BREAKING: FORMER SMARTMATIC PRESIDENT INDICTED ON BRIBERY AND MORE. INVESTIGATORS HAVE BEEN LOOKING INTO CONNECTIONS IN THE LOCAL AREA. THE INDICTED, JUAN ANDRES DONATO BAUTISTA, HAS LOCAL FAMILIAL CONNECTIONS. According to the indictment Venezuelan citizen, Roger Martinez, 49, and resident of Boca Raton, Florida, and Jorge Vasquez, 62, a U.S. citizen and resident of Davie, Florida, together with others, allegedly paid \$1 million in bribes to **Juan Andres Donato Bautista**, former Chairman of COMELEC. Bribes were allegedly paid to obtain and retain business related to voting machines and election services for the 2016 Philippine elections.

Points to consider:

- ANDRES BAUTISTA HAS FAMILY CONNECTIONS LOCALLY
- HE HAS ALSO BEEN RUMORED TO BE INVOLVED IN BUSINESS IN THE AREA
- SOURCES TELL KKBS NEWS THAT HOMELAND SECURITY HAS ACTIVELY SOUGHT TO LOCATE BAUTISTA IN THE GUYMON AREA. INVESTIGATION IS ONGOING

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Voting machine maker Smartmatic has filed a lawsuit for defamation against Fox News hosts and former president Donald Trump's lawyer Rudy Giuliani(AFP© provided by RawStory

Aco-founder of Smartmatic — the voting machine company that <u>accused Fox News of defamation</u> — was among three executives indicted Thursday in what federal prosecutors called a bribery and money laundering scheme connected to the 2016 election in the Philippines.

Roger Alejandro Piñate Martinez, 49, of Boca Raton, Florida, was indicted by a grand jury in Florida for his role in the scheme, along with Jorge Miguel Vasquez, 62, of Davie, Florida, and 60-year-old Juan Andres Donato Bautista.

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Why does it matter, locally? Andres Bautista, has actively been seen over the years in Guymon, OK and was known to be involved in one of his brother's former businesses. Many local residents have met Bautista while he was visiting his brother, Martin Bautista, MD.

There are now over 4 stories following the indictment, including the Miami Herald, The National Pulse, GMA news online, of the Philippines and FoxNews August 8th. KKBS has been following the stories nearly 4 years now, which was heightened during 2020 presidential elections and what president Trump called: "Cheating"

Some say this could be a "domino affect" where many others could be found to have used a Smartmatic-affiliated voting machine after receiving a bribe. The story is growing, as we speak.

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