

TRUE BILL

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROBERTSON COUNTY TENNESSEE
19TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT**

STATE OF TENNESSEE

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NOVEMBER 2017 TERM

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COUNTY OF ROBERTSON

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THE GRAND JURORS FOR THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, duly elected, impaneled, sworn and charged to inquire in and for the body of the County of Robertson, in the State aforesaid, upon their oath present:

COUNT 1:

That on divers days from the 15th day of August, 2013, through the 11th day of October, 2014, in the State and County aforesaid, **SAMUEL R. CHITTY** unlawfully did attempt in any manner to evade or defeat any tax due the State of Tennessee; to-wit: by purchasing a 1999 Piper Saratoga aircraft, registration #N75AU, serial #3257079, for \$244,000.00 for his personal use, then reporting the sales price as \$144,000.00 to the Tennessee Department of Revenue, and **SAMUEL R. CHITTY** did thereby avoid payment of more than \$500.00 in use tax due to the State, in violation of T.C.A. 67-1-1440(g) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Tennessee.


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COUNT 2:

That on or about the 30th day of September, 2014, and in the State and County aforesaid, **SAMUEL R. CHITTY** knowingly did delay, hamper, hinder, impede, obstruct or thwart the State of Tennessee in the collection of any of its lawful revenue, or deprived the state of the realization of such revenue at the time it was lawfully entitled thereto, by the falsification of any record, report, or return required by law, to-wit: **SAMUEL R. CHITTY** did falsely report the sale price of a 1999 Piper Saratoga aircraft as \$144,000.00 on an affidavit of Transfer of Aircraft, which document was required by law to transfer the legal title to the aircraft, in violation of T.C.A. 67-1-1440 (d) and against the peace and dignity of the State of Tennessee.


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