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RE: Coca-Cola Colombia & Willie Gary/Coca-Cola issue

2 messages

Ray Rogers <info@corporatecampaign.org>

Sat, Sep 24, 2016 at 7:47 AM

To: Mark Preisinger <mpreisinger@coca-cola.com>

Hi Mark,

Considering I am a shareholder in Coca-Cola, can you tell me what organization(s) and/or individuals received the \$50 million described as "\$50 million for Miscellaneous Race-Related Activities over 5 years" described in the report *Coca-Cola Caves in to Racial Extortion*?

I am speaking at Ralph Nader's Breaking Through Power conference in Washington, D.C. but will be back in my office on Wednesday.

I got Brent's response with respect to the Colombia situation.

Let's talk soon.

Cheers,

Ray

Update on Crooked Attorneys Willie Gary & Christopher Chestnut 9/22/16

To Florida and Georgia Legal Communities:

On August 31, 2016, an emergency petition was filed by The Florida Bar with The Florida Supreme Court seeking the immediate suspension of attorney **Christopher M. Chestnut**, whose law firm is headquartered in Atlanta, from practicing law in Florida "based on facts that establish clearly and convincingly" that Mr. Chestnut "appears to be causing great public harm..."

The petition states that Mr. Chestnut "is currently the subject of nine bar disciplinary matters" including complaints alleging "egregious conduct involving among other things, lack of competence, candor, diligence, and communication, solicitation, dishonesty, failure to supervise, and excessive fee." The petition also demands that Chestnut be prohibited from accepting new clients and cease representing any 30 days after the Supreme Court's order. Chestnut must also cease acting as personal representative for any estate, guardian for any ward or trustee for any trust within 30 days of the court's order and must turn over complete financial records of those to a successor.

Mr. Chestnut has followed in the footsteps of his mentor **Willie E. Gary** who has been accused in many cases of defrauding his clients out of their settlement money and who got caught stealing \$51.5 million of settlement funds from 42 female clients in Michigan. Mr. Gary; his law firm Gary, Williams, Parenti, Watson & Gary and several of his present and former partners are presently being sued in federal district court in Atlanta for fraud and legal malpractice over their improper handling of a landmark civil rights case that resulted in the irreparable harm to the livelihoods and lives of African Americans nationwide in the entertainment industry.

Mr. Gary and Mr. Chestnut were fired for cause over their poor handling of the Luisa Esposito sex molestation case that is pending in New York. For more information on that case and other cases of impropriety involving Willie Gary and Christopher Chestnut, please visit www.TheClientKiller.org and read the recent commentary, "[Willie Gary: Con Artist and Crook Par Excellence.](#)"

The unethical and unlawful activities of prominent attorneys like Willie Gary and Christopher Chestnut, **bring great dishonor upon the legal profession and undermine the integrity of our entire judicial system.**

As more of Mr. Gary's and Mr. Chestnut's long history of corrupt activities become public, **hopefully they and a number of their colleagues will be disbarred and sent to prison where they belong.**

Yours truly,

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Subject: Re: Coca-Cola Colombia & Willie Gary/Coca-Cola issue
From: Mark Preisinger <mpreisinger@coca-cola.com>
Date: Fri, September 09, 2016 12:12 pm
To: Ray Rogers <info@corporatecampaign.org>

Ray. I am still on the road but will definitely call you next week. Also Brent will send you an email about the Colombia situation you raised in your message below.

Mark.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 2, 2016, at 10:57 PM, Ray Rogers <info@corporatecampaign.org> wrote:

Hi Mark,

Hope you and the kids are having a great time! Give me a call when you've recuperated from vacation.

Cheers,

Ray

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—— Original Message ——

Subject: RE: Coca-Cola Colombia & Willie Gary/Coca-Cola issue
From: Mark Preisinger <mpreisinger@coca-cola.com>
Date: Fri, September 02, 2016 9:36 am
To: Ray Rogers <info@corporatecampaign.org>

Hi Ray. Sorry for the delay. I am on vacation with my kids. I was not aware of this so thanks. I'll look into this next week. If you want to talk we can next week or the week after. I'm in California on business Wed – Fri. Hope all is well.

Mark

From: Ray Rogers [<mailto:info@corporatecampaign.org>]

Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 4:47 PM

To: Mark Preisinger <mpreisinger@coca-cola.com>

Subject: RE: Coca-Cola Colombia & Willie Gary/Coca-Cola issue

Hi Mark,

Hope all is well with you.

