

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

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FOR COMMISSION USE ONLY:  
CASE NUMBER  
c 2025-040

COMPLAINT FORM

COMPLAINANT: Frederick R Ange Jr.  
ADDRESS: [REDACTED]  
TELEPHONE NUMBER: [REDACTED]  
TITLE: Citizen

RESPONDENT: Jason Branham  
ADDRESS: [REDACTED]  
TELEPHONE NUMBER: [REDACTED]  
TITLE: Richland County District 1 Council Member

Set forth in detail specific facts upon which you based your complaint against above-named respondent (only detailed, clear factual allegations will be considered. If additional space is needed, attach supplemental sheets).

It has come to my attention that my Richland County Council representative, Jason Branham, may have received campaign contributions in excess of those allowed by Section 8-13-1314 of the South Carolina Code of Laws Chapter 13, Article 1. This complaint is made in good faith, and is based on information received from Mr. Branham's 2022 Initial Report which is available on the South Carolina Ethics Commission's website; as well as filings available from the North Carolina Secretary of State's Business Search portal.

For January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022, Mr. Branham reported 10 donations of \$1,000 each, all from companies based in North Carolina. A search of Articles of Incorporation (AOI), Annual Filings, Amendments, etc. identified a link to the same two individuals – Gregory Scott and Thomas Brock; and a consistent address: 1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive, Winston Salem, NC 27103 (though other addresses may have been used depending on the time period). In at least two cases, the businesses had not filed their annual reports and were administratively dissolved in 2021 (meaning that they no longer exist), before Mr. Branham reported receiving the donations.

I would respectfully ask that you review the attached documents, form your own opinion, and take appropriate action.

Respectfully, Fred Ange

If there is a finding of probable cause, the following documents become public record: the complaint, the response (if any) by respondent, and the notice of hearing. If a hearing is to be held, the final order and all exhibits become public record. If no hearing is held following a finding of probable cause, the final disposition of the matter becomes public record.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF Richland

Personally appeared before me Frederick Ange Jr who, first being duly sworn, says that he/she has read and knows the contents of the above complaint and that the allegations contained therein, are true and correct to the best of his/her own knowledge, except for those matters therein based upon information and belief, and as to those he/she believes them to be true.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this  
21 day of April 2025

[REDACTED]



[REDACTED]

Complainant Signature

Scott and Brock PC

Registered Address (03/22/23):

1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive Suite 200

Winston Salem, NC 27103

President: Thomas Brock

President: Gregory Scott

Bullhead Investments LLC

Registered Address (03/11/25):

1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive

Winston Salem, NC 27103

Manager: Thomas Brock

Manager: Gregory Scott

BSB Properties LLC

Registered Address (03/11/25):

5431 Oleander Dr.

Wilmington, NC 28403

Manager: Thomas Brock

Manager: Gregory Scott

AMSX Inc.

Registered Address (03/11/25):

1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive

Winston Salem, NC 27103

President: Thomas Brock

Secretary: Gregory Scott

Barbel Investments

Registered Address (04/21/08):

1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive

Winston Salem, NC 27103

President: Thomas Brock

Secretary: Gregory Scott

**DISSOLVED MAY 27, 2021**

Brock and Scott PLLC

Registered Address (09/24/12):

1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive

Winston Salem, NC 27103

Registered Agent: Thomas Brock

**Cirratu Holdings LLC**

**Registered Address:**

**1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive**

**Winston Salem, NC 27103**

**Registered Agent: Thomas Brock**

**Manager: Gregory Scott**

**DISSOLVED JUNE 15, 2021**

**Channel Group LLC**

**Registered Address:**

**1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive**

**Winston Salem, NC 27103**

**Manager: Thomas Brock**

**Manager: Gregory Scott**

**Brock and Scott Holdings Inc.**

**Registered Address (0311/25):**

**1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive Suite 100**

**Winston Salem, NC 27103**

**President: Thomas Brock**

**Secretary: Gregory Scott**

**Comprehensive Legal Solutions**

**Registered Address (08/27/09):**

**1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive**

**Winston Salem, NC 27103**

**President: Thomas Brock**

**Secretary: Gregory Scott**

# Electronic Filing

## Candidate Campaign Disclosure Review

### Initial Report 2022

**Candidate:** Jason Branham  
**Position Sought:** Richland County Council District 1  
**Election Type:** General  
**Election Date:** Nov 8, 2022  
**Filing Type:** Original Report, Filed  
**Submitted Date:** Jan 14, 2022

### Demographic Information

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206 Averill Ln  
Irmo, SC 29063  
803-381-7791  
County: Richland

### Report Type

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Initial Report 2022

### Filing Fee

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Please Note: If the filing fee is greater than \$0, the filing fee was paid from personal funds and is the only expense for the campaign.

Amount of Filing Fee: \$0.00

<b>Contributions</b>	<b>This Period</b>	<b>Election Cycle</b>
Cash Contributions	\$10,100.00	\$10,100.00
In-kind Contributions	\$0.00	\$0.00
Debt Setoff Funds	\$0.00	\$0.00
Personal Contributions	\$0.00	\$0.00
Loans	\$0.00	\$0.00
Account Credits	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$10,100.00	\$10,100.00

<b>Expenditures</b>	<b>This Period</b>	<b>Election Cycle</b>
Expenditures	\$0.00	\$0.00
Returned Contributions	\$0.00	\$0.00
In-Kind Expenditures	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$0.00	\$0.00

<b>Balance of Contributions</b>	<b>This Period</b>
Contributions on Hand (Beginning this Period)	\$0.00
Total Contributions (This Period)(+)	\$10,100.00
Total Expenditures (This Period)(-)	\$0.00
Contributions On Hand (Period End)(=)	\$10,100.00

## Loans

Loan Balance:	\$0.00
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## Contributions

