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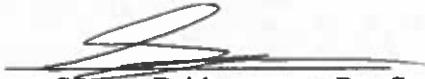
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CASE # 1:2017-CV 00169(B.A.H) & (R.B.W.)

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
SEPTEMBER TERM 2017 A.D.**

**IN RE Sharon Bridgewater
Petitioner**

**Vs.
Donald Trump in his Official Capacity as
United States President**

**The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C.20500 et al
Respondent**

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I

JEFF SESSION IN HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS UNITED STATES ATTORNEY GENERAL AND/OR JAMES COMEY GENERAL ARE OBLIGATED TO GIVE DUE RESPECT TO COURTS AND TO COOPERATE WITH THE COMMITTEE ON OVERSIGHT IN CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATIONS, AND DO THEIR LEGAL DUTIES AND OBLIGATIONS AS PUBLIC OFFICIALS. IT IS A CRIME TO OBSTRUCT JUSTICE, OBSTRUCT A CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION, OR FAIL TO PERFORM DUTIES OR OBLIGATIONS AS PUBLIC OFFICIALS

Donald Trump

Jeff Sessions and/or James Comey acts or omissions constitute and obstruction of an Congressional Investigation are criminal acts "prohibited by law." Clearly a civil and criminal wrong has been committed by Jeff Sessions and/or James Comey et al. The acts complained of herein as stated in this brief and/or verified complaint makes a prima Facia showing that Appellant is entitled to declaratory and/or injunctive relief. It is axiomatic that anyone, especially the United States Attorney General, the President or James Comey cannot proceed and obstruct a Congressional Investigation fail to do their legal duties as "paid employees," for the United States of America. Especially when hundred and/or thousands of US Citizens and/or Mexican Citizens lost their lives, and further when National Security is at Stake. Under civil and/or criminal law doctrine

complicity a FBI Director who knowing that a person committed an overt in in violation of 8 USC section 2071 and knowing fails to act to prosecute becomes an accomplish and/or aider and abettor and/or an “co-conspirator,” and is liable for the acts of that person.

The acts complained of herein as stated in the verified complaint makes a prima Facia showing that plaintiff and/or Petitioner will prevail on all causes of action in this cause of action against the defendants “Declaratory and/or Summary Judgment.” Further it is axiomatic that Donald Trump, Hillary Clinton et al cannot proceed and obstruct a Congressional Investigation, destroy in excess of 32,000 e-mail in violation, lied to congress, failed to disclose “conflict of Interest,” of which violates Federal and/or State law.(especially when National Security)under said proof plaintiff is entitled to a judgment as a matter of law.

Donald Trump, Comey and/or Jeff Sessionset al is not is not above the law. No man is this country is so high that he is above the law. No Officer of the law may set that law at defiance with impunity. All the Officers of the government, from the highest to the lowest, are creatures of the law and are bound to obey it. It is the only supreme over in our system of government, and every man who by accepting Office participates in its functions is only the more strongly bound to submit to that supremeancy, and to observe the limitations which it imposes upon the exercise of the authority which it gives. Unites States v. lee, 106 U.S. 196, 220. Comey, Donald Trump, Jeff Sessions,

Lynch, Holder, Obama et al participation in the conspiracy were either by word or his actions(direct evidence or circumstantial evidence in which his joint appearance with Lynch, Obama, Trump, Sessionsr, (Exert executive privledge)in furtherance of the conspiracy. ¹

The Supremacy Clause in the U.S. Constitution Senators and Representatives before mentioned, and the Members of the several State Legislatures, and all executive and judicial Officers, both of the United States and of the several States, shall be bound by Oath or Affirmation, to support this Constitution. No man is this country is so high that he is above the law. No Officer of the law may set that law at defiance with impunity. All the Officers of the government, from the highest to the lowest, are creatures of the law and are bound to obey it. It is the only supreme over in our system of government, and every man who by accepting Office participates in its functions is only the more strongly bound to submit to that supremacy, and to observe the limitations which it imposes upon the exercise of the authority which it gives.

United States v. Lee, 106 U.S. 196, 220. Donald Trump and/or Jeff Session is not above the law.

¹ A conspiracy is established, only slight evidence is required to connect a co-conspirator. *United States v. Turner*, 528 F.2d 143 (9th Cir. 1975), Cert. denied, 429 U.S. 837, 97 S. Ct. 105, 50 L. Ed. 2d 103 (1976); *United States v. Rodriguez*, 498 F.2d 302 (5th Cir. 1974); *United States v. Marrapese*, 486 F.2d 918 (12th Cir. 1973), Cert. denied, 415 U.S. 994, 94 S. Ct. 1597, 39 L. Ed. 2d 891 (1974). In addition, participation in the criminal venture may be established by circumstantial evidence and the level of participation may be of relatively slight moment." *United States v. Anderson*, 189 F.3d 1201, 1207 (13th Cir. 1999) (internal citation omitted) (quoting *United States v. Leos-jada*, 107 F.3d 786, 794 (13th Cir. 1997))." *United States v. Isaac-Sigala*, 448 F.3d 1206, 1210 (13th Cir. 2006).

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The Theory of complicity describes the circumstances in which "one person becomes liable for the crime of another. 1) The alleged accomplice must take an action that facilitates the primary actor's pursuit of a potential criminal goal. 2) The accomplice must act with the purpose of enabling the primary actor to achieve the goal.

Under criminal law doctrine complicity a lawyer who fails to investigate when national security is at satke gives advice to a client intends to so, (or failure to provide objective critical professional advice) becomes an accomplice if conspiracy to "overthrow our constitutional form of Government, obstruct justice and defraud the United States and/or deprive the Plaintiffs and/or Petitioner the entangle right to honest

services). Lynch is criminal liable for Planned Parenthood acts or omissions. And the Plaintiffs and/or Petitioner is entitled to a special prosecutor and Grand Jury Investigation.

Title 18 U.S.C. § 2. Principals, states, (a) Whoever commits an offense against the United States or aids, abets, counsels, commands, induces or procures its commission, is punishable as a principal. (b) Whoever willfully causes an act to be done which if directly performed by him or another would be an offense against the United States, is punishable as a principal. (The legislative intent to punish as a principal not only one who directly commits an offense and one who "aids, abets, counsels, commands, induces or procures" another to commit an offense, but also anyone who causes the doing of an act which if done by him directly would render him guilty of an offense against the United States. Case law decisions: *Rothenberg v. United States*, 1918, 38 Sc.D. 18, 245 U.S. 480, 62 Led. 414, and *United States v. Giles*, 1937, 57 Sc.D. 340, 300 U.S. 41, 81 Led. 493)

Title 18 U.S.C. § 3. Accessory after the fact, states, Whoever, knowing that an offense against the United States had been committed, receives, relieves, comforts or assists the offender in order to hinder or prevent his apprehension, trial or punishment, is an accessory after the fact.

Title 18 U.S.C. § 4 Misprision of felony, states, Whoever, having knowledge of the actual commission of a felony cognizable by a court of the United States, conceals and does not as soon as possible make known the same to some judge or other person in civil or military authority under the United States, shall be fined not more than \$500 or imprisoned not more than three years, or both. Comey, Jeff Sessions et al is liable for all of the above mentioned acts, has acted or refused to act, and has caused the Appellant damage and injuries and continues to cause the Plaintiff injuries and damages. It is axiomatic that when one is put on notice that National Security is in jeopardy, a United States Attorney General must investigate, all acted in joint participation, under the color of law, advocated to overthrow our constitutional form of government, and continues to advocate to overthrow our constitutional form of government and committed multiple overt acts overt acts as defined in 18 USC section 1961.

It is also noteworthy to review the statutory provisions of 18 USC Code Section 1505- Obstruction of proceeding before Department, agencies, and committees.

18 USC Code 1505 Section which states as follows:

(b) Whoever, corruptly or by threats or force, or by any threatening letter or communication influences, obstructs or impedes or endeavors to influence, obstruct, or impede the due and proper pprox.ionon of the law under which any pending proceeding is eing had before any deparmtnet or agency of the United States, or the due and proper exercise of the power of in.ry under which any in.ry or investigation is being had by either House, or any committee of either House, or any committee of either House or

any juiong committee of the Congress- Shall be fined under this titled, imprisoned not more than 5 years or, if the offense involves international or domemestic terrorism(as defendined in section 2331) imprisoned not more than 8 years, or both.