I want to make sure that you, Muhtar and Brent have seen the following article that came out yesterday relating to Coca-Cola Colombia's involvement with the paramilitary death squads. As I described to Muhtar in our meeting, accountability on this issue is at the top of burning issues on my list. I also told him at the time that Terry Collingsworth would be meeting with Salvatore Mancuso, the highest ranking AUC paramilitary leader still alive who is in federal prison in New York.

Coca-Cola facing terrorism support charges in Colombia:

written by [Adriaan Alsema](#), Colombia Reports August 30, 2016

<http://colombiareports.com/coca-cola-facing-terrorism-support-charges-colombia/>

Multinational beverage producer Coca Cola is one of more than 50 companies that will be charged with financing the now-defunct Colombian paramilitary AUC group, a designated terrorist organization.

Several courts will reportedly forward evidence of the involvement of the companies in financing the AUC, which killed many dozens of labor rights defenders during its existence between 1997 and 2006, to a transitional justice tribunal.

Mark, we haven't talked since our 2-hour conversation on the Willie Gary/Coca-Cola issue. As we discussed at the time, upon very credible information and belief, Mr. Gary received substantial amounts of "Coca-Cola money" as a result of representing a group of plaintiffs who opted out of the Ingram vs. The Coca-Cola Company class action racial discrimination lawsuit. **Are you making any progress, or have you run into roadblocks, in obtaining answers regarding the matters we discussed relating to Mr. Gary.**

As I mentioned, I have no quarrels with Coke on this matter, but I do with respect to Mr. Gary. Our investigation into him, his law firm and some of his colleagues continues on a number of fronts. I want to make you aware of a commentary I wrote which is being widely distributed throughout the country. You can access the commentary through the following letter which was sent to some 1500 members of the Georgia legal community this morning. In the last section entitled "Extortion And Bribery Willie Gary Style," I raise the Gary/Coca-Cola issue:

Dear Members of the Georgia Legal Community and Media:

Americans are becoming more disenchanted and fed up with what appears to be increasing corruption in our judicial system at every level involving attorneys, and in some instances clerks and judges. This communiqué focuses on attorney Willie E. Gary, several other unscrupulous attorneys in Georgia and Florida and the Law Firm of Gary, Williams, Parenti, Watson & Gary.

Willie Gary, who got caught stealing \$51.5 million from his clients in Michigan, is no stranger to Georgians and Georgia courts both as a defendant being sued for child support or as an attorney representing plaintiffs who charge that he, his law firm and many of his colleagues have defrauded them. To learn more about the unethical and unlawful conduct of Mr. Gary, his law firm and some of his colleagues, please read the just released commentary "[Willie Gary: Con Artist And Crook Par Excellence](#)" and visit www.TheClientKiller.org

Colleagues of Willie Gary who are facing serious charges include Christopher Chestnut of The Chestnut Firm in Atlanta. Recently Mr. Gary and Mr. Chestnut were fired for just cause over their irresponsible handling of a sexual molestation case in New York. The Gary firm was also recently fired because of poor representation in a Michigan personal injury case while Mr. Chestnut is being sued by a Dallas law firm for barratry.

Willie Gary, his law firm, partners Sekou Gary and Lorenzo Williams and former partner Maria Sperando are embroiled in a very serious federal lawsuit in Atlanta charging them with legal malpractice and fraud in a landmark civil rights case. Chestnut has been embroiled in accusations and lawsuits over improper solicitations, making false claims in court and charging excessive fees.

The Gainesville Sun reported (2/18/15) that Emanuel Baker, who became a quadriplegic in a work accident, sued his attorney Christopher Chestnut who grossly overcharged him. Chestnut had to return \$3 million of \$3.6 million he claimed. The jury found Chestnut "committed civil theft, breached his fiduciary duty as a lawyer, and exploited his disabled client." The verdict was final and Mr. Baker got the money due him. Mr. Chestnut in his effort to defraud Mr. Baker, was represented by his mentor and colleague Willie Gary.

The suit accused The Chestnut Firm "of charging excessive attorney expenses, including a chartered jet and overnight stays at the Four Seasons Hotel..." Gary, in his motion to dismiss the lawsuit against Chestnut, used as one of the reasons to legitimize Chestnut's excessive fee and expenses that Chestnut "was able to engage as co-counsel one of the state's most experienced and seasoned attorneys [i.e. Willie Gary]" (*Florida Times Union* 8/16/13).

Please disseminate this letter to help expose and end fraud and legal malpractice in America's judicial system and to hold Willie Gary and others of his ilk accountable.

Yours truly,

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Hope to speak with you soon.

Cheers,

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Sat, Sep 24, 2016 at 7:49 AM

Hello Ray,

I hope all is well. I spoke with the EEOC Investigator this week and have info I need to share. I'll call you later today or you can call me when you're free.

Sharron

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