

Title: Tracking flights that have obscured ADS-B call signs

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This isn't directly related to current on-goings in the GME universe, but I thought it might be useful for folks who are researching flight tracking now or in the future:

<https://twitter.com/lemonodor/status/1456377882582798338>

It's interesting to see another tool at HF's disposal: in this case it allows them to pay to have your airplane's [ADB-S](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Automatic_Dependent_Surveillance%E2%80%93Broadcast) call sign swapped out with an alternate / stand-in / 'fake' call sign. The plane's owners were attempting to obscure the flight data because a hedge fund with a \$900M stake in the company, Centene, was pressuring the company's board to replace several [board] members.

And I laughed at the part where [some guy in a high-visibility vest got paid to go out on a weekend to throw a plastic bag](<https://twitter.com/lemonodor/status/1456394342164172800>) over a webcam at the Monterey Airport!

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