Hereby certify that Stephen Lowenstein was summoned as a witness to appear before the Committee of Investigation of the House of Representatives of the Republic of Texas to give evidence in the case under investigation wherein the Republic of Texas is a party on the one part and [redacted] is the other party that said Lowenstein did attend as required; and that he is entitled to pay for traveling eighty miles in coming to and eighty miles in going from the place at the rate of twelve and a half cents for each mile each way and to three days attendance at the rate of two dollars per day, to be paid out of the fund appropriated to defray the contingent expenses of both Houses of Congress.

3 days $6.00
Mileage 20.00
$26.00

Given under my hand in the Hall of Representatives in the city of Houston this the 16th day of January 1839

J. R. Burton (TX)
Chairman of the Committee of Investigation

Approved Jan 16 1839
John M. Hansford
Speaker of the House of Representatives

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