

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF WAKE

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE
SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION
FILE # 11 CRS 13307

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

v.

INDICTMENT – OBSTRUCTION OF JUSTICE

Peter Anthony Reichard

The jurors for the State upon their oath present that on or between June 1, 2007 and February 1, 2009 in Wake County the defendant named above unlawfully, willfully and feloniously did, in secret and with malice, and with deceit and intent to defraud obstruct public justice in his role as an employee of and consultant to the Bev Perdue Committee (hereinafter the Committee) by soliciting and accepting over \$32,000 of campaign contributions and/or loans and expenditures for the Committee from Charles Michael Fulenwider (hereinafter Fulenwider) who had already contributed the maximum amount allowed by law in contributions (\$4,000 on December 3, 2005 and \$4,000 on May 28, 2008). The defendant did this through a scheme that allowed Fulenwider to make excessive contributions and/or loans and expenditures by paying \$32,000 to Tryon Capital Ventures LLC which was used to compensate Julia Leigh Sitton for work she did for the Committee without disclosing that compensation to the Committee, the treasurer of the Committee or the North Carolina Board of Elections. This scheme prevented the State Board of Elections and the public from having information to which they were entitled by law to have. This was done in violation of the common law and against the peace and dignity of the State.

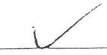
The State alleges the existence of the following Statutory aggravating factors
15A-1340.16(d) (1), (2) and (5).



Cole Willoughby
Prosecutor

 K. Perry, SBI


The witnesses marked "X" were sworn by the undersigned Foreman of the Grand Jury and, after hearing testimony, this bill was found to be:

 **A TRUE BILL** by twelve or more grand jurors, and the undersigned Foreman of the Grand Jury, attest the concurrence of twelve or more grand jurors in this Bill of Indictment.

NOT A TRUE BILL

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Grand Jury Foreman