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Dear Ms. Jones-Soderman,

I am in receipt of your October 10, 2017 letter in which you express dissatisfaction with Assistant State's Attorney Amy Bepko. In your letter, you state that ASA Bepko did not express appropriate concern for your complaint that a victim in a case she previously prosecuted was in continued peril.

It appears that the conduct you complain of occurred or is occurring in another Judicial District. Attorney Bepko informed me that she relayed to you that this Office is not a primary investigatory agency in situations such as this and directed you to the appropriate law enforcement agency. I understand that you have concerns about how law enforcement, the courts and DCF to date have handled this situation. This Office has no jurisdiction to assist in this area.

After your conversation with ASA Bepko, she immediately relayed the substance of your concerns to the DCF Careline. They are charged with investigating all potential situations where a child is endangered. Additional concerns regarding the welfare of this child should be made to the leadership of DCF as well the local law enforcement agency where the child is residing. Based on my understanding of where this child resides, I believe the Stamford-Norwalk State's Attorney's Office has jurisdiction over that law enforcement agency.

Sincerely,

  
Kevin D. Lawlor  
State's Attorney  
Ansonia-Milford Judicial District