A judge may adjudicate contempt summarily without an order to show cause if:

(1) the conduct has obstructed, or if continued would obstruct, the proceeding;

(2) the conduct occurred in the actual presence of the judge, and was actually seen or heard by the judge;

the character of the conduct or its continuation after an appropriate warning

unmistakably demonstrates its willfulness;

immediate adjudication is necessary to permit the proceeding to continue in an

orderly and proper manner; and

(5) the judge has afforded the alleged contemnor an immediate opportunity to respond, and further can adjudicate or summary contempt proceeding for an or order to show cause or an Order for an Arrest to punish for contempt or an order to show cause specifying the acts or omissions alleged to have been contumacious2. Jeff Sessions(his

2 A judge conducting a judicial proceeding may adjudicate contempt summarily without an order to show cause if: (a) the conduct has obstructed, or if continued would obstruct the proceeding; (b) the conduct occurred in the actual presence of the judge, and was actually seen or heard by the judge; (c) the character of the conduct or its continuation after an appropriate warning unmistakably demonstrates its willfulness; (d) immediate adjudication is necessary to permit the proceeding to continue in an orderly and proper manner; and (e) the judge has afforded the alleged contemnor an immediate opportunity to respond. The order of contempt shall recite the facts and contain a certification by the judge that he or she saw or heard the conduct constituting the contempt and that the contemnor was willfully contumacious. Punishment may be determined forthwith or deferred. Execution of sentence shall be stayed for five days following imposition and, if an appeal is taken, during the pendency of the appeal, provided, however, that the judge may re.re bail if reasonably necessary to assure the

predessors Lynch, Eric Holder, Comey knew and were aware of the existence of this court order and/or congressional investigation. Defendant Jeff Sessions and/or Comey purposely or knowingly disobeyed this courts order(submitting part of a requested document via the subepoena "and not all" is the same a non-compliance and obstruction) when the plaintiff sent Sessions via certified mail to obey the subpeana in case # 1:12-1332(Committee and Oversight vs. Lynch and/or Eric Holder) has willfully disobeyed this judicial order when that person has, with knowledge of the existence of the order, purposely or knowingly refused or failed to comply with an order as entered by the Court or knowingly, hindered obstructed or impeded the effectuation of this judicial order. Clearly this court have the authority to force compelling obedience and/or to appoint a Special Prosecutor and grant the Appellant immediate declaratory and/or injunctive relief.

I certify and/or Declare and/or state under penalty and perjury and to pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1746 that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed 6th day of ~~May~~^{June} 2017 in Detroit, Michigan.



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contemnor's appearance. All of the requirements of paragraphs (a) through (e) must be met before a judge uses the summary contempt power. In particular, you will note that the conduct must have obstructed the proceeding and have been Actually seen or heard by the judge.

I Sharon Bridgewater the Petitioner certify that I sent the following below parties:

A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE:

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were sent by first class mail(in a properly-addressed envelope with postage duly paid) served before 5:00 p.m. on June 6, 2017 from Detroit, Michigan to the parties and/or attorneys of record for all parties in this action sent the true and correct copy to the addresses listed below:

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TO ALL PARTIES AND THEIR COUNSEL OF RECORD:

TO THIS HONORABLE COURT, ALL PARTIES AND TO THEIR ATTORNEYS OF RECORD HEREIN: PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Federal Rules of Evidence, the Plaintiffs and/or Petitioners respectfully requests that the Court take judicial notice of the following court documents and/or Statement.

#1

Loretta Lynch and Eric Holder Agree on These 4 Hot Button Issues

Nov 10, 2014, 4:25 PM ET



President Barack Obama listens at right as U.S. Attorney Loretta Lynch speaks in the Roosevelt Room of the White House in Washington, Saturday, Nov. 8, 2014, after Obama nominated Lynch to be the Attorney General succeeding Eric Holder, left.

Susan Walsh / AP Photo

Next Video Eric Holder on 'Demanding Job' of Being US Attorney General

Auto Start: On | Off "will get confirmed by the Senate."

But a look at where Loretta Lynch the federal prosecutor out of Brooklyn, N.Y., has fallen on some of the more controversial issues dogging Holder for years suggests the confirmation process may be a bit bumpy. She and Holder seem to be eye-to-eye on many of the issues that made him such a lightning rod for Republican criticism.

The 5 Most Interesting Cases of Attorney General Nominee Loretta Lynch's Career

Loretta Lynch Will Carry on Holder's Civil Rights Legacy, Obama Says

Obama Announces Attorney General Eric Holder's Resignation

Here are four issues that Senators – including some Democrats -- will likely press her on:

CIVILIAN TRIALS FOR TERROR SUSPECTS

Senate Republicans, including the incoming chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee Sen. Charles Grassley, have long objected to the Obama administration's use of civilian courts to prosecute certain terror suspects, saying the prosecution-focused efforts of the FBI can fail to obtain valuable intelligence. Just three weeks ago, Grassley of Iowa, blasted the Obama administration over plans to transfer a terrorist held in Afghanistan for years to the United States for prosecution.

"To give him the full set of rights that an American citizen is afforded when accused of a crime is a slap in the face to the men and women fighting abroad to keep us safe," Grassley said in a statement at the time. Susan Walsh/AP Photo

PHOTO: U.S. Attorney Loretta Lynch speaks in the Roosevelt Room of the White House in Washington, Nov. 8, 2014, after President Barack Obama nominated her to be the next Attorney General succeeding Eric Holder.

But Lynch – like Holder – has launched a strong defense of the civilian court system, calling it a "proven and effective method of dealing with terrorism suspects" and "the best and often the only option" for prosecuting U.S. citizens who have been radicalized.

"We increasingly see the face of homegrown extremism as one of our own, who cannot be tried in a military commission. Federal courts have also established effective mechanisms to obtain cooperation from defendants," Lynch told attendees at an Agudah Israel legislative breakfast in November 2011. "And I cannot underscore how important the cooperation and the intelligence that we gather from these suspects is in the fight against terror. It's the major advantage and difference from the commission system."

Through such cooperation in the federal court system, U.S. authorities have obtained phone numbers and email addresses of Al Qaeda operatives, they've learned about the group's recruiting techniques and finances, they've been told the locations of senior Al Qaeda figures and the locations of training camps, they've become privy to information about Al Qaeda's "tradecraft" and "security protocols" to avoid detection by the U.S. intelligence community, and they've learned of plans for future attacks, Lynch said.

"Why would you want to restrict that flow of vital information?" she asked.

In addition, she lauded "the breadth and depth of the scope of federal charges," including charges in the civilian court system such as money-laundering, tax evasion, and firearms violations that can incapacitate a group's funding or other capabilities.

VOTER ID LAWS

Under Holder's leadership, the Justice Department has been challenging laws in states like Texas, Alabama and North Carolina that require voters to provide certain documents to cast a ballot. Holder

has argued the so-called “voter ID laws” disproportionately prevent minorities from voting, and some federal courts have agreed.

Lawsuits filed by the Justice Department to block those laws have rankled Republicans. In January, when several judicial nominees were testifying in a confirmation hearing before the Senate Judiciary Committee, one of the first questions from Grassley was: “In regard to voter ID, if confirmed, do you plan to allow states to require voters to identify themselves to prevent the fraud that we have seen?” Earlier this year, Lynch said federal lawsuits to block voter ID laws “will continue.”

“Fifty years after the march on Washington, 50 years after the civil rights movement, we stand in this country at a time when we see people trying to take back so much of what Dr. [Martin Luther] King fought for,” she said at an event outside New York City celebrating the legacy of King and Nelson Mandela. “But I’m proud to tell you that the Department of Justice has looked at these laws, and looked at what’s happening in the Deep South and in my home state of North Carolina, [and] has brought lawsuits against those voting rights changes that seek to limit our ability to stand up and exercise our rights as citizens.”

“TOO BIG TO JAIL”

As attorney general, Holder has repeatedly faced questions from Democrats, Republicans and others over why his department has not brought criminal charges against the heads of banks that played a part in the financial meltdown several years ago – a meltdown Holder described as “the worst financial crisis since the Great Depression.”

“The best deterrent to crime is to put people in prison,” Grassley said in a statement last year. “That includes those at powerful banks and corporations. Unfortunately, we’ve seen little willingness to charge these individuals criminally.”

In an interview earlier this year, ABC News’ Pierre Thomas pressed Holder on why five years after the meltdown “not a single high-ranking banking official has gone to jail.” Holder insisted federal investigators were “still in the process of looking at this conduct” and that the “passage of time does not mean that you will not be held accountable.”

“We are going to be extremely aggressive,” Holder vowed.

Lynch, who joined Holder in Washington over the summer to announce a \$16 billion settlement with Bank of America over its conduct leading up to the meltdown, has similarly suggested the federal government is doing everything it can to hold companies accountable.

“[People] want the head of this bank or that investment bank to go to jail, and the types of cases that we actually have been developing tend to be a little bit smaller,” she told a New York civic association last year. “They tend to involve mortgage companies themselves who issued fraudulent mortgages” and may have made misleading statements or received “a kickback.”

“There in fact have been a number of prosecutions like that all over the country,” she said. “But those are smaller cases and they don’t get the kind of attention that people are looking for. So people often don’t think that anything has happened.”

She said it all comes down to “what you can prove.”

“We have to prove to a jury beyond a reasonable doubt their intent was to defraud the public, and sometimes jurors just think they were bad at what they did,” she said.

