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From: stateattorney@sao20.org (Office of the State Attorney, Twentieth Judicial Circuit of Florida)

To: hellercwp@gmail.com

Date: Tuesday, September 15, 2026, 9:58:39 AM Eastern (13:58:39 UTC)

Subject: RE: Urgent update: violation of only custody order verified by judge — Supplement No. 3: the judge's denial of my son's whereabouts; Tuesday's hearing

Ms. Heller,

I wanted to acknowledge your emails. First, you are asking for assistance in having the Lee County Sheriff classify your son as missing child. The State Attorney's Office is a separate and distinct office from the Lee County Sheriff's Office. The State Attorney's Office does not have authority over the Lee County Sheriff's Office. You will need to follow up with the Lee County Sheriff's Office if you believe the position as articulated by Lt. Desrosiers in the below email is incorrect.

Second, you are asking that the State Attorney Office contact the DA in Mendocino County regarding Florida Statute 787.04. The State Attorney's Office is a prosecutorial office. Our role in Florida is strictly to prosecute cases brought to us by our local police agencies in almost all circumstances. If you believe a crime has been committed you will need to contact the the Lee County Sheriff's Office to report that crime. If an investigation is started by the Lee County Sheriff's Office, and probable cause is developed, the Lee County Sheriff's Office may be able to make an arrest on probable cause or submit a summons/warrant request for my office for review. If the State Attorney's Office then determines that probable cause exists, then my office may issue a summons/arrest warrant.

I hope this information helps you. Thank you.

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