<b>Date</b>	<b>Contributor</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Occupation</b>	<b>Amount</b>
1/9/2022	Scott & Brock, PC	112 Cambridge Dr. Winston Salem, NC 27104		\$1,000.00
1/9/2022	Bullhead Investments, LLC	750 Highland Oaks Dr. Winston Salem, NC 27103		\$1,000.00
1/9/2022	BSB Properties, LLC	5431 Oleander Dr. Wilmington, NC 28403		\$1,000.00
1/9/2022	AMSX, Inc.	1315 Westbrook Plaza Dr. Winston Salem, NC 27103		\$1,000.00
1/9/2022	Barbel Investments Corp.	4550 Country Club Rd. Winston Salem, NC 27104		\$1,000.00
1/9/2022	Brock & Scott, PLLC	1315 Westbrook Plaza Dr. Winston Salem, NC 27103		\$1,000.00
1/9/2022	Cirratu Holdings, LLC	750 Highland Oaks Dr. Winston Salem, NC 27103		\$1,000.00
1/9/2022	Channel Group, LLC	750 Highland Oaks Dr. Winston Salem, NC 27103		\$1,000.00
1/9/2022	Brock & Scott Holding, Inc	1315 Westbrook Plaza Dr. Winston Salem, NC 27103		\$1,000.00
1/9/2022	Comprehensive Legal Solutions, Inc.	750 Highland Oaks Dr. Winston Salem, NC 27103		\$1,000.00
1/5/2022	Jason Branham	206 Averill Ln. Irmo, SC 29063	Attorney	\$100.00
			<b>Total</b>	<b>\$10,100.00</b>

\*\*\* No Expenditures Reported. \*\*\*

\*\*\* No Loans Reported. \*\*\*

**\*\*\* No Loans Repayment Reported. \*\*\***

**\*\*\* No Account Credits Reported. \*\*\***

State of North Carolina  
Department of the Secretary of State  
**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
(PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION)**

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Elaine F. Marshall  
North Carolina Secretary of State

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Pursuant to Chapter 55B and § 55-2-02 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned does hereby submit these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a professional corporation:

1. The name of the corporation is: **SCOTT & BROCK, P.C.**
2. The number of shares the corporation is authorized to issue is: **1000**

These shares shall be: *(check either a or b)*

- a. **XX** all of one class, designated as common stock; or
- b. \_\_\_ divided into classes or series within a class as provided in the attached schedule, with the information required by N.C.G.S. § 55-6-01.

3. The street address and county of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

Number and Street: **1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive, Suite 100**

City, State, Zip Code: **Winston-Salem, NC 27103** County: **Forsyth**

4. The mailing address *if different from the street address of the initial registered office is:*
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5. The name of the initial registered agent is: **Matthew S. Cheney**

6. Any other provisions, which the corporation elects to include, are attached.

The specific purpose for which the corporation is being formed: **The practice of law.**

7. The name and address of each incorporator is as follows: *(Attach additional sheets if necessary.)*

**Matthew S. Cheney**  
**1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive, Suite 100**  
**Winston-Salem, NC 27103**

8. With respect to each professional service to be practiced through the corporation, the name of at least one of the corporation's incorporators who is a licensee of the licensing board which regulates such profession in this State is:

**Matthew S. Cheney**  
**1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive, Suite 100**  
**Winston-Salem, NC 27103**

9. A certification by the appropriate licensing board that the shareholder interests of the corporation are in compliance with the requirements of N.C.G.S. Sections 55B-4(2) and 55B-6 is attached.
10. These articles will be effective upon filing, unless a date and/or time is specified: \_\_\_\_\_

This the 28<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2011.



Matthew S. Cheney (Incorporator)

**NOTES:**

1. Filing fee is \$125. This document must be filed with the Secretary of State.
2. Only a "professional corporation" may use this form. To determine whether a particular corporation is such a "professional corporation," it is necessary to examine the requirements of N.C.G.S. § 55B-2(5). If the corporation does not meet those requirements, it must use the standard form for incorporation of a business corporation.

Revised January 2000

Form PC-05

**CERTIFICATION OF REGISTRATION FOR  
PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION BY THE COUNCIL  
OF THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BAR**

The incorporators of **Scott & Brock, P.C.**, a Professional Corporation, have certified to the Council of the North Carolina State Bar the names and address of all persons who will be original owners of said professional corporation's shares.

Based upon that certification and my examination of the roll of attorneys licensed to practice law in the State of North Carolina, I hereby certify that each person who will be an original owner of the shares of stock of said Professional Corporation is duly licensed to practice law in the State of North Carolina.

This certificate is executed under the authority of the Council of the North Carolina State Bar, this 29th day of November, 2011.



L. Thomas Lunsford, II, Secretary  
The North Carolina State Bar

[This certificate is required by G.S. 55B-4(4) and must be attached to the original Articles of Incorporation when filed with the Secretary of State. See regulation 3.1.2.]

PC-2

**SUBMIT THIS COPY TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE  
CORPORATIONS DIVISION**

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

STATEMENT OF CHANGE OF REGISTERED  
OFFICE AND/OR REGISTERED AGENT

Pursuant to §55D-31 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned entity submits the following for the purpose of changing its registered office and/or registered agent in the State of North Carolina.

INFORMATION CURRENTLY ON FILE

The name of the entity is: Scott & Brock, P.C.