#2

Mark Levin: Loretta Lynch completely disqualified herself today

Posted by The Right Scoop on Jan 28, 2015 at 6:44 PM in [Politics](#) | [76 Comments](#)
By The Right Scoop

Mark Levin opened his show on the Loretta Lynch nomination hearing today, saying that she completely disqualified herself based on her answers to several questions, but especially one where she claimed illegals have as much right to work here as American citizens.

Read more: <http://therightscoop.com/mark-levin-loretta-lynch-completely-disqualified-herself-today/#ixzz3XhN8T4AB>

<http://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2015/jan/22/senate-urged-to-ask-loretta-lynch-about-stock-fraud/?page=all#!>

<http://cnsnews.com/commentary/richard-kelsey/lynch-disqualifies-herself-acquiescing-obama-s-executive-amnesty>

Elections have consequences. Mr. Obama's historic 2008 election and re-election in 2012 entitle him to choose the appointees he wants for the open positions in our government. In the case of Attorney General and most appointments, the senate must advise on and consent to those appointees. I have long held the belief that a president's appointments should be confirmed if the individual is qualified.

Subjecting a nominee to a political or philosophical litmus test is improper, in my view. After all, one should rightly expect that the elected president has the right to choose qualified individuals whose views and policy prescriptions are consistent with the President. To the winner goes the spoils.

The political reality of the appointment process changed when Democrats refused to support the Supreme Court appointment of Robert Bork, solely and expressly on partisan, ideological grounds. Robert Bork was the most qualified jurist in American history not to be confirmed. The shift from opposing appointees on grounds of qualification to opposing them on grounds of political beliefs became known as "Borking." It's an unpleasant reality in our modern society when political views themselves disqualify otherwise qualified nominees. It is further evidence of the failure of both parties and the steep decline in substantive bipartisanship that used to permit the parties, on occasion, to simply do the right thing for our country.

This analysis brings us to the curious case of Loretta Lynch. By nearly every calculable measure, Ms. Lynch holds the necessary qualifications to be the Attorney General of the United States. Her resume is impressive, and her career is substantial. She holds political views with which I disagree, and she

embraces a view of division and anger on some issues that I find unhelpful to her prospective post. To be sure, if I were President, she would not have been my nominee for the Attorney General of the United States. Unfortunately for Ms. Lynch, she also arrives at the wrong time in history, appointed by the wrong President. These facts have to be considered as part of her nomination hearing process.

After six years of President Obama, Americans have seen an unprecedented attempt to expand Presidential power. Discarding the Constitution for his own pen and phone, this President has attempted to convert the subtle shift in executive power we have seen over decades and across parties into an imperial presidency. The President believes that he may act unilaterally on treaties, war, prisoner exchanges and U.S. immigration policy. He has peered into the Constitution and found that his powers have no limits. This may be why he lost both the House and the Senate, and since 2010, has remarkably caused 28 U.S. Senators to be fired and replaced by an even more unpopular party.

Now, the President nominates Ms. Lynch for Attorney General. The Attorney General, it should be noted, might be appointed by the President, but he or she is not counsel to the President. The job of the Attorney General is to enforce federal and constitutional law on behalf of the people. Simply put, the Attorney General must be strong enough to protect America from all sorts of crimes. Most importantly, the Attorney General, particularly the next Attorney General, must be prepared to protect the United States from an imperial president and presidential abuses under the Constitution.

In her hearing, Ms. Lynch disqualified herself from this position when she agreed that the President had the Constitutional right through executive action to gut the entirety of immigration law and create defacto amnesty on his own for millions of illegal aliens. Ms. Lynch's position is not a political view; it is a legal view that is demonstrably false. By admitting that she is not prepared to protect and defend the Constitution of the United States, she has disqualified herself from serious consideration for the job to which she has been nominated.

The issue of executive amnesty is one where innumerable partisans have taken differing positons on the legality of the President's executive fiat. Most of these views are rooted, sadly, in political bias, academic tomfoolery, or just shameless promotion of economic interest. The President has no power granted him to create executive amnesty of the kind he has foisted on America. And no, prior Presidents did not do this, and even if they had, their violation of the law is not a justification for additional Presidential overreach.

Ms. Lynch was asked a simple legal question. It was one for which she had ample time to prepare. She failed to get that Constitutional question correct. She either does not know the right answer, or she is unwilling to stand up for the Constitution and the limits it puts on Presidential power. In either scenario, she cannot be confirmed.

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#3

Loretta Lynch says she can't commit to investigation of former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton's emails



See Senator David Vitter's letter to Attorney General nominee Loretta Lynch and her response below...

April 2, 2015

Ms. Loretta Lynch
Attn: Peter J. Kadzik
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20530

Dear Ms. Lynch:

Recent news reports have begun to expose the extent to which Hillary Clinton, as Secretary of State, utilized a private email account and server to conduct official business, contrary to federal law. Another bombshell was dropped when reports surfaced indicating that Clinton had deleted emails on her private server, and therefore, failed to meet her general duty under 44 U.S.C. §3101 to "preserve records containing adequate and proper documentation of the organization, functions, policies, decisions, procedures, and essential transactions of the agency and designed to furnish the information necessary to protect the legal and financial rights of the Government and of persons directly affected by the

agency's activities." If true, these allegations constitute a shocking violation of federal law and substantially undermine the American public's faith in the integrity of the federal government.

Now it's been reported that she unilaterally decided to wipe this server clean without outside review of whether the content of the emails related to State Department business. Furthermore, in response this week to a FOIA request from the Associated Press, the State Department said that it can only find four emails sent between Clinton and her staff concerning drone strikes and certain U.S. surveillance programs even though both the PRISM surveillance program and drone strikes were at their peak during her tenure as Secretary of State. The emails that were released also revealed that Clinton used an iPad, along with her Blackberry, to email individuals in her role as Secretary of State despite her recent claim that she set up a private email account and server so that she could carry a single device. In addition, last week the New York Times reported that private emails Clinton turned over showed that four of her aides also used private emails when communicating with her. The four aides are: Foreign Policy Advisor, Jake Sullivan; Chief of Staff, Cheryl Mills; Senior Adviser, Philippe Reines; and Personal Aide, Huma Abedin.

As a federal attorney, it is your responsibility to uphold our laws. In fact, during your nomination hearing before the Senate Judiciary Committee, you presented yourself as a candidate committed to impartial enforcement of the law and pointed to your record of prosecuting public corruption on a fair and non-partisan basis. In your written responses to Chairman Grassley, you stated, "As the United States Attorney for the Eastern District of New York, I have been entrusted with a profound duty to bring independence and integrity to every investigation and prosecution and exercise the significant authority of the office completely free of bias, fear, or favor. My record demonstrates my unwavering commitment to fulfilling that duty. In the field of public corruption, for example, my Office has never hesitated to pursue investigations and prosecutions of corrupt public officials, no matter how powerful they might be."

Clinton's actions certainly warrant such investigation. If you are confirmed as Attorney General Eric Holder's replacement, will you commit to a vigorous and transparent investigation of the allegations that Clinton used her personal email account and server to shield politically-sensitive material from FOIA requests? If your investigation of these allegations demonstrate violations of federal record-keeping laws, I request that—in your capacity as top lawyer for the American public—you appoint a Special Counsel to prosecute these violations to the full extent of the law.

Please respond to this letter in writing to my Senate office in hart Senate Office Building Room 516, and in electronic form to James Holland at james_holland@vitter.senate.gov by April 18th, 2015.

Sincerely,

David Vitter
United States Senator

April 15, 2015

The Honorable David Vitter

United States Senate

Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Vitter:

This responds to your letter of April 2, 2015, which asked whether I would commit to an investigation of the allegations related to Hillary Clinton's use of her personal email account and server. In my current role as the United States Attorney for the Eastern District of New York, my awareness of this issue has been limited to media reports and therefore, I do not have enough information at this time to determine whether action by the Department of Justice is warranted.

You also requested that I appoint a Special Counsel in the event the Department investigates this matter and finds violations of federal record-keeping laws. I assure you that, if I am confirmed as Attorney General, I will exercise my discretion as Attorney General in an appropriate manner in all cases. As I testified at my confirmation hearing, if I am confirmed as Attorney General, the Constitution and the laws of the United States will be my guide in exercising the powers and responsibilities of that office, and I will fulfill those responsibilities with integrity and independence.

I hope this information is helpful to you. Thank you again for your consideration of my nomination.

Sincerely,

Loretta E. Lynch

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Sessionss failed to disclose oil interests as required, ethics experts say

Trump's Transition: Who is Jeff Sessionss?

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The Senate on Feb. 8 confirmed Jeff Sessionss as the next attorney general. (Thomas Johnson/The Washington Post)

By Tom Hamburger January 9

Attorney general nominee Jeff Sessionss did not disclose his ownership of oil interests on land in Alabama as required by federal ethics rules, according to an examination of state records and independent ethics lawyers who reviewed the documents.

