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**PRESS RELEASE**

**June 9, 2010**

Joe and Donna Turner will be at my office **Tomorrow, Thursday June 10, at 11:00 am**, for anyone willing to interview them regarding the latest scandal involving political corruption and the ME's Office. **The family is now circulating a new Petition they wish to release to the press, calling for a CHANDA TURNER REFORM BILL.** It is despicable that our legislature would have used the pre-Memorial Day rally by five (5) grieving Oklahoma families to push through a bill that was vetoed because the only real agenda was to play politics with taxpayer money and legislative seats, and not to help constituents who have been seeking justice for their deceased loved ones against a severely broken Medical Examiner's Office.

While scandal after scandal strikes the ME's office, **Joe and Donna Turner wish to make the public aware of the shockingly sub-standard work the Office is currently producing by also releasing the "revised" autopsy report in Chanda's case (attached).** The errors in the report include: "no autopsy" is checked, yet the third page is the post-exhumation autopsy diagram (the family spent thousands of dollars to exhume and re-bury their daughter before they got their one and only autopsy in December 2009). The report in no way addresses the autopsy or its finding of **homicide**. Chanda's date of birth is wrong. Chanda's date of death is wrong. "Heavy truck" is checked. No motor vehicle of any kind played a part in her death. It is unsigned, despite the family being told Dr. Choi was handling the case after Dr. Trant was fired without explanation and Dr. Duval quit and left the State. It lists "Roy Goddard JR D.O." as the Medical Examiner yet this person is not even currently employed by the ME's Office. "Suicide" is still checked, despite then-Chief Dr. Trant, who performed the autopsy, and visiting pathologist Dr. Bux, who attended the autopsy, both agreeing it was homicide. The report is dated 3/2/2010, yet throughout March and April of 2010 the ME's Office continued to request more information from the Turners, myself and Dr. Bux - **all at the Turner's expense** - claiming they were still working with the family to correct this death certificate.

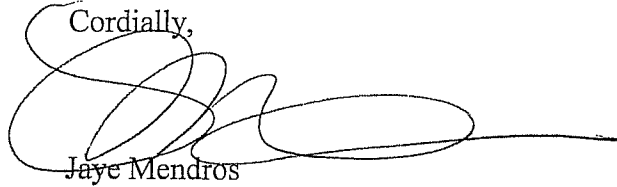
It is incomprehensible that this family had to exhume their daughter, have two different pathologists who conducted the autopsy confirm that manner of death was homicide, be assured an accurate report would still be prepared after Dr. Trant's unexplained termination by the Board, watch one employee after another leave the ME's Office in the midst of scandal, get run around in circles for **two months** at Tom Jordan's request (another employee who has since resigned and is implicated in the political corruption investigation) when the date on this report (3/2) indicates they never intended to correct this wrong (family was informed at the end of April it would not change) - and are now left only with this error-riddled, unsigned report that ridiculously marks "heavy truck" in one place and "gunshot wound to the chest" in another, under the authority of a non-employee D.O..

This is what our tax dollars are funding. The attached email sent by Donna Turner after receiving this "revised report" is an illustration of the kind of suffering this Office is causing families who have already been through the hell of tragically losing a loved one.

**This has prompted the Turners, who are being supported by the other families affected by the ME's Office, to circulate a new Petition for Legislative Reform that contains specific language they want to see the legislature include in a *legitimate* bill. We are calling this the Chanda Turner Reform Bill. This too is attached.**

As always, the family appreciates the media's help in giving them a voice and bringing public awareness to the real harm the ME's Office is inflicting on real Oklahoma families.

Cordially,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jaye Mendros". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Jaye Mendros  
Attorney for the Turner Family

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Re \_\_\_\_\_ Co \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of the original document. Valid only when copy bears imprint of the office seal.

By \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**REPORT OF INVESTIGATION BY MEDICAL EXAMINER**

DECEDENT First-Middle-Last Names (Please avoid use of initials) CHANDA TURNER	Age 23	Birth Date 3/1/1977	Race WHITE	Sex F
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HOME ADDRESS - No. - Street, City, State  
ROUTE 1 BOX 270, PAULS VALLEY, OK

EXAMINER NOTIFIED BY - NAME - TITLE (AGENCY, INSTITUTION, OR ADDRESS) DON GARVIN COUNTY SO	DATE 7/13/2000	TIME 0:30
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INJURED OR BECAME ILL AT (ADDRESS) ROUTE 1 BOX 270	CITY PAULS VALLEY	COUNTY GARVIN	TYPE OF PREMISES RESIDENCE	DATE 7/13/2000	TIME Unknown
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LOCATION OF DEATH ROUTE 1 BOX 270	CITY PAULS VALLEY	COUNTY GARVIN	TYPE OF PREMISES RESIDENCE	DATE 7/13/2000	TIME 23:30
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BODY VIEWED BY MEDICAL EXAMINER ROUTE 1 BOX 270	CITY PAULS VALLEY	COUNTY GARVIN	TYPE OF PREMISES RESIDENCE	DATE 7/14/2000	TIME 4:00
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IF MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT:  DRIVER  PASSENGER  PEDESTRIAN

TYPE OF VEHICLE:  AUTOMOBILE  LIGHT TRUCK  HEAVY TRUCK  BICYCLE  MOTORCYCLE  OTHER:

DESCRIPTION OF BODY EXAMINATION	RIGOR	LIVOR	EXTERNAL OBSERVATION	BLOOD	NOSE	MOUTH	EARS
				Jaw <input type="checkbox"/> Complete <input type="checkbox"/> Neck <input type="checkbox"/> Absent <input type="checkbox"/> Arms <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Passing <input type="checkbox"/> Legs <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Passed <input type="checkbox"/> Decomposed <input type="checkbox"/>	Color _____ Lateral <input type="checkbox"/> Posterior <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anterior <input type="checkbox"/> Regional _____	Beard _____ Hair <u>BLONDE</u> Eyes: Color <u>HAZEL</u> Mustache _____ Opacities _____ Pupils: R <u>0.4</u> L <u>0.4</u> Body Length _____ Body Weight _____	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Significant observations and injury documentations - (Please use space below)

Probable Cause of Death:

SUNSHOT WOUND TO CHEST

Manner of Death:

Natural  Accident   
 Suicide  Homicide   
 Unknown  Pending

Case disposition:

Autopsy Yes  No

Authorized by \_\_\_\_\_

Pathologist \_\_\_\_\_

Not a medical examiner case

Other Significant Medical Conditions:

MEDICAL EXAMINER:

Name, Address and Telephone No.

ROY GODDARD JR D.O.

2305 FAIRCHILD LANE

EDMOND, OK 73034

I hereby state that, after receiving notice of the death described herein, I conducted an investigation as to the cause and manner of death, as required by law, and that the facts contained herein regarding such death are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Medical Examiner

3/2/2010

Date

Computer generated report

0003825

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901 N. Stonewall  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73117

REPORT OF LABORATORY ANALYSIS

OFFICE USE ONLY	
Re. _____	Co. _____
I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of the original document. Valid only when copy bear im-print by the office seal.	
By _____	
Date _____	

ME CASE NUMBER: 0003825

LABORATORY NUMBER: 001803

DECENDANT'S NAME: SHAWNDA TURNER

DATE RECEIVED: 07/18/2000

MATERIAL SUBMITTED: BLOOD, VITREOUS

HOLD STATUS: 60 DAYS

SUBMITTED BY: ROY GODDARD JR D.O.

MEDICAL EXAMINER: ROY GODDARD JR D.O.

RESULTS:

Ethyl Alcohol:

Blood: NEGATIVE \*no alcohol

Vitreous:

Other:

Carbon Monoxide:

Qualitative Results:

BLOOD (FEMORAL)  
BASES - POSITIVE  
DIAZEPAM - POSITIVE  
NORDIAZEPAM - POSITIVE

} valium

Quantitative Results:

08/09/2000

DATE

*Philip M. Kemp, Ph.D.*

PHILIP M. KEMP, Ph.D., DABFT  
Chief Forensic Toxicologist





**PETITION FOR NEW LEGISLATION RE:  
THE OKLAHOMA STATE MEDICAL EXAMINER'S OFFICE**

By our signatures below, we affirm we are of lawful age and citizens of the State of Oklahoma, and as taxpayers demand that the following be passed into law to create efficiency, accountability and a method of checks and balances in the Oklahoma State Medical Examiner's Office:

1. The Board of MedicoLegal Investigations shall be comprised of members appointed by the Governor of the State of Oklahoma. The Board shall be comprised of at least four (4) physicians.
2. The Board shall meet once monthly. Any family who questions the determination of the pathologist who handled their deceased loved one's case may make written application to the Board stating the nature of their complaint. The Board shall provide families due process and a full and fair hearing on any such complaints.
3. Should the Board, by a *quorum* vote, find that the pathologist who handled the case at issue has made an erroneous determination, their finding shall be binding on the pathologist and the error shall be corrected with undue delay.
4. Families may appeal from the Board's decision directly to the District Court of Oklahoma County.
5. The Chief Medical Examiner shall be selected by the Board, but appointed only upon approval by the Governor, and shall only be terminated from his/her position for cause by a *quorum* vote of the Board and approval by the Governor. The Chief Medical Examiner shall employ other pathologists and investigators, all of whom must have proper qualifications, training, experience and certifications. These pathologists and investigators shall serve at the pleasure of the Chief Medical Examiner.
6. Non-physician employees shall only hold positions of an administrative nature, and in no way shall these positions infringe on medical determinations made by the physicians employed by the Medical Examiner's Office.
7. The Medical Examiner's Office, while aiding law enforcement agencies in MedicoLegal Findings, shall be independent from any and all law enforcement agencies.

SIGNATURE	PRINTED NAME	COUNTY OF RESIDENCE	DATE
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Please clip, fold and mail to:

**THE CHANDA TURNER REFORM BILL  
c/o Jaye Mendros  
105 N. Hudson, Suite 540  
Oklahoma City, OK 73102**

(Petitions may also be  
faxed to 405.605.8640)



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**Date:** Friday, June 4, 2010 8:17 PM  
**From:** Joe Turner <dj547762@yahoo.com>  
**To:** JAYEMENDROS@COX.NET  
**Subject:** Dr. Unkown's report

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Jaye, I'm so upset I'm ill. Been crying... now I'm furious. This is NOT MY DAUGHTER'S date of birth. This is NOT MY DAUGHTER'S date of death. This is NOT the date MY DAUGHTER'S body was viewed by Miller. How did MY DAUGHTER commit suicide in a motor vehicle accident by heavy truck! When and how does the gunshot wound fit into this picture? What....? They don't even know her middle name to fully fill out as instructed. Whoever did this should be fired. Chanda's case has been in the news for months, I would be double cking if it were me. It's frightening to think how many other cases this person has worked on. Is it normal for no one to sign the paperwork? Unbelievable!!!

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