The street address and county of the entity's registered office currently on file is:

Number and Street: 112 Cambridge Drive  
City: Winston Salem State: NC Zip Code: 27104 County: Forsyth

The mailing address if different from the street address of the registered office currently on file is:

Number and Street: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: NC Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_

The name of the current registered agent is: Matthew S. Cheney

NEW INFORMATION

1. The street address and county of the new registered office of the entity is:  
(complete this item only if the address of the registered office is being changed)

Number and Street: 1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive, Suite 200  
City: Winston Salem State: NC Zip Code: 27103 County: Forsyth

2. The mailing address if different from the street address of the new registered office is:  
(complete this item only if the address of the registered office is being changed)

Number and Street: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: NC Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_

3. The name of the new registered agent and the new agent's consent to appointment appears below:  
(complete this item only if the name of the registered agent is being changed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Type or Print Name of New Agent

\_\_\_\_\_  
\* Signature & Title

4. The address of the entity's registered office and the address of the business office of its registered agent, as changed, will be identical.

5. This statement will be effective upon filing, unless a date and/or time is specified: \_\_\_\_\_

This is the 22 day of March, 2023.

Scott & Brock, P.C.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

Gregory A. Scott, President

Notes: Filing fee is \$5.00. This document must be filed with the Secretary of State.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Type or Print Name and Title

\* Instead of signing here, the new registered agent may sign a separate written consent to the appointment, which must be attached to this statement.





LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ANNUAL REPORT

NAME OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY: Bullhead Investments, LLC

SECRETARY OF STATE ID NUMBER: 1021133 STATE OF FORMATION: NC

REPORT FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR: 2024

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SECTION A: REGISTERED AGENT'S INFORMATION

1. NAME OF REGISTERED AGENT: Thomas E Brock

2. SIGNATURE OF THE NEW REGISTERED AGENT: SIGNATURE CONSTITUTES CONSENT TO THE APPOINTMENT

3. REGISTERED AGENT OFFICE STREET ADDRESS & COUNTY 4. REGISTERED AGENT OFFICE MAILING ADDRESS
1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive 1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive
Winston Salem, NC 27103-1357 Forsyth County Winston Salem, NC 27103-1357

SECTION B: PRINCIPAL OFFICE INFORMATION

1. DESCRIPTION OF NATURE OF BUSINESS: Investment - Distressed Consumer Debt Portfolios

2. PRINCIPAL OFFICE PHONE NUMBER: (336) 354-1200 3. PRINCIPAL OFFICE EMAIL: Privacy Redaction

4. PRINCIPAL OFFICE STREET ADDRESS 5. PRINCIPAL OFFICE MAILING ADDRESS
750 Highland Oaks Drive, Suite 200 750 Highland Oaks Drive, Suite 200
Winston Salem, NC 27103-7110 Winston Salem, NC 27103-7110

- 6. Select one of the following if applicable. (Optional see instructions)
The company is a veteran-owned small business
The company is a service-disabled veteran-owned small business

SECTION C: COMPANY OFFICIALS (Enter additional company officials in Section E.)

NAME: Thomas E Brock NAME: Gregory A Scott NAME:
TITLE: Manager TITLE: Manager TITLE:
ADDRESS: 750 Highland Oaks Drive ADDRESS: 750 Highland Oaks Drive ADDRESS:
Suite 200 Suite 200
Winston Salem, NC 27103 Winston Salem, NC 27103

SECTION D: CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL REPORT. Section D must be completed in its entirety by a person/business entity.

Thomas E Brock 3/11/2025
SIGNATURE DATE

Form must be signed by a Company Official listed under Section C of This form.

Thomas E Brock Manager
Print or Type Name of Company Official Print or Type Title of Company Official

This Annual Report has been filed electronically.
MAIL TO: Secretary of State, Business Registration Division, Post Office Box 29525, Raleigh, NC 27626-0525



# LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ANNUAL REPORT

1/6/2022

NAME OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY: BSB Properties, LLC

SECRETARY OF STATE ID NUMBER: 0734751 STATE OF FORMATION: NC

REPORT FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR: 2024

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### SECTION A: REGISTERED AGENT'S INFORMATION

1. NAME OF REGISTERED AGENT: James P. Bonner

2. SIGNATURE OF THE NEW REGISTERED AGENT: \_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE CONSTITUTES CONSENT TO THE APPOINTMENT

3. REGISTERED AGENT OFFICE STREET ADDRESS & COUNTY 4. REGISTERED AGENT OFFICE MAILING ADDRESS

<u>5431 Oleander Drive</u>	<u>5431 Oleander Drive</u>
<u>Wilmington, NC 28403-5847 New Hanover County</u>	<u>Wilmington, NC 28403-5847</u>

### SECTION B: PRINCIPAL OFFICE INFORMATION

1. DESCRIPTION OF NATURE OF BUSINESS: Real Estate Services

2. PRINCIPAL OFFICE PHONE NUMBER: (910) 520-0217 3. PRINCIPAL OFFICE EMAIL: Privacy Redaction

4. PRINCIPAL OFFICE STREET ADDRESS	5. PRINCIPAL OFFICE MAILING ADDRESS
<u>5431 Oleander Drive</u>	<u>5431 Oleander Drive</u>
<u>Wilmington, NC 28403-5847</u>	<u>Wilmington, NC 28403-5847</u>

6. Select one of the following if applicable. (Optional see instructions)

- The company is a veteran-owned small business
- The company is a service-disabled veteran-owned small business

### SECTION C: COMPANY OFFICIALS (Enter additional company officials in Section E.)

NAME: <u>James Phillip Bonner</u>	NAME: <u>Thomas E Brock</u>	NAME: <u>Greg A Scott</u>
TITLE: <u>Manager</u>	TITLE: <u>Manager</u>	TITLE: <u>Manager</u>
ADDRESS: _____	ADDRESS: _____	ADDRESS: _____
<u>5431 Oleander Drive</u>	<u>5431 Oleander Drive</u>	<u>5431 Oleander Drive</u>
<u>Wilmington, NC 28403</u>	<u>Wilmington, NC 28403</u>	<u>Wilmington, NC 28403</u>

### SECTION D: CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL REPORT. Section D must be completed in its entirety by a person/business entity.