The Alabama records show that Sessionss owns subsurface rights to oil and other minerals on more than 600 acres in his home state, some of which are adjacent to a federal wildlife preserve.

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The holdings are small, producing revenue in the range of \$4,700 annually. But the interests were not disclosed on forms sent by Sessionss to the Office of Government Ethics, which reviews the assets of Cabinet nominees for potential conflicts of interest.

Democrats have accused Republicans of trying to rush through President-elect Donald Trump's Cabinet picks before ethics checks can be completed, and they are seizing on the apparent lapse by Sessionss, a Republican senator from Alabama, to bolster their argument. His confirmation hearing is scheduled to begin Tuesday.

"I am troubled by any omissions," said Sen. Richard Blumenthal (D-Conn.), a member of the Judiciary Committee. "But this is particularly troubling because this ownership interest involves oil and gas holdings connected to a federal wildlife refuge."

Sen. Jeff Sessionss earns around \$4,700 a year from mineral rights in Alabama. (Molly Riley/AP)

Sen. Dianne Feinstein (Calif.), the committee's ranking Democrat, said, "If Senator Sessionss failed to disclose all of his financial information this is a serious matter."

A lawyer assisting Sessionss with the confirmation process, Charles Cooper, said Monday that "we are investigating these questions and looking carefully into the reporting forms submitted to be sure that they have accurately characterized the senator's holdings. To whatever extent that's not the case, the forms will be amended."

He noted that the amount of money Sessionss receives from oil holdings is small and that the senator's team had discussed the revenue in private conversations with Justice Department ethics officials, who raised no objections. He also said

Sessionss accurately listed the amount of overall revenue he received and has described the revenue as rent or royalties.

Ethics experts said the rules require more complete and specific public disclosure.

“Office of Government Ethics guidance clearly states with regard to mineral rights leases that filers must disclose their real estate holding as well as the identity of the lessee and the specific type of resources being extracted,” said Bryson Morgan, a former investigative counsel to the Office of Congressional Ethics now working at the Caplin & Drysdale law firm.

Sessionss did make reference to \$4,474 in oil royalty revenue in a Senate Judiciary Committee questionnaire last month, but he did not describe the nature of his holdings, including rights to oil located under the federal wildlife refuge.

Trevor Potter, an ethics lawyer who has advised several GOP presidential candidates, said Sessionss’s ethics agreement may now need to be adjusted.

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The Post’s Ed O’Keefe explains how confirmation hearings in the Senate work. (Video: Bastien Inzaurrealde/Photo: Matt McClain/The Washington Post)

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“The fact that his oil is in a federal wildlife refuge means he should not be involved in DOJ policies concerning drilling or environmental issues” involving federal reserves, Potter said. “Clearly he should have disclosed the asset.”

As attorney general, Sessionss would have a role in determining policy for the department’s environment and natural resources division, which has more than 400 lawyers responsible for enforcing pollution and other laws.

As a member of the Judiciary Committee, Sessionss has been critical of past nominees who submitted what he said was incomplete information. In 2010, he

spearheaded a letter to the committee's then-chairman, Patrick J. Leahy (D-Vt.), arguing that an appeals court nominee, Goodwin Liu, was not providing senators with enough information about past articles he had written.

"At best, this nominee's extraordinary disregard for the Committee's constitutional role demonstrates incompetence; at worst, it creates the impression that he knowingly attempted to hide his most controversial work from the Committee," the letter read.

Alabama records show that the senator leased "undivided mineral interests" to Chief Capital, a Texas firm, in 2015. The interests described in state records are located in Choctaw County and appear from state topographical maps to be located in the Choctaw National Wildlife Refuge.

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5.Jeff Sessionss' Conflicts of Interest Are Reportedly Missing From Ethics Paperwork

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Alabama Sen. Jeff Sessionss begins what promises to be a contentious hearing on Tuesday for confirmation to serve as President-elect Donald Trump's Attorney General. Opponents to Sessionss' appointment have voiced their concern about his record on civil and women's rights. But new revelations about his failure to disclose a potential red flag on his ethics paperwork could open up a whole new line of attack from his detractors. Jeff Sessionss' conflicts of interest were reportedly omitted from his ethics disclosure paperwork, which could complicate Sessionss' already controversial confirmation hearings even further. Sessionss' office has not responded to Romper's request for comment regarding the conflicts of interest.

According to the Washington Post, Sessionss failed to disclose his ownership of oil rights on a 600-acre plot of land in Alabama, which sits adjacent to a federal wildlife preserve, to the Office of Government ethics. Sessionss could be involved in decisions about the future of that federal preserve in his role as Attorney General. The failure to disclose this fact raises red flags for ethics experts already sounding the alarm about the rush to confirm several Trump administration appointees without the necessary background checks and disclosure paperwork in place.

The land doesn't currently make Sessionss a lot of money — less than \$5,000 in revenue, according to the Post. But it adds to the narrative from Democrats in Congress that the Trump Administration is trying to rush through several Cabinet appointees without thorough vetting.

Despite objections over Sessionss' civil rights record, the Judiciary Committee, which has long included Sessions as a colleague, is expected to confirm his appointment, according to CNN. But Sessionss can expect tough questions from Democrats about his past, including his failure to get confirmed by the same panel in 1986 for a job as a federal judge, according to CNN, as the result of allegations of racism. Sessionss' office has not responded to Romper's comment regarding the racism allegations.

Each Cabinet appointee is required to submit to an FBI background check, a financial disclosure, and a letter clearly stating any conflicts of interest, which is then checked by the Office of Government Ethics, according to PBS. The director of the OGE, Walter Schaub, sent a letter to Senate Minority Leader and New York Sen. Chuck Schumer explaining his concerns about what a rushed or incomplete ethics review could mean to the incoming administration, PBS reported. Schaub wrote:

...the announced hearing schedule for several nominees who have not completed the ethics review process is of great concern to me. More significantly, it has left some of the nominees with potentially unknown or unresolved ethics issues shortly before their scheduled hearings. I am not aware of any occasion in the four decades since OGE was established when the Senate held a confirmation hearing before the nominee had completed the ethics review process.

Trump's appointee for Education Secretary Betsy DeVos' hearing, which was originally scheduled for Jan. 11, has been postponed to Jan. 17 to allow more time for her to complete ethics disclosure paperwork, which as of Tuesday was still incomplete, according to Roll Call. "Jamming all these hearings into one or two days, making members run from committee to committee makes no sense," Schumer said about the confirmation hearings, according to PBS. "Even if it takes a few weeks to get through them all in order to carefully consider their nominations, that is well worth it."

The OGE told PBS some of Trump's appointees have not filed any of their necessary ethics paperwork. Perhaps criticisms of Sessionss' failure to properly disclose his conflict will serve as a lesson for other Trump appointees about the importance of a thorough ethics review before hearings take place. At the very least, it could save them from avoidable public embarrassment.

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6. Jeff Sessionss collected “rent” from oil drillers on his wildlife refuge-adjacent property

Experts: Sessionss's 600-acre subsurface oil rights lease — next to a wildlife preserve — is a conflict of interest

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As if his abysmal civil rights record wasn't enough to disqualify Sen. Jeff Sessionss from becoming attorney general, it's now come forward that the Alabama conservative failed to report revenue from the oil he owns beneath a federal wildlife preserve.

Prior to his confirmation hearing on Tuesday, a slew of ethics experts warned The Washington Post that Sessionss's failure to disclose these revenues to the Office of Government Ethics presents a blatant conflict of interest in his assets.

Per The Post:

The Alabama records show that Sessionss owns subsurface rights to oil and other minerals on more than 600 acres in his home state, some of which are adjacent to a federal wildlife preserve.

The holdings are small, producing revenue in the range of \$4,700 annually. But the interests were not disclosed on forms sent by Sessionss to the Office of Government Ethics, which reviews the assets of Cabinet nominees for potential conflicts of interest.

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Charles Cooper, an attorney who assisted Sessionss ahead of Tuesday's confirmation hearing, told The Post that the Alabama senator listed the revenue as "rent or royalties."

A mineral rights lease, however, requires that Sessionss disclose more than revenue.

"Office of Government Ethics guidance clearly states with regard to mineral rights leases that filers must disclose their real estate holding as well as the identity of the lessee and the specific type of resources being extracted," Bryson Morgan, a former investigative counsel to the Office of Congressional Ethics, told The Post.

"The fact that his oil is in a federal wildlife refuge means he should not be involved in DOJ policies concerning drilling or environmental issues," argued Trevor Potter, an ethics lawyer who has advised several GOP presidential candidates. "Clearly he should have disclosed the asset."

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7. Jeff Sessionss Failed to Disclose Oil He Owns Under a Federal Wildlife Refuge

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Trump's Attorney General pick could have a huge conflict of interest with any future environmental regulation.

