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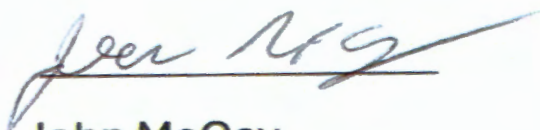
To Whom It May Concern,

It is with deep regret that I hereby withdraw my name from consideration for the primary ballot for the office of Senator for the district of Saint Croix. It has been brought to my attention that the USVI and the Board of Elections currently employs a highly unconstitutional code that prevents me from running for office while maintaining my position with VITEMA, Government Job..

I am not independently wealthy and therefore must be able to earn a living while running for office. It is highly disappointing that the island chooses to elect individuals that are not personally aware of the daily struggles of working individuals and business owners.

Our own government chooses to continually violate the Civil, Federal rights and constitutional protections due to every citizen. This is a discrimination and Prejudice to me, United States citizen.

Work for food and shelter or run for senator, but you cannot do both in the USVI. Make my choice or we will do it for you. I must make a living. I have no choice. Please remove my name off the Ballot.



John McCoy