

January 25, 2024

The Honorable Merrick Garland Attorney General U.S. Department of Justice Office of the Attorney General 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20530

> RE: United States v. Charles E. Littlejohn Court Docket: 1:23-cr-343

Dear Attorney General Garland:

Your Department has agreed to an extremely lenient plea agreement with Mr. Charles E. Littlejohn over his willful violation of the law and partisan abuse of thousands of American taxpayers.

As a victim of Mr. Littlejohn's crimes, I will present a victim impact statement during his upcoming sentencing hearing. By this letter, I formally request that you attend this hearing.

By harassing prominent Republicans and embarrassing Americans, Mr. Littlejohn's crimes were entirely aligned with the agenda of the Biden Administration. And now the Biden Justice Department will allow him to plead to just a single criminal count.

As President Biden brags about his ability to "use power," and under your tenure at the Justice Department, Americans are witnessing reckless partisan political abuse of our justice system. The Littlejohn plea bargain is just one example of today's politicized justice but it is one that touched me personally.

Since you have steered the Justice Department down this partisan political path, you should be on hand personally to in some way be accountable. I urge you to not just hide behind the staff prosecutors in the case. Attend in person and take personal responsibility for the things you and President Biden are doing to undermine faith in our justice system.

Sincerely,

Rick Scott United States Senator