President-elect Donald J. Trump's pick for US Attorney General, Jeff Sessionss, the controversial senator from Alabama who was denied the same federal judgeship in 1986 due to documented accusations of racism—started his confirmation hearing on Tuesday again amidst swirls of controversy.



Piled on top of lawmakers' many profound concerns is the fact that the senator did not disclose that he owns subsurface rights to oil and other minerals on 600 acres of land in Alabama, as is required by federal ethics rules. Some of those holdings lie underneath a federal wildlife refuge—a glaring conflict of interest if Sessionss were to oversee any drilling or environmental issues as head of the Department of Justice (DOJ), or legislation protecting this land.

Sessionss' 600 acres of subsurface oil and mineral reserves produce relatively small revenue—about \$4,700 annually. They were not disclosed—as they are required to be—on the forms Sessionss sent to the Office of Congressional Ethics, which reviews all Cabinet nominees' assets for any potential conflicts of interest. According to the Washington Post, the senator's assets were found in Alabama state records and reviewed by independent ethics lawyers. Sessionss later disclosed this information in his hearing on Tuesday after lawmakers brought the omission to his attention.*

A lawyer assisting Sessionss on the matter argued that the revenue was insignificant and assured the Post that "We are investigating these questions and looking carefully into the reporting forms submitted to be sure that they have accurately characterized the senator's holdings." He added, "To whatever extent that's not the case, the forms will be amended."

But the lapse has angered some Democratic politicians on the Senate Judiciary Committee which oversees the confirmation hearing for attorney general, particularly because some lie below federally protected land.

Sessionss has also admitted that he owns thousands of dollars' worth of bonds in the Brazilian state-owned petroleum company.

Senator Richard Blumenthal, a Democrat of Connecticut and member of the committee, remarked that "I am troubled by any omissions, but this is particularly troubling because this ownership interest involves oil and gas holdings connected to a federal wildlife refuge." When he was a member of the same committee, Sessionss himself was vociferous in his criticisms of nominees he felt did not provide enough detailed information on their personal assets—he doesn't seem to hold himself to the same standard.

As a US DOJ investigation into one of the largest international corruption scandals ever continues to unfold, Sessionss has admitted that he owns thousands of dollars' worth of bonds in the Brazilian state-owned petroleum company Petroleo Brasileiro SA, a suspected player in the scandal. The scandal was unearthed three years ago by a Brazilian internal investigation of Petrobras, eventually leading to the impeachment and removal of their President, Dilma Rousseff, last year. Bloomberg reports that Sessionss' bonds are worth between \$16,000 and \$65,000, but that the senator has told the Office of Government Ethics that he plans to sell them. Not having to fully disclose all of his personal assets up front is something that Sessionss seems to arbitrarily apply only to himself.

This finding is all the more alarming to some when put in consideration with the senator's known animosity towards climate change science and environmental regulation. As US attorney general, he would be responsible in guiding policy for the Justice Department's Environment and Natural Resources Division—an arm of 400 lawyers responsible for enforcing federal laws on pollution and others concerning environmental regulation. If Sessionss continues to hold oil assets underneath a federal wildlife refuge, it is unlikely he would be able to make unbiased decisions when it comes to drilling and environmental issues on protected lands.

"The fact that his oil is in a federal wildlife refuge means he should not be involved in DOJ policies concerning drilling or environmental issues" involving federal reserves, Trevor Potter, an ethics lawyer who has advised several GOP presidential candidates, told the Post. "Clearly he should have disclosed the asset."

The 4,218 acre Choctaw Wildlife Refuge is a criss-crossing web of lakes, sloughs, creeks and moist soil lands populated by white-tailed deer, turkey, raccoons, beavers, opossums and alligators. It is also a favorite wintering spot for thousands of migratory waterfowl. Wood ducks

and wading bird numbers can exceed 10,000. But Senator Sessionss leased his oil rights under the refuge to Chief Oil and Gas, a Texas firm, in 2015.

**This story was updated to include that Jeff Sessionss admitted his ownership of the land in Alabama during the course of the hearing on Tuesday after the story was published. He did not disclose this information in the ethics forms before. This was his full answer:*

SESSIONSS: "Sen. Feinstein, I believe that's so. And the way it happened was that many years ago, at least 50 or more years ago, my family—ancestors—sold some land and reserve mineral rights. Later, there was a dam built on the river and a desire to take land that was going to be flooded and to add additional land for a duck preserve. And they negotiated, and the family sold land to the government and retained the mineral rights, per the agreement.

At least, that's my understanding. By an odd series of events, the properties fell to me. I've never reviewed the deeds. I've never known how much land is out there that I own mineral rights on.

Although, oil companies are pretty good at making sure they contact real owners before they drill a well. So you're correct that we reported the income on my return as coming from the property that I own and the property where the oil well is. I did not note in that report specifically that it was all income—the blank said royalties but..maybe.— I would just say to you this. We absolutely—this is something I've taken no affirmative action in, it's something I'm going to take affirmative action in. I have one of the simplest, clearest, fairest financial reports you can see. My assets and my wife's assets are almost entirely vanguard funds and municipal bonds. I've owned no individual stocks, because I want to be sure I don't have conflicts of interest. I want to adhere to high standards. We are going to find out what we did or didn't do, and we are going to correct it."

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Former Senator Jeff Sessionss was sworn in as the U.S. attorney general on Thursday, just before President Donald Trump signed new executive orders focused on crime.

(Published Thursday, Feb. 9, 2017)

The Senate on Wednesday confirmed Sen. Jeff Sessionss to be attorney general in the Trump administration despite fierce Democratic opposition to the Alabama Republican over his record on civil rights and immigration.

The 52-47 nearly party-line vote capped weeks of divisive battles over Sessionss, an early supporter of President Donald Trump and one of the Senate's most conservative lawmakers.

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Democrats laced into Sessionss, casting him as too cozy with Trump and too harsh on immigrants. They asserted he wouldn't do enough to protect voting rights of minorities, protections for gays and the legal right of women to obtain an abortion. They fear immigrants in the country illegally won't receive due process with Sessions as the top law enforcement officer.

Shortly after the confirmation of Education Secretary Betsy DeVos, the Senate waded into another long night of speeches on yet another nominee drawing sharp partisan difference. Republican Alabama Senator Jeff Sessionss is President Trump's choice for attorney general, and the full Senate will likely vote on his confirmation on Wednesday.

(Published Wednesday, Feb. 8, 2017)

Sen. Elizabeth Warren reacted to Sessionss' confirmation late Wednesday in a tweet, warning the new attorney general that "he makes even the tiniest attempt to bring his racism, sexism & bigotry into @TheJusticeDept, he'll hear from all of us."

In a post-vote valedictory speech, Sessionss alluded to the bitter partisanship and wished for more collegiality.

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"Denigrating people who disagree with us, I think, is not a healthy trend for our body," he said.

Since Trump tapped Sessionss, Democrats have laced into the lawmaker, casting him as too cozy with Trump and too harsh on immigrants. They asserted he wouldn't do enough to protect voting rights of minorities, protections for gays and the legal right of women to obtain an abortion. They fear immigrants in the country illegally won't receive due process with Sessionss as the top law enforcement officer.

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"His record raises doubts about whether he can be a champion for those who need this office most and it also raises doubts about whether he can curb unlawful overreach" by Trump, said Sen. Tim Kaine, D-Va.

Other officials and prominent groups took to Twitter to respond to the confirmation.

Republicans say Sessionss has demonstrated over a long career in public service — and two decades in the Senate — that he possesses integrity, honesty and is committed to justice.

"He's honest. He's fair. He's been a friend to many of us, on both sides of the aisle," Majority Leader Mitch McConnell, R-Ky., said. "It's been tough to watch all this good man has been put through in recent weeks. This is a well-qualified colleague with a deep reverence for the law. He believes strongly in the equal application of it to everyone."

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Sessionss won unanimous backing from Senate Republicans but picked up the support of just one Democrat, Joe Manchin of West Virginia.

Alabama Gov. Robert Bentley is expected to name a replacement for Sessionss as early as Thursday. Bentley has named six finalists for the Senate appointment, including state Attorney General Luther Strange and GOP Rep. Robert Aderholt.

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Strange is considered a leading candidate for the job since Bentley interviewed potential replacements for state attorney general, according to people close to the process. However, Bentley's office has said he has not made a decision.

During Sally Quillian Yates' confirmation hearing in 2015, Jeff Sessionss asked her if she would say no to the president if required to do so. Yates said she believes that the attorney general "has an obligation to follow the law and the constitution and to give their independent legal advice to the president." (Published Tuesday, Jan. 31, 2017)

Wednesday's vote came amid rising tension between Republicans controlling the chamber over delaying tactics by minority Democratic that have left fewer of Trump's picks in place than President Barack

Obama had eight years ago. Democrats no longer have filibuster power over Cabinet picks, however, after changing Senate rules when they controlled the chamber in 2013.