<u>Thomas E Brock</u>	<u>3/11/2025</u>
SIGNATURE	DATE

Form must be signed by a Company Official listed under Section C of This form.

<u>Thomas E Brock</u>	<u>Manager</u>
Print or Type Name of Company Official	Print or Type Title of Company Official

This Annual Report has been filed electronically.

MAIL TO: Secretary of State, Business Registration Division, Post Office Box 29525, Raleigh, NC 27626-0525



# BUSINESS CORPORATION ANNUAL REPORT

10-2017

NAME OF BUSINESS CORPORATION: AMSX, Inc.

SECRETARY OF STATE ID NUMBER: 1104300

STATE OF FORMATION: NC

REPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR END: 12/31/2024

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## SECTION A: REGISTERED AGENT'S INFORMATION

1. NAME OF REGISTERED AGENT: Gregory A. Scott

2. SIGNATURE OF THE NEW REGISTERED AGENT: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE CONSTITUTES CONSENT TO THE APPOINTMENT

3. REGISTERED AGENT OFFICE STREET ADDRESS & COUNTY    4. REGISTERED AGENT OFFICE MAILING ADDRESS

1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive

1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive

Winston Salem, NC 27103-1357 Forsyth County

Winston Salem, NC 27103-1357

## SECTION B: PRINCIPAL OFFICE INFORMATION

1. DESCRIPTION OF NATURE OF BUSINESS: Investment - Distressed Consumer Debt Portfolios

2. PRINCIPAL OFFICE PHONE NUMBER: (336) 354-1200 x\_

3. PRINCIPAL OFFICE EMAIL: Privacy Redaction

4. PRINCIPAL OFFICE STREET ADDRESS

5. PRINCIPAL OFFICE MAILING ADDRESS

1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive Suite 100

1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive Suite 100

Winston-salem, NC 27103

Winston-salem, NC 27103

6. Select one of the following if applicable. (Optional see instructions)

The company is a veteran-owned small business

The company is a service-disabled veteran-owned small business

## SECTION C: OFFICERS (Enter additional officers in Section E.)

NAME: Gregory A Scott

NAME: Thomas E Brock

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE: Secretary

TITLE: President

TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: 750 Highland Oaks Drive

ADDRESS: 750 Highland Oaks Drive

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

Suite 200

Suite 200

Winston Salem, NC 27103

Winston Salem, NC 27103

## SECTION D: CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL REPORT. Section D must be completed in its entirety by a person/business entity.

Thomas E Brock

3/11/2025

SIGNATURE

DATE

Form must be signed by an officer listed under Section C of this form.

Thomas E Brock

President

Print or Type Name of Officer

Print or Type Title of Officer

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MAIL TO: Secretary of State, Business Registration Division, Post Office Box 29525, Raleigh, NC 27626-0525

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 Elaine F. Marshall  
 North Carolina Secretary of State  
 C200811202061

State of North Carolina  
 Department of the Secretary of State

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Pursuant to §55-2-02 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned does hereby submit these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a business corporation.

1. The name of the corporation is: Barbel Investments Corporation

2. The number of shares the corporation is authorized to issue is: 100,000

3. These shares shall be: *(check either a or b)*

a.  all of one class, designated as common stock; or

b.  divided into classes or series within a class as provided in the attached schedule, with the information required by N.C.G.S. Section 55-6-01.

4. The street address and county of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

Number and Street 1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive

City Winston-Salem State NC Zip Code 27103 County Forsyth

5. The mailing address, *if different from the street address*, of the initial registered office is:

Number and Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

6. The name of the initial registered agent is: Thomas E. Brock

7. Principal office information: *(must select either a or b.)*

a.  The corporation has a principal office.

The street address and county of the principal office of the corporation is:

Number and Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

The mailing address, *if different from the street address*, of the principal office of the corporation is:

Number and Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

b.  The corporation does not have a principal office.

8. Any other provisions, which the corporation elects to include, are attached.

9. The name and address of each incorporator is as follows:

Thomas E. Brock, 1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive, Winston-Salem NC 27103

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

10. These articles will be effective upon filing, unless a date and/or time is specified:

Effective upon filing.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

This the 21 day of April 2008

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature*

Thomas E. Brock, Incorporator

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Type or Print Name and Title*

NOTES:

1. Filing fee is \$125. This document must be filed with the Secretary of State.

CORPORATIONS DIVISION

P. O. BOX 29622

RALEIGH, NC 27626-0622

(Revised January, 2002)

(Form B-01)

**North Carolina Department of the Secretary of State  
Business Registration Division  
PO Box 29525  
Raleigh, NC 27626-0525**

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**Barbel Investments Corporation  
Thomas E Brock  
4550 Country Club Rd  
Winston-Salem, NC 27104-3518**



# Notice of Grounds

## NOTICE OF GROUNDS FOR ADMINISTRATIVE DISSOLUTION *Take care NOW*

This corporation is delinquent in filing the fiscal year end 2018 and 2019 annual reports, which may cause it to be administratively dissolved. This Notice is the first step of the dissolution process.

**Avoid dissolution! Take advantage of our easy online filing tools to file missing annual reports now!**

Go to our homepage at [www.sosnc.gov](http://www.sosnc.gov) and click on **“File an Annual Report”** to begin the online process. You can also find a YouTube video to help you through the process. Avoid frustrating delays and file online! Filing online means you eliminate all the errors that result in the rejection of up to 25% of paper and pdf filings.

**Avoid frustrating delays and file online.**

Failing to file all delinquent annual reports within 60 days of this notice will result in the corporation being administratively dissolved.

Customer Service is available at [notice@sosnc.gov](mailto:notice@sosnc.gov)  
or call us at 919-814-5350.  
Business Registration Division  
Date: January 22, 2021

SOSNCPD201202



**NOTICE TO REGISTERED AGENT:**

Under N.C.G.S. Section 55D-30(b), it is the duty of the registered agent to forward this certificate to the business entity at the last known address.

