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**Subject:** [REDACTED]

Ms. Michelli,

May this email find you well. I am sending this correspondence on behalf of the innocent babies, [REDACTED]. I would like to advocate for the children in this situation, as they have experienced more than their fair share of trauma and should be placed in the home with someone they are comfortable with and loved immensely by. Brett Lang has been their stability since [REDACTED] was 2 months old and [REDACTED] was 2 years old. Even after they returned back to their mother, they still came and stayed with him for extended periods of time. I was at his home in New Iberia just about a month ago when he face timed them and the baby just laughed when he talked to her and [REDACTED] begged to come stay at his house, which they did when he got them that night. I am asking that you please consider the children and all they have been through in this case and allow them to be with someone who is certified that they love and trust. Lets break the cycle. Its not these babies fault and they need advocates. There aren't many birth dads out there that will take care of their own kids much less be willing to take on 2 that he didn't give birth to. I am including a few pics for you to see when Brett had them before. He did duties that alot of dads would not have done. He entered the kids in a pageant which [REDACTED] won several categories and then they participated in