Next up for the Senate is Rep. Tom Price, R-Ga., Trump's pick for health secretary. A final vote on Price could come late Thursday and success seemed certain.

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Democrats have solidly opposed Price, a staunch advocate of repealing Obama's health care overhaul and reshaping and scaling back the Medicare and Medicaid programs that provide health care to older and low-income people.

But they've mostly accused Price, a wealthy former orthopedic surgeon, of conflicts of interest by acquiring stocks in health care companies and pushing legislation that could help those firms.

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They've especially targeted his acquisition of shares in Innate Immunotherapeutics, an Australian biotech firm that's said Price got a special insider's deal. Price, who has said he learned of the opportunity from a fellow lawmaker, Rep. Chris Collins, R-N.Y., had testified to Congress that the shares were available to all investors.

"If I were a prosecutor, I'd say this case has real potential," Senate Minority Leader Chuck Schumer, D-N.Y., said Wednesday.

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This week has featured overnight, round-the-clock Senate sessions as GOP leaders are grinding through a thicket of controversial picks.

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Epitomizing the sharp-edged partisanship surrounding confirmation of Trump's Cabinet nominees, Sen. Elizabeth Warren was given a rare rebuke Tuesday evening for quoting Coretta Scott King, widow of the late civil rights leader Martin Luther King Jr., in her 1986 criticism of Sessionss.

King wrote that as an acting federal prosecutor in Alabama, Sessionss used his power to "chill the free exercise of the vote by black citizens."

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McConnell held that the Massachusetts Democrat had run afoul of rules about impugning a fellow senator.

Sessionss' nomination to a federal judgeship was rejected three decades ago by the Senate Judiciary Committee after it was alleged that as a federal prosecutor he had called a black attorney "boy" and had said organizations like the NAACP and the American Civil Liberties Union were un-American.

At his hearing last month, Sessionss said he had never harbored racial animus, saying he had been falsely caricatured.

Associated Press writer Kimberly Chandler in Montgomery, Alabama, contributed to this report.

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Trump Has 'Total' Confidence in Jeff Sessions; Lawmakers Seek Recusal

By MICHAEL D. SHEAR and CHARLIE SAVAGE MARCH 2, 2017

Jeff Sessions's Testimony on Russia Contacts

In this footage from his confirmation hearing, Attorney General Jeff Sessions says he "did not have communications with the Russians." A Justice Department official more recently said Mr. Sessions had two conversations with Ambassador Sergey I. Kislyak.

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NEWPORT NEWS, Va. — President Trump said Thursday that he had "total" confidence in Attorney General Jeff Sessions despite the revelations that he had conversations with Russia's ambassador during the presidential campaign.

Touring the U.S.S. Gerald R. Ford, the newest American aircraft carrier, Mr. Trump said that he "wasn't aware" that Mr. Sessions had spoken to the ambassador, but that he believed the attorney general had testified truthfully to the Senate during his confirmation hearing.

"I think he probably did," Mr. Trump told reporters.

Asked whether Mr. Sessions should recuse himself in the Russia investigations, the president said, "I don't think so."

Congressional Republicans began breaking ranks to join Democrats in demanding that Mr. Sessions recuse himself from overseeing an investigation into contacts between the Trump campaign and the Russian government. Those calls came after the disclosure that Mr. Sessions himself spoke with the Russian ambassador last year, in seeming contradiction to his testimony at his confirmation hearing.

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The partisan furor that broke out with the Justice Department's acknowledgment of the contacts late Wednesday began to take on a bipartisan sheen as the controversy spilled into Thursday morning.

Representative Jason Chaffetz, the Utah Republican who leads the Oversight Committee, said on Twitter on Thursday, "AG Sessions should clarify his testimony and recuse himself." Senator Rob Portman, Republican of Ohio, said in a statement:

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"Jeff Sessions is a former colleague and a friend, but I think it would be best for him and for the country to recuse himself from the D.O.J. Russia probe."

The House majority leader, Kevin McCarthy, Republican of California, said on MSNBC's "Morning Joe" that Mr. Sessions "needs to clarify" his testimony, and at first appeared to indicate that he thought Mr. Sessions should recuse himself from Russia-linked investigations. "I think — the trust of the American people — you recuse yourself from these situations," Mr. McCarthy said.

Photo

Chuck Schumer, the Senate Democratic leader, on Thursday called on Attorney General Sessions to resign "for the good of the country." Credit Gabriella Demczuk for The New York Times

"For any investigation going forward," he said, "you want to make sure everybody trusts the investigation." Asked to clarify whether that required Mr. Sessions to step aside, he replied, "I think it'd be easier from that standpoint, yes."

But Mr. McCarthy later backtracked on "Fox and Friends," saying, "I'm not calling on him to recuse himself."

Some Democrats were already going further, suggesting that Mr. Sessions had perjured himself in the confirmation hearing for the attorney general post and demanding that he step down.

"For the good of the country, Attorney General Jeff Sessions should resign," said the Senate Democratic leader, Chuck Schumer of New York.

The House Democratic leader, Nancy Pelosi of California, took the same position, saying, "Sessions is not fit to serve as the top law enforcement officer of our country and must resign."

Democrats on the House Judiciary Committee sent a letter on Thursday to the Justice Department and the F.B.I. asking for "an immediate criminal investigation into these statements, which could potentially implicate a number of criminal laws including lying to Congress and perjury."

The Trump administration dismissed the accusations as partisan attacks, and Mr. Sessions said in a statement issued shortly before midnight that he had not addressed election matters with the ambassador, Sergey I. Kislyak.

"I never met with any Russian officials to discuss issues of the campaign," Mr. Sessions said. "I have no idea what this allegation is about. It is false."

A Timeline of Jeff Sessions's Trump Ties and Meetings With Russia

Mr. Sessions's actions and what else was happening at the time.



In an appearance on NBC News on Thursday morning, Mr. Sessions reiterated that he had not met with the Russian ambassador to discuss the political campaign, but he left the door open to stepping aside from the investigation. "I have said whenever it's appropriate, I will recuse myself," he said. "There's no doubt about that."

The clash was the latest escalation in the continuing fallout over what intelligence officials have concluded was Russian interference in the 2016 election to help President Trump, including by hacking Democratic emails and providing them to WikiLeaks for release.

F.B.I. officials have been scrutinizing contacts between people affiliated with the Trump campaign over communication with the Russian government. And last month, the national security adviser, Michael T. Flynn, resigned after it emerged that he had misled Vice President Mike Pence about a conversation with Mr. Kislyak.

Now, Mr. Sessions, formerly an Alabama senator, appears to be at risk of becoming caught in that same wave. He was the first senator to endorse Mr. Trump and became an architect of his populist campaign strategy who sharpened the candidate's message on immigration and trade. Mr. Sessions became a trusted adviser and is seen as one of the power centers in the administration.

At the confirmation hearing for attorney general in January, Senator Al Franken, Democrat of Minnesota, asked Mr. Sessions about a CNN report that intelligence briefers had told Barack Obama, then the president, and Mr. Trump, then the president-elect, that Russian operatives claimed to have compromising information about Mr. Trump.

Mr. Franken also noted that the report indicated that surrogates for Mr. Trump and intermediaries for the Russian government continued to exchange information during the campaign. He asked Mr. Sessions what he would do if that report proved true.

Mr. Sessions replied that he was “not aware of any of those activities.” He added: “I have been called a surrogate at a time or two in that campaign, and I didn’t have — did not have communications with the Russians, and I’m unable to comment on it.”

But the Justice Department acknowledged on Wednesday that Mr. Sessions had twice communicated with the Russian ambassador last year. The first time was in July, at the Republican National Convention, after he gave a speech at an event for ambassadors sponsored by the Heritage Foundation. The second time was a visit to his office by Mr. Kislyak in September. The *Washington Post* earlier reported both encounters.

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While confirming the conversations, the department played down both. Of the Heritage Foundation encounter, a Justice Department official said the Russian ambassador was among a small group of diplomats who approached Mr. Sessions as he was leaving the stage. The ambassadors, the official said, thanked Mr. Sessions for his remarks and invited him to join them at various events they were sponsoring, but he made no commitments to do so.

Of the office visit, the official said, the discussion focused on relations between the United States and Russia and issues the two countries were facing, although the department left open the possibility that there had been “superficial” comments about news related to the election.

A spokeswoman for the Justice Department, Sarah Isgur Flores, said “there was absolutely nothing misleading” about Mr. Sessions’s answers at his confirmation hearing. She said that Mr. Sessions, as a senior member of the Senate Armed Services Committee, had at least 25 conversations with foreign ambassadors, including those from Australia, Britain, Canada, China, Germany, India, Japan, Korea, Poland and Russia.

She added: “He was asked during the hearing about communications between Russia and the Trump campaign — not about meetings he took as a senator and a member of the Armed Services Committee.”

