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BlackSDA _ 3ABN _ Free Enterprise

Posted by: lurker May 29 2007, 10:33 PM

Looks like Bruce and Tammy Chance sell dogs. <http://tinyurl.com/2zoe8w>
<http://tinyurl.com/2yk3fp> <http://tinyurl.com/2srxjm> <http://tinyurl.com/2qsymj> <http://tinyurl.com/33bnl5>
<http://tinyurl.com/32btd8>

They seem to be very enterprising.

Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered May 29 2007, 11:00 PM

I have seen Bruce's ads before but not the one that Tammy has listed. I wonder if the ones that Bruce sells with the 3abn email address are being sold for 3abn? I heard recently that he used to have a gun range and a sport hunting facility. Seems he's into that kind of thing so perhaps this is just another of his own personal business ventures. The dogs sell for a pretty penny, especially the trained ones, so it looks like a lucrative enterprise.

Posted by: Fran May 30 2007, 01:56 AM

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I noticed that phone number too! I'll bet no one told Barbara Rowe! It also has a 3ABN email. Hum... I thought they learned their lesson back then, in losing the lawsuit, not to use 3ABN phone numbers to sell private stuff. If those ads are current, shame, shame!

The Chance family fit into a lot of things. Tammy loves her grandchildren and gets them books to read, costumes, and clothes. She used to sell quite a bit, but now only sells an occasional book, purse or so on eBay.

She offered a beautiful ceramic flower arrangement that I wanted, but it ended before I could get it. It was gorgeous!

It did not sell and I thought it would be re-run, but I was wrong. I keep looking for it. She is a very nice lady and she can sing too.

I wish them well with their dogs. I guess the dogs are worth the money! People are buying them! I need to ask for lessons from them.

Posted by: lurker May 30 2007, 04:42 AM

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Posted by: Observer May 30 2007, 06:14 AM

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There is a simple answer to that question:

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That copyright notice was found at the bottom of one of the URLs listed in the first post in the thread.

NOTE: I have not checked all of the URLs so I do not know if there are such notices in the other ones.

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Here is a chronological listing of the dogs for sale on the site.

<http://www.gundogsonline.com/hunting-dogs-for-sale/started-dogs/>

Posted by: Clay May 30 2007, 07:04 AM

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maybe not... maybe I am not understanding how interested the court might be about 3abn's business activity? That's why I asked...

Posted by: LaurenceD May 30 2007, 07:51 AM

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Posted by: lurker May 30 2007, 10:35 AM

Actually, as it has been noted before, there is the property tax issue, but there are also separate State and IRS issues. There are questions about non profit status.

Because his siblings, children and grandchildren are related to Danny who is the founder and president, they are considered to be disqualified persons as is he. Danny can offer the use of the sound center and other facilities at 3ABN to others free of charge and they can sell and advertise their product such as books or cd's or whatever and make a profit. They are responsible for reporting and paying income tax on the profit. He can do this for anyone, that is except **himself, his siblings, children, grandchildren, spouse and other disqualified persons.**

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Posted by: Fran May 30 2007, 10:47 AM

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Seriously, it matters because the results found in the Property Tax Lawsuit were not taken seriously by 3ABN Management. They still continue to do what they did back then. This should have an impact on their appeal.

It is also an indicator that maybe more items that needed to change, did not change at 3ABN

since 2000-2001

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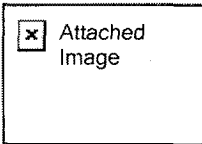
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




Posted by: mozart May 30 2007, 12:55 PM

aw heck fran....., that aint nuthin' 

i had a cat that could do all that and more. he walked on a leash, stayed on a chain when we camped and jumped in the van when we started packing up. he even flew on an airplane, sitting up in the seat with his arm on the armrest.*ppffftt ! *



This is kimosobbie... better known as "The Sob-Meister"

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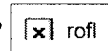
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who was it that said on here that that CD was like being at a Roller-Rink???
oh, we are heathens aren't we!



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That would be great!! I hardly ever have company. Most of my friends live in the SF bay area which is about a 7-8 hour drive.

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My Mandy Louise thinks she is a really big thing too! She loves to chase the peacocks out of our back yard! The big dogs hear the ruckus and come running to the fence to see her act. They all want to play!

It is so funny!

Posted by: lurker Jun 1 2007, 11:41 AM

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Folks, I love your cute doggie stories but this was my point exactly. Tommy, Danny, Melody and Tammy+Bruce. It seems to be run like a family business, not like a non profit corporation.

Posted by: Johann Jun 4 2007, 03:53 AM

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I saw it yesterday. Also Danny telling about the AF-3ABN merger. Were these re-runs?