

**Appeal to the National Association of Letter Carriers, AFL- CIO,  
Committee of Appeals**

NALC CAPITOL BRANCH 142

Plaintiffs-Appellees,

v.

KEITH HOOKS (KH)

Defendant-Appellant.

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On Appeal from NALC Capitol Branch 142

**BRIEF OF APPELLANT**

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## REMEDY REQUESTED

I, Keith Hooks (Appellant), am requesting the findings, ruling and/or opinion rendered by the Article 10 Charges Committee (appointed by the NALC Region 13 National Business Agent, [REDACTED]) and sustained by NALC Capitol Branch 142 (motioned, and passed on September 7, 2022) to be overturned, deemed non-conclusive and procedurally defective, unsupported, and biased, with the attempt to bias the Membership of NALC Capitol Branch 142 in their decision due to the following:

1. Pursuant to the NALC National Constitution, the process was procedurally defective due to being untimely. There were no extensions motioned and passed by Membership, no dispensation from the National President to extend the proceedings and no request by the NBA to extend the timelines.
2. Pursuant to the NALC National Constitution, the NBA-Appointed Committee did not render "true facts" to the Membership of NALC Capitol Branch 142 so that the Membership could get a fair assessment of the Committee's findings and make an unbiased decision to sustain or deny the charges rendered.
3. NBA [REDACTED] was a vital witness in the proceedings. It is the opinion of the Appellant that the NBA-Appointed Committee would not be in the position of fairness but would be able to assist and protect the NBA from involvement. Nothing was rendered to the Membership as to what interview questions were asked of the NBA and his responses.
4. Many of the charges, accusations, and slander rendered by the charging party were unfounded, unsupported, and later to be found, by way of sound and verified documentation, to be untrue. The Committee was offered a copy of my binder with supporting documentation. The Committee requested a small portion of the binder and left the majority.

Respectfully submitted,

Keith Hooks

President/Appellant

NALC Capitol Branch 142, AFL CIO