But Democrats were unassuaged. In a statement, Mr. Franken called Mr. Sessions’s testimony “at best misleading,” noting, “It’s clearer than ever now that the attorney general cannot, in good faith, oversee an investigation at the Department of Justice and the F.B.I. of the Trump-Russia connection, and he must recuse himself immediately.”

Senator Claire McCaskill, Democrat of Missouri, cast doubt on Mr. Sessions’s explanation that he had met with the Russian ambassador because of his duties as a member of the Senate Armed Services Committee, saying that was beyond the panel’s jurisdiction.

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"I've been on the Armed Services Com for 10 years," she wrote on Twitter on Thursday. "No call or meeting w/Russian ambassador. Ever. Ambassadors call members of Foreign Rel Com."

And Representative Elijah E. Cummings of Maryland, the ranking Democrat on the Oversight Committee, went further, calling for Mr. Sessions to resign because he let a "demonstrably false" statement stand for weeks without correcting the public record.

"There is no longer any question that we need a truly independent commission to investigate this issue," Mr. Cummings said.

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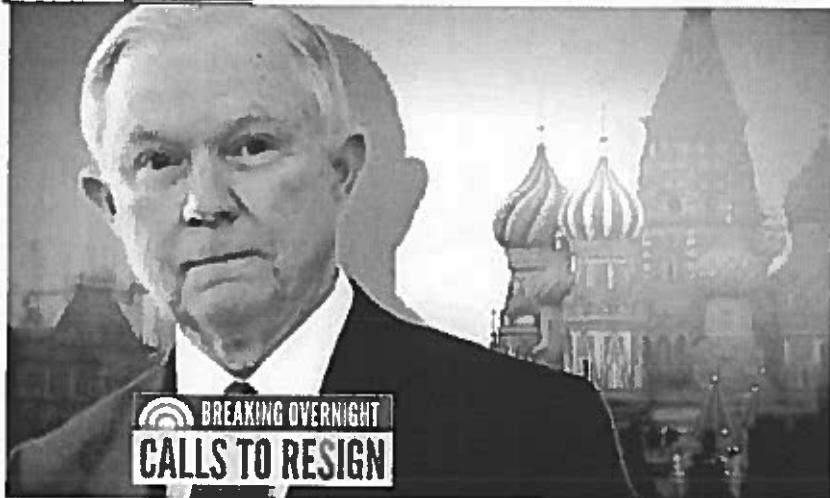
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Nets Blast Sessions, Excused Lynch/Clinton Meeting as Innocent 'Courtesy'

By Kyle Drennen | March 2, 2017 | 1:39 PM EST

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On Thursday, all three network morning shows hyperventilated over the news that Attorney General Jeff Sessions, as a member of the Senate Armed Services Committee in 2016, met with the Russian ambassador to the U.S. While the NBC, ABC, and CBS broadcasts all seized on Democrats calling for Sessions to recuse himself from any investigation into Russian influence in the 2016 campaign, the same networks tried to excuse a

meeting between then-Attorney General Loretta Lynch and former President Bill Clinton at the height of the FBI's investigation into Hillary Clinton's e-mails.

Leading off NBC's **Today**, Matt Lauer proclaimed: "Breaking overnight, Attorney General Jeff Sessions facing calls to resign over a new revelation that he met with Russia's ambassador during the presidential campaign." In a report minutes later, correspondent Peter Alexander announced: "With lawmakers calling for an independent investigation into Russian interference in the election and possible contacts between candidate Trump's campaign and the Russians, this morning, bombshell revelations. **The Washington Post** first reporting Attorney General Jeff Sessions...had two conversations with Russia's ambassador to the U.S. last year..."

In a discussion with political analyst Mark Halperin that followed, co-host Savannah Guthrie wondered: "Is the political pressure now so high that Sessions is really gonna feel the heat and feel that he has to step aside and get a special prosecutor?" Halperin responded: "...there's big pressure now on Capitol Hill, what kind of investigation will Capitol Hill do of all of these Russia questions? And this is, because of how explosive it is....the pressure there's gonna be greater for a large congressional investigation."

He concluded: "The Attorney General's putting this off as these are innocent meetings, maybe they are. But they clearly raise suspicion."

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At the top of ABC's **Good Morning America**, co-host George Stephanopoulos declared: "Breaking overnight, President Trump's attorney general under fire. New reports that Jeff Sessions spoke to the Russian ambassador twice before the election." Senior justice correspondent Pierre Thomas reported: "Some Democrats are calling on Sessions to resign after reports that he met with the Russian ambassador before the election and did not tell Congress during his confirmation hearings."

Thomas explained:

All this critical because U.S. Intelligence agencies have been investigating whether any Trump associates were communicating with Russian officials during the campaign....Sessions has been under pressure from Democrats to recuse himself because he was one of Trump's earliest congressional supporters and the key adviser during the campaign. Now, with questions about his own contacts with

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Russians, Democrats are calling for him to step aside from any investigations involving the Russians and there will likely be additional calls for a special prosecutor.

Starting **CBS This Morning**, co-host Norah O'Donnell hyped: "Attorney General Jeff Sessions is under pressure to recuse himself from the investigation into Russia's meddling in the presidential election." Moments later, she added: "Attorney General Jeff Sessions is under new pressure to withdraw from an investigation into Russian interference with the 2016 election. The Justice Department confirms that Sessions spoke with Russia's U.S. ambassador twice last year while he was a U.S. senator and adviser to the Trump campaign."

Fellow co-host Gayle King chimed in: "And now, some congressional Democrats are calling for the Attorney General to resign. House Minority Leader Nancy Pelosi said this: 'Jeff Sessions lied under oath and is not fit to serve.'"

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For all the sensational headlines over Sessions, when news broke of a secret airport meeting between then-Attorney General Loretta Lynch and former President Clinton in June of 2016, in midst of the FBI investigating then-Democratic nominee Hillary Clinton's private e-mail server, the networks were happy to provide every benefit of the doubt to the Obama administration cabinet official and the Clinton campaign.

On the June 30 CBS This Morning, co-host Charlie Rose introduced a report on the topic with: "Attorney General Loretta Lynch met privately this week with former President Bill Clinton at a Phoenix airport. Lynch says there was no discussion about the FBI probe." O'Donnell added: "...the meeting that aides say was an unplanned coincidence."

After a soundbite played of Lynch claiming that Clinton simply wanted to "say hello" and that they discussed their "grandchildren," correspondent Nancy Cordes offered: "An aide to President Clinton told CBS News saying hello to a cabinet secretary or other dignitaries is a courtesy the former president always extends." She then acknowledged: "But even the impression of favoritism could hurt Lynch as her department investigates Hillary Clinton's use of a private server as Secretary of State. Some Republicans have called for the appointment of a special prosecutor."

It was not until the next day, July 1, that ABC and NBC covered the controversy on their evening newscasts. On *World News Tonight*, correspondent Tom Llamas assured viewers: "Aides to Bill

Clinton and Lynch say it was a chance meeting, and they were simply exchanging pleasantries....all personal, no business."

On NBC Nightly News, correspondent Andrea Mitchell dismissed the notion of anything improper: "They run into each other on the tarmac at the airport. It's 108 degrees so they board her air-conditioned government plane along with her husband and visit for 30 minutes....Lynch saying it was social about golf, grandchildren and visits each had paid to former Attorney General Janet Reno, who is ailing."

Only brief mentions were made of Republican criticism at the end of both reports.

On her MSNBC show earlier that afternoon, Mitchell actually labeled speculation about the suspicious meeting to be nothing but "conspiracy theories." On Morning Joe, Meet the Press moderator Chuck Todd downplayed the controversy as mere "human error."

Two attorneys general, two political parties, and two radically different standards of media coverage.

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DECLARATION

I declare as follows:

1. That I am the Appellant herein and if called to testify I can do so based upon first hand and/or personal knowledge.
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3. That On or about August 13, 2012, and continuing thru present, the Committee and Oversight, Judicial Watch and/or other organizations commenced one or more criminal investigations in the Hillary Clinton e-mail scandal and/or in the "fast and furious," investigations and committed crimes and Jeff Sessions and/or James Comey at all times mentioned had a legal duty to prosecute, and knowingly, intentionally and/or "gross negligently," failed to do their legal duties as public officials; "no one has been prosecuted." The prosecution by Jeff Sessions United States Attorney General could be a conflict of interest for that office and/or could create an appearance of impropriety. It is in the interest of justice that a Special Prosecutor be appointed to avoid any such appearance.
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FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSION OF LAW

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This case was tried without a jury. This case has ripened beyond an abstract question into an actual controversy and that is otherwise within its jurisdiction and as follow After consideration of the papers in support of the Appellant's motion for summary judgment for a Special Prosecutor adjudication of facts and the oral argument of counsel, the Court determines that the following facts have been established as, .