Thomas E Brock  
Barbel Investments Corporation (1040357)  
4550 Country Club Rd  
Winston-Salem, NC 27104-3518



**State of North Carolina  
Department of the Secretary of State**

**CERTIFICATE OF ADMINISTRATIVE DISSOLUTION**

I, ELAINE F. MARSHALL, Secretary of State, as mandated by law, do hereby certify that

**Barbel Investments Corporation**

has been administratively dissolved pursuant to the procedure set forth in N.C.G.S. Section 55-14-21 for failure to file an annual report effective as of the date set forth hereunder.

A corporation administratively dissolved under N.C.G.S. Section 55-14-21 may apply to the Secretary of State for reinstatement by complying with the procedure set forth in the N.C.G.S. Section 55-14-22.



**This the 27th day of May, 2021**

  
**ELAINE F. MARSHALL  
Secretary of State**

Document Id: C202114713513  
<https://sosnc.gov>



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

STATEMENT OF CHANGE OF REGISTERED  
OFFICE AND/OR REGISTERED AGENT

Pursuant to §55D-31 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned entity submits the following for the purpose of changing its registered office and/or registered agent in the State of North Carolina.

INFORMATION CURRENTLY ON FILE

The name of the entity is: BROCK & SCOTT, PLLC

Entity Type:  Corporation,  Foreign Corporation,  Nonprofit Corporation,  Foreign Nonprofit Corporation,  
 Limited Liability Company,  Foreign Limited Liability Company  Limited Partnership,  Foreign Limited Partnership,  
 Limited Liability Partnership,  Foreign Limited Liability Partnership

The street address and county of the entity's registered office currently on file is:

Number and Street: 1315 WESTBROOK PLAZA DRIVE

City, State, Zip Code: WINSTON-SALEM NC 27103

County: Forsyth

The mailing address if different from the street address of the registered office currently on file is:

The name of the current registered agent is: Thomas E Brock

NEW INFORMATION

1. The street address and county of the new registered office of the entity is:  
(complete this item only if the address of the registered office is being changed)

Number and Street: 150 Fayetteville Street, Box 1011

City, State, Zip Code: Raleigh, North Carolina 27601

County: Wake

2. The mailing address if different from the street address of the new registered office is:  
(complete this item only if the address of the registered office is being changed)

3. The name of the new registered agent and the new agent's consent to appointment appears below:  
(complete this item only if the name of the registered agent is being changed)

C T Corporation System

Type or Print Name of New Agent

By

tion System

rence

Hardley Asst. Secretary

Signature & Title

4. The address of the entity's registered office and the address of the business office of its registered agent, as changed, will be identical.

5. This statement will be effective upon filing, unless a date and/or time is specified:

This is the 24 day of September, 2012.

BROCK & SCOTT, PLLC

Ternell Kearney  
Type or Print Name and Title

Notes: Filing fee is \$5.00. This document must be filed with the Secretary of State.

\* Instead of signing here, the new registered agent may sign a separate written consent to the appointment, which must be attached to this statement.

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Limited Liability Company  
 ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

Pursuant to §57C-2-20 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned does hereby submit these Articles of Organization for the purpose of forming a limited liability company.

1. The name of the limited liability company is: Cirratu Holdings, LLC.
2. If the limited liability company is to dissolve by a specific date, the latest date on which the limited liability company is to dissolve: (If no date for dissolution is specified, there shall be no limit on the duration of the limited liability company.)
3. The name and address of each person executing these articles of organization is as follows: *(State whether each person is executing these articles of organization in the capacity of a member, organizer or both. Note: This document must be signed by all persons listed here).*  
Richard P. Cook, Organizer  
Brock and Scott, PLLC  
1315 Westbrook Plaza Dr  
Winston-Salem, NC 27103
4. The street address and county of the initial registered office of the limited liability company is:  
 Number and Street 1315 Westbrook Plaza Dr  
 City, State, Zip Code Winston-Salem, NC 27103 County Forsyth
5. The mailing address, *if different from the street address*, of the initial registered office is:  
 \_\_\_\_\_
6. The name of the initial registered agent is: Thomas E. Brock
7. Principal office information: *(Select either a or b.)*
  - a.  The limited liability company has a principal office.  
 The street address and county of the principal office of the limited liability company is:  
 Number and Street \_\_\_\_\_  
 City, State, Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_  
 The mailing address, *if different from the street address*, of the principal office of the corporation is:  
 \_\_\_\_\_
  - b.  The limited liability company does not have a principal office.

8. Check one of the following:

\_\_\_\_ (i) *Member-managed LLC*: all members by virtue of their status as members shall be managers of this limited liability company.

(ii) *Manager-managed LLC*: except as provided by N.C.G.S. Section 57C-3-20(a), the members of this limited liability company shall not be managers by virtue of their status as members.

9. Any other provisions which the limited liability company elects to include are attached.

10. These articles will be effective upon filing, unless a date and/or time is specified:

This is the 27 day of April, 2009.



