



OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL  
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

January 10, 2023

The Honorable Vicki Behenna, District 7  
Oklahoma County District Attorney's Office  
320 Robert S. Kerr,  
Oklahoma County, OK 73102

Dear District Attorney Behenna,

Pursuant to 74 O.S. Supp. 2022, § 18b(A)(3) and consistent with our previous conversations, I have determined it to be in the best interest of the State of Oklahoma for the Attorney General's Office to assume the prosecution of *State of Oklahoma v. Joshua Aaron Brock, David Lee Chaney, and Benjamin Scott Harris*, Oklahoma County case number CF-2022-2721.

As you and I have discussed and as I have said publicly, I believe the Office of Attorney General should be responsible for the prosecution of this matter. These allegations involve tens of millions of Oklahoma tax dollars intended for public education, and the State has a strong interest in ensuring proper accountability. Given the statewide impact of this case on public education funding, I believe it is wholly appropriate that it fall under the purview of the Office of Attorney General.

I appreciate your anticipated cooperation and assistance in the transfer of this prosecution.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Gentner Drummond", is written over the typed name.

Gentner Drummond