



State of Mississippi

OFFICE OF THE STATE AUDITOR
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AUDITOR

Report of Investigation

Allegation:

On 4/30/2003, the Office of the State Auditor (OSA) received a complaint/referral against Earl Pierce, Colonel MS National Guard, alleging the following: Misuse of Public Equipment

Investigation:

On 5/5/2003, Investigative Case Number 25-03-3493 was opened for investigation and assigned to an Investigative Division Special Agent. The following investigative procedures were performed relating to the allegation:


- Conducted pertinent interviews and obtained statements.
- Reviewed financial records.
- Researched appropriate documents.
- Conducted other necessary activities consistent with a civil / criminal investigation.

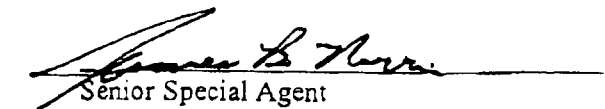
Results of Investigation:

After a thorough investigation of the complaint and with legal advice from the Office of the Attorney General, it was determined that Earl Pierce, Colonel MS National Guard was in compliance with state law


Disposition of Investigation:

This case was closed on 3/16/2008.


Jesse M. Bingham, Director
Investigative Division


Senior Special Agent
Investigative Division

SUBMITTED under my hand and seal of office at Jackson, Mississippi this the 18th day of March 2005.


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