

Addendum:

10/18/06

Notes from October 13, 2006 Telephone Call from Mr. Myke Clarett, Representative of the Ohio Secretary of State of John H. Payne DD Columbiana County Board of Elections

On Friday morning October 13<sup>th</sup> at 9:55 AM I had just returned from retrieving a ballot box from Richards Moving in Winona to deliver it to St. George's Hall in Lisbon in preparation for pollworker training to be conducted during the week of October 16-20, 2006. There was a voice mail message from Mr. Myke Clarett from the office of the Secretary of State asking that Director Lois Gall or myself immediately call Cassandra Hicks, General Counsel for the Secretary of State. Mr. Clarett also said that the same message was left on the Director's voice mail. There were some previous telephone calls in the morning between Judy Grady, Director of Elections for the Secretary of State instructing the Director to have the minutes of the October 12, 2006 meeting of the Columbiana County Board of Elections finished as soon as possible and faxed to Judy Grady. In a rough estimate of time around 10:00 AM or shortly thereafter Mr. Clarett called and told me to cancel the hearing that the Board of Elections had scheduled for Saturday October 14, 2006. He didn't offer any explanation so the local media was notified between 10:30 AM and 10:45 AM that the hearing had been cancelled.

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