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From: Halsey Minor To: Hawes Spencer

Hawes what if my 2008 Tax return were to say I made \$56 mm last year, contrary to your accusations. Actually I did make \$56 mm last year. Does that surprise you?

If you don't set the record straight in my home town you are going to put me in a position where your unwillingness to retract what I consider extremely libelous statements is going to force me to expose everything through the courts. I have tried to work with you and give you accurate information but so far if it is not libelous towards me you have no interest.

You write the story that corrects the facts and I will even show you my tax return for 2008 and you will realize what a complete ignorant ass you have been to me. As an aside I made \$75 mm in 2007 according to my tax return and this will be a very good year as well. I have given you every opportunity to set the record straight but if you refuse then you are going to have one hell of a fight on your hands and you're not in such a good position after alienating the town with your nude cover stunt.

Let me be very clear. I will not be slandered by you in my home town. You've been playing a game thats way over your head while I have been distracted, but that has come to an end. You have picked a fight in the wrong weight class and I think you have a false sense of confidence because I have simply ignored you until now. Either you set the record straight or you'll need a legal team by Christmas and I promise there will be no Hook shortly thereafter. If you want to take me on then we both can play and I sure hope you have led a life of pure and clean living.

Don't be an idiot. Do the right thing and set the record straight and enjoy your 2010.

Halsey Minor Minor Ventures