective.

I am sensitive to the terrible acts, which threaten the foundation of our country where we live and prosper. I am also sensitive to the needs of my family and the people around me, which depend on me for their livelihood.

I am willing to due my civic duty and serve on a jury, but the timing and length of this opportunity is not contusive to my current commitments already on the books, and paid for, thus I respectfully request a continuance until January 2003. If you would like to meet and discuss this please have his honor call and schedule an appointment.

Sincerely



David C. Williamson
Potential Juror 119, Jury Panel P-46-5