*Signature*

Richard P. Cook, Organizer

*Type or Print Name and Title*

**NOTES:**

1. **Filing fee is \$125. This document must be filed with the Secretary of State.**



# LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ANNUAL REPORT

10/2017  
NAME OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY: Cirratu Holdings, LLC

SECRETARY OF STATE ID NUMBER: 1096401 STATE OF FORMATION: NC

REPORT FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR: 2019

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## SECTION A: REGISTERED AGENT'S INFORMATION

1. NAME OF REGISTERED AGENT: Brock, Thomas E

2. SIGNATURE OF THE NEW REGISTERED AGENT: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE CONSTITUTES CONSENT TO THE APPOINTMENT

3. REGISTERED OFFICE STREET ADDRESS & COUNTY

1315 Westbrook Plaza Dr

Winston salem, NC 27103-1357 Forsyth County

4. REGISTERED OFFICE MAILING ADDRESS

1315 Westbrook Plaza Dr

Winston salem, NC 27103-1357

## SECTION B: PRINCIPAL OFFICE INFORMATION

1. DESCRIPTION OF NATURE OF BUSINESS: Investment - Distressed Consumer Debt Portfolios

2. PRINCIPAL OFFICE PHONE NUMBER: (336) 354-1200

3. PRINCIPAL OFFICE EMAIL: Privacy Redaction

4. PRINCIPAL OFFICE STREET ADDRESS & COUNTY

750 Highland Oaks Drive, Suite 200

Winston Salem, NC 27103-7110

5. PRINCIPAL OFFICE MAILING ADDRESS

750 Highland Oaks Drive

Winston Salem, NC 27103-7110

6. Select one of the following if applicable. (Optional see instructions)

The company is a veteran-owned small business

The company is a service-disabled veteran-owned small business

## SECTION C: COMPANY OFFICIALS (Enter additional company officials in Section E.)

NAME: Gregory A Scott

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE: Manager

TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: 750 Highland Oaks Drive

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

Suite 200

Winston Salem, NC 27103

## SECTION D: CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL REPORT. Section D must be completed in its entirety by a person/business entity.

Gregory A Scott

3/20/2019

SIGNATURE

DATE

Form must be signed by a Company Official listed under Section C of This form.

Gregory A Scott

Manager

Print or Type Name of Company Official

Print or Type Title of Company Official

This Annual Report has been filed electronically.

MAIL TO: Secretary of State, Business Registration Division, Post Office Box 29525, Raleigh, NC 27626-0525

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Business Registration Division  
PO Box 29525  
Raleigh, NC 27626-0525

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Raleigh, NC

Cirratu Holdings, LLC  
Thomas E Brock  
1315 Westbrook Plaza Dr  
Winston salem, NC 27103-1357



# Notice of Grounds

## NOTICE OF GROUNDS FOR ADMINISTRATIVE DISSOLUTION

This LLC is delinquent in filing the 2020 annual report, which may cause it to be administratively dissolved. This Notice is the first step of the dissolution process.

**Avoid dissolution! Take advantage of our easy online filing tools to file missing annual reports now!**

Go to our homepage at [www.sosnc.gov](http://www.sosnc.gov) and click on **“File an Annual Report”** to begin the online process. You can also find a YouTube video to help you through the process. Avoid frustrating delays and file online! Filing online means you eliminate all the errors that result in the rejection of up to 25% of paper and pdf filings.

**Avoid frustrating delays and file online.**

Failing to file all delinquent annual reports within 60 days of this notice will result in the corporation being administratively dissolved.

Customer Service is available at [notice@sosnc.gov](mailto:notice@sosnc.gov)  
or call us at 919-814-5350.

Business Registration Division

Date: 03/22/2021

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**NOTICE TO REGISTERED AGENT:**

Under N.C.G.S. Section 55D-30(b), it is the duty of the registered agent to forward this certificate to the business entity at the last known address.

Thomas E Brock  
Cirratu Holdings, LLC (1096401)  
1315 Westbrook Plaza Dr  
Winston salem, NC 27103-1357



**State of North Carolina**  
**Department of the Secretary of State**

**CERTIFICATE OF ADMINISTRATIVE DISSOLUTION**

I, ELAINE F. MARSHALL, Secretary of State, as mandated by law, do hereby certify that

Cirratu Holdings, LLC

has been administratively dissolved pursuant to the procedure set forth in N.C.G.S. Section 57D-6-06 for failure to file an annual report effective as of the date set forth hereunder.

A Limited Liability Company administratively dissolved under N.C.G.S. Section 57D-6-06 may apply to the Secretary of State for reinstatement by complying with the procedure set forth in the N.C.G.S. Section 57D-6-06.



**This the 15th day of June, 2021**

*Elaine F. Marshall*

**ELAINE F. MARSHALL**  
**Secretary of State**

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State of North Carolina  
Department of the Secretary of State

Limited Liability Company  
ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

Pursuant to §57C-2-20 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned does hereby submit these Articles of Organization for the purpose of forming a limited liability company.

1. The name of the limited liability company is: Channel Group, LLC.
2. If the limited liability company is to dissolve by a specific date, the latest date on which the limited liability company is to dissolve: *(If no date for dissolution is specified, there shall be no limit on the duration of the limited liability company.)* January 1, 2099
3. The name and address of each person executing these articles of organization is as follows: *(State whether each person is executing these articles of organization in the capacity of a member, organizer or both. Note: This document must be signed by all persons listed here).*  
Gregory A. Scott, Manager.  
1315 WESTBROOK PLAZA DR.  
WINSTON-SALEM, NC 27103
4. The street address and county of the initial registered office of the limited liability company is:  
Number and Street 1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive  
City, State, Zip Code Winston-Salem, NC 27103 County Forsyth
5. The mailing address, *if different from the street address*, of the initial registered office is:  
\_\_\_\_\_
6. The name of the initial registered agent is: Thomas E. Brock
7. Principal office information: *(Select either a or b.)*
  - a.  The limited liability company has a principal office.  
The street address and county of the principal office of the limited liability company is:  
Number and Street 1315 Westbrook PLaza Drive.  
City, State, Zip Code Winston-Salem, NC 27106 County Forsyth  
The mailing address, *if different from the street address*, of the principal office of the corporation is:  
\_\_\_\_\_
  - b.  The limited liability company does not have a principal office.

8. Check one of the following:

       (i) **Member-managed LLC**: all members by virtue of their status as members shall be managers of this limited liability company.