FINDING OF FACTS AND/OR UNCONTROVERTED FACTS

1. Jeff Sessions is the United States Attorney General with legal duties and obligations as the United States Attorney General.
2. James Comey has failed to do his legal duties as FBI Director has he appointed a Special Prosecutor.

Sharon Bridgewater filed a motion for summary judgment. The claim and/or petition is for one which does not require a responsive pleading. According, Appellant motion is appropriate for consideration on the papers filed, and no oral argument is required. After review the moving papers submitted, it is hereby ORDERED that Plaintiff's Motion for Summary Judgment pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure is GRANTED.

The Defendant Jeff Sessions and/or James Comey has either:

1. Failed to do their legal duties and/or obligations as public officials.
2. Is in conflict of interest; or
3. Is disqualified a prosecutor.
4. Robert Mueller is in conflict of interest.

CONCLUSION OF LAW

The Court has jurisdiction of this action. Jeff Sessions in his official capacity as United States Attorney

General is in conflict of interest, James B. Comey is in conflict or have failed to do his legal duties and
Robert Mueller is in conflict of interest and disqualifed as Special Prosecutor.
There is a probable cause that crimes have been committed and there is need for a temporary

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**ORDER GRANTING SUMMARY JUDGMENT ON DECLARATORY
JUDGMENT FOR SPECIAL PROSECUTORS**

The motion of SHARON BRIDGEWATER for summary judgment came on for hearing before me on date: TBA, time: TBA The petition is for one which does not require a responsive pleading. According, Plaintiff motion is appropriate for consideratigon on the papers filed, and no oral arguement is required. After full consideration of the evidence submitted by the parties, it appears and the court finds that there is no triable issue of any material fact and that SHARON BRIDGEWATER is entitled to judgment as a matter of law for a Special Prosecutor. It is hereby ORDERED that Plaintiff's Motion for Summary Judgment pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure is GRANTED.

IT IS ORDERED that Plaintiff motion for summary judgment declaratory Judgment that this court appoint a Special Prosecutor .

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ORDER APPOINTING A SPECIAL PROSECUTOR

After consideration of the papers in support of the Plaintiff's motion for summary adjudication of facts and the oral argument of counsel, the Court determines that the following facts have been established as, and it is hereby granted.

IT IS SO ORDERED as follows;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED the court is appointing special prosecutor(s) or the reason for the appointment is that this court has declared Jeff Sessions is in conflict of interest and/or is disqualified as Prosecutor. Compensation rate is set at the following rate: Hourly rate specified in

The _____ shall pay the compensation ordered by the court.

FURTHER, IT IS HEREBY SO ORDERED, _____ (to be filled by Judge-name of Special Prosecutor) AS SPECIAL PROSECUTOR(S) Sharon Bridgewater FROM 1993 and continuing thru present and continuing thru present in these matters through all phases until final disposition.

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**IN RE Sharon Bridgewater
Petitioner**

**Vs.
Donald Trump in his Official Capacity as
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**The White House
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**Removal from THE STATE OF MICHIGAN 44TH DISTRICT STATE COURT OF THE STATE OF
MICHIGAN, 400 EAST 11 MILE ROAD ROYAL OAK, MI 48067-
Case# 17RO05807**

**[PROPOSED]INTERLOCUTORY INJUNCTION GRANTED BY THREE-
JUDGE COURT**

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INTERLOCUTORY INJUNCTION GRANTED BY THREE-JUDGE COURT

This cause came for hearing before a statutory three-Judge district court convened pursuant to section 2284 of Title 28 of the United States Code Service, and consisting of the Honorable Chief Judge Beryl A. Howell, Judge, the Honorable Judge _____ of the United States District Court for the District of Columbia, Judge, the Honorable Judge _____ of the United States District Court for the District of Columbia, on the application of Sharon Bridgewater PETITIONER in the above-entitled cause. The application was for an interlocutory injunction, pursuant to PETITIONER Sharon Bridgewater complaining demanding an interlocutory and final decree enjoining and restraining the enforcement and/or execution of the Protecting the National from Foreign Terrorist entry into the United States entered on March 6, 2017 and Donald Trump in his official capacity as President, on the ground that the statue and/or "action," of Donald Trump's violates Sharon Bridgewater US Constitutional rights. On consideration of the verified complaint and of the affidvits of Sharon Bridgewater PETITIONER and in opposition to the application(WAIVED),[“and after hearing evidence both in support of, and it appearing that the application was duly set down for hearing at on Date: TBA, at Time: TBA, in Courtroom #6600 of the United States District Court for the District of Columbia located at 333 Constitution Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20001, and that five days notice of the hearing has been given to the Respondent Donald Trump in his official capacity as United States President,, it is ordered adjudged and decreed that Protecting the National from Foreign Terrorist entry into the United States entered on March 6, 2017 is unconstitutional and is enjoined from executing and/or enforcing the Executive order.

Dated: _____

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

Honorable Chief Judge Beryl A. Howell

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[PROPOSED]FINAL JUDGMENT

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FINAL JUDGMENT

This cause came for hearing on the complaint of the Sharon Bridgewater the PETITIONER praying for a decree enjoining and restraining Respondent Donald Trump in his official capacity as United States President be enjoined and/or restrained from executing and/or enforcing the executive order Protecting the National from Foreign Terrorist entry into the United States entered on March 6, 2017. The Chief Judge of the District Court for the District of Columbia for this District of Columbia call for the assistance of the Honorable Reggie Barnett Walton to hear and determine this cause, the Honorable Judge of the District Court of Columbia, the Honorable Judge of the District Court of Columbia, _____, it is

Ordered, adjudged and decreed that Donald Trump in his official capacity is restrained and enjoined from executing and/or enforcing the Protecting the National from Foreign Terrorist entry into the United States entered on March 6, 2017.

Dated: _____

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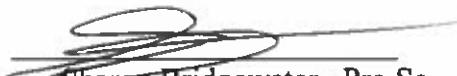
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ORDER FOR ISSUANCE OF WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS

On the notice of removal of James Shannon Bridgewater and/or Sharon Bridgewater, Defendants in the above-entitled action, for removal of criminal prosecution against Sharon Bridgewater and/or James Shannon Bridgewater "the Defendants," in the Sept. Term, 2017, to this Court, and good cause appearing, it is

ORDERED that a writ of habeas corpus be issued forth with by the Clerk of the Court and direct to the clerk of the Court of the District Court of Columbia with by the Clerk of this Cour and direct to the clerk of THE STATE OF MICHIGAN 44TH DISTRICT STATE COURT OF THE

STATE OF MICHIGAN and/or THE GWINNETT COUNTY DISTRICT COURT AND/OR THE STATE OF MICHIGAN 14A district court and to Donald Trump in his official capacity as United States President and/or Jeff Sessions in his official capacity as United States Attorney General, and that the Untied States Marshal and/or a person Specially Appointed by this Court for further proceedings in accordance with law and the order of this court. If the person is appointed by this court(Sharon Bridgewater and/or James Shannon Bridgewater) shall not be detained, prosecuted for "ANY CRIMES," in which she/he requested the appointment of a Special Prosecutor.

Done at the District Court of Colubma on June 6, 2017

United States District Court Judge

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The President of the United States of American to Donald Trump in his official capacity as United States President and Jeff Sessions in his official capacity as United States Attorney General,
Greetings.

Being informed that there is now pending in the name OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN 44TH DISTRICT STATE COURT OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN,in and for the county of Oakland, withing the District of Eastern Michigan, State of Michigan, a criminal prosecution commenced in the court on the part of the people of the State of Michigan against James Shannon Bridgewater Defendant and/or Sharon Bridgewater "co Defendant," and that on date of May 28, 2017, the date of the traffic ticket, at the September 2017 term, in THE STATE OF MICHIGAN 44TH DISTRICT STATE COURT OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN, case # 17RO05807 James Shannon Bridgewater was issued a traffic ticket for the offense of Changing lanes without a signal, No registration on person, and no proof of insurance, which is pending; and being further informed that the prosecution has been commenced in the in THE STATE OF MICHIGAN 44TH DISTRICT

(1) att/r

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And we, being willing for certain reasons that the prosecution should be certified by the District Court of Columbia Court and removed into our United States Court in and for the District of Columbia, command you to deliver into the custody of the marshal of the United States and/or "authorized person" appointed by this court, the body of the Defendant Sharon Bridgewater and/or James Shannon Bridgewater to be delated with in the cause according to law and the order of the United States District Court for the United States Court in and for the District of Columbia, and that you send without further delay to United States Court in and for the District of Columbia, a true and correct copy of the record and proceedings in the prosecution or otherwise show the cause of the taking and detaining of either James Shannon Bridgewater and/or Sharon Bridgewater Defendants so that the United States Court in and for the District of Columbia, may act as of right according to law.

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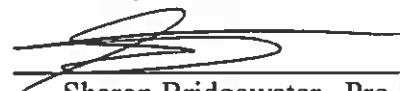
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