  ✓   (ii) **Manager-managed LLC**: except as provided by N.C.G.S. Section 57C-3-20(a), the members of this limited liability company shall not be managers by virtue of their status as members.

9. Any other provisions which the limited liability company elects to include are attached.

10. These articles will be effective upon filing, unless a date and/or time is specified:

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This is the   13   day of   December  , 20   07  .



*Signature*

Gregory A. Scott, ~~Manager~~ **ORGANIZER**

*Type or Print Name and Title*

**NOTES:**

1. **Filing fee is \$125. This document must be filed with the Secretary of State.**

CORPORATIONS DIVISION  
*(Revised January 2002)*

P.O. Box 29622

RALEIGH, NC 27626-0622  
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**Instructions for Filing**



# LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ANNUAL REPORT

NAME OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY: Channel Group, LLC

SECRETARY OF STATE ID NUMBER: 1021183 STATE OF FORMATION: NC

REPORT FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR: 2024

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## SECTION A: REGISTERED AGENT'S INFORMATION

1. NAME OF REGISTERED AGENT: Thomas E Brock

2. SIGNATURE OF THE NEW REGISTERED AGENT: \_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE CONSTITUTES CONSENT TO THE APPOINTMENT

3. REGISTERED AGENT OFFICE STREET ADDRESS & COUNTY 4. REGISTERED AGENT OFFICE MAILING ADDRESS

1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive 1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive  
Winston Salem, NC 27103-1357 Forsyth County Winston Salem, NC 27103-1357

## SECTION B: PRINCIPAL OFFICE INFORMATION

1. DESCRIPTION OF NATURE OF BUSINESS: Investment - Distressed Consumer Debt Portfolios

2. PRINCIPAL OFFICE PHONE NUMBER: (336) 354-1200 3. PRINCIPAL OFFICE EMAIL: Privacy Redaction

4. PRINCIPAL OFFICE STREET ADDRESS 5. PRINCIPAL OFFICE MAILING ADDRESS  
750 Highland Oaks Drive, Suite 200 750 Highland Oaks Drive, Suite 200  
Winston Salem, NC 27103-7110 Winston Salem, NC 27103-7110

6. Select one of the following if applicable. (Optional see instructions)

- The company is a veteran-owned small business
- The company is a service-disabled veteran-owned small business

## SECTION C: COMPANY OFFICIALS (Enter additional company officials in Section E.)

NAME: <u>Thomas E Brock</u>	NAME: <u>Gregory A Scott</u>	NAME: _____
TITLE: <u>Manager</u>	TITLE: <u>Manager</u>	TITLE: _____
ADDRESS: <u>750 Highland Oaks Drive</u>	ADDRESS: <u>750 Highland Oaks Drive</u>	ADDRESS: _____
<u>Suite 200</u>	<u>Suite 200</u>	_____
<u>Winston Salem, NC 27103</u>	<u>Winston Salem, NC 27103</u>	_____

## SECTION D: CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL REPORT. Section D must be completed in its entirety by a person/business entity.

Thomas E Brock 3/11/2025  
SIGNATURE DATE

Form must be signed by a Company Official listed under Section C of This form.

Thomas E Brock Manager  
Print or Type Name of Company Official Print or Type Title of Company Official

This Annual Report has been filed electronically.

MAIL TO: Secretary of State, Business Registration Division, Post Office Box 29525, Raleigh, NC 27626-0525



# BUSINESS CORPORATION ANNUAL REPORT

10-2017

NAME OF BUSINESS CORPORATION: Brock and Scott Holdings, Inc.

SECRETARY OF STATE ID NUMBER: 0589110

STATE OF FORMATION: NC

REPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR END: 12/31/2024

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## SECTION A: REGISTERED AGENT'S INFORMATION

1. NAME OF REGISTERED AGENT: Thomas Brock

2. SIGNATURE OF THE NEW REGISTERED AGENT: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE CONSTITUTES CONSENT TO THE APPOINTMENT

3. REGISTERED AGENT OFFICE STREET ADDRESS & COUNTY 4. REGISTERED AGENT OFFICE MAILING ADDRESS

1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive Ste. 100

1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive Ste. 100

Winston Salem, NC 27103 Forsyth County

Winston Salem, NC 27103

## SECTION B: PRINCIPAL OFFICE INFORMATION

1. DESCRIPTION OF NATURE OF BUSINESS: Law Firm

2. PRINCIPAL OFFICE PHONE NUMBER: (336) 354-1200 x\_

3. PRINCIPAL OFFICE EMAIL: Privacy Redaction

4. PRINCIPAL OFFICE STREET ADDRESS

5. PRINCIPAL OFFICE MAILING ADDRESS

1315 Westbrook Plaza Dr., Ste. 100

1315 Westbrook Plaza Dr., Ste. 100

Winston Salem, NC 27103

Winston Salem, NC 27103

6. Select one of the following if applicable. (Optional see instructions)

The company is a veteran-owned small business

The company is a service-disabled veteran-owned small business

## SECTION C: OFFICERS (Enter additional officers in Section E.)

NAME: Thomas Brock

NAME: Gregory Scott

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE: President

TITLE: Secretary

TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

4550 Country Club Rd

4550 Country Club Rd

Winston Salem, NC 27104

Winston Salem, NC 27104

## SECTION D: CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL REPORT. Section D must be completed in its entirety by a person/business entity.

Thomas Brock

3/11/2025

SIGNATURE

DATE

Form must be signed by an officer listed under Section C of this form.

Thomas Brock

President

Print or Type Name of Officer

Print or Type Title of Officer

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MAIL TO: Secretary of State, Business Registration Division, Post Office Box 29525, Raleigh, NC 27626-0525

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Department of the Secretary of State

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Pursuant to §55-2-02 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned does hereby submit these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a business corporation.

1. The name of the corporation is: Comprehensive Legal Solutions, Inc.

2. The number of shares the corporation is authorized to issue is: 100,000

3. These shares shall be: *(check either a or b)*

a.  all of one class, designated as common stock; or

b.  divided into classes or series within a class as provided in the attached schedule, with the information required by N.C.G.S. Section 55-6-01.

4. The street address and county of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

Number and Street 1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive

City Winston-Salem State NC Zip Code 27103 County Forsyth

5. The mailing address, *if different from the street address*, of the initial registered office is:

Number and Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

6. The name of the initial registered agent is: Gregory A. Scott

7. Principal office information: *(must select either a or b.)*

a.  The corporation has a principal office.

The street address and county of the principal office of the corporation is:

Number and Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

The mailing address, *if different from the street address*, of the principal office of the corporation is:

Number and Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

b.  The corporation does not have a principal office.

8. Any other provisions, which the corporation elects to include, are attached.

9. The name and address of each incorporator is as follows:

Richard P. Cook

1315 Westbrook Plaza Drive

Winston-Salem, NC 27103

10. These articles will be effective upon filing, unless a date and/or time is specified:

This the 27 day of August 2009

  


*Signature*

Richard P. Cook, Incorporator

*Type or Print Name and Title*

**NOTES:**

**1. Filing fee is \$125. This document must be filed with the Secretary of State.**

CORPORATIONS DIVISION  
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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )  
COUNTY OF RICHLAND )  
IN THE MATTER OF: )  
Complaint C2025-040 )  
Fredrick Ange, Jr., )  
Complainant. )  
Jason Branham, )  
Respondent. )

BEFORE THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

**NOTICE OF HEARING**

The State Ethics Commission has determined that there is probable cause pursuant to Section 8-13-320(10)(i), Code of Laws, South Carolina, 1976, as amended, in the above-captioned complaint. The Commission will convene a formal hearing into the matter in accordance with Section 8-13-320(10)(i) & (j), Code of Laws, South Carolina, 1976, as amended, and State Ethics Commission Regulations, S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 52-707 (1997 Cum. Supp.) on Thursday, August 20, 2026 at 9:30 a.m. at the Commission Hearing Room located at: 201 Executive Center Drive, Suite 150, Columbia, South Carolina 29210.

The following allegations will be heard:

**COUNT ONE**  
**FAILURE TO FILE A CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE REPORT**  
**SECTION 8-13-1308(B), S.C. CODE ANN., 1976, AS AMENDED**

That Jason Branham, Richland County Councilmember, failed to timely file a Quarter 2 2023 Campaign Disclosure Report, in violation of Section 8-13-1308(B).

**COUNT TWO**  
**FAILURE TO FILE A CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE REPORT**  
**SECTION 8-13-1308(B), S.C. CODE ANN., 1976, AS AMENDED**

That Jason Branham, Richland County Councilmember, failed to timely file a Quarter 1 2024 Campaign Disclosure Report, in violation of Section 8-13-1308(B).

**COUNT THREE**  
**FAILURE TO FILE A CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE REPORT**  
**SECTION 8-13-1308(B), S.C. CODE ANN., 1976, AS AMENDED**

That Jason Branham, Richland County Councilmember, failed to timely file a Quarter 2 2024 Campaign Disclosure Report, in violation of Section 8-13-1308(B).

**COUNT FOUR**  
**FAILURE TO FILE A CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE REPORT**  
**SECTION 8-13-1308(B), S.C. CODE ANN., 1976, AS AMENDED**

That Jason Branham, Richland County Councilmember, failed to timely file a Quarter 3 2024 Campaign Disclosure Report, in violation of Section 8-13-1308(B).

**COUNT FIVE**  
**FAILURE TO FILE A CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE REPORT**  
**SECTION 8-13-1308(B), S.C. CODE ANN., 1976, AS AMENDED**

That Jason Branham, Richland County Councilmember, failed to timely file a Quarter 1 2025 Campaign Disclosure Report, in violation of Section 8-13-1308(B).

**COUNT SIX**  
**FAILURE TO FILE A STATEMENT OF ECONOMIC INTERESTS**  
**SECTION 8-13-1140, S.C. CODE ANN., 1976, AS AMENDED**

That Jason Branham, Richland County Councilmember, failed to timely file a 2023 Statement of Economic Interests, in violation of Section 8-13-1140.

You have the right to be represented by counsel, the right to call and examine witnesses, the right to introduce exhibits, and the right to cross-examine opposing witnesses. This hearing will be open to the public as required by Section 8-13-320(10)(j), Code of Laws, South Carolina, 1976, as amended. The procedures to be followed are set forth in the Administrative Procedures Act, Section 1-23-10, et seq., Code of Laws, South Carolina, 1976, as amended, the State Ethics Act, Section 8-13-100, et seq., Code of Laws, South Carolina, 1976, as amended, and State Ethics Commission Regulations, S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 52-707 (1997 Cum. Supp.).

A pre-hearing conference may be scheduled prior to the hearing to allow exchange of witness lists and evidence, marking of exhibits, and disposition of motions or pleadings. In the event you fail to appear, judgment by default will be rendered against you. If there are any questions concerning the above notice or hearing times, please contact the State Ethics Commission.



Meghan Walker Dayson, Executive Director  
State Ethics Commission

Dated this 21<sup>st</sup> day,  
of May 2026.

**Certificate of Service by Certified Mail**

I hereby certify that a copy of this **NOTICE OF HEARING** was duly served on RESPONDENT Jason Branham, 206 Averill Lane, Irmo, SC 29063 by depositing said **NOTICE OF HEARING** in the United States mail, Columbia, South Carolina on this 20 day of May 2026, by CERTIFIED MAIL, E-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED, appropriate postage affixed, and a return address clearly indicated on said envelope.



**Marquita S. Kessler**  
State Ethics Commission

Columbia, South Carolina

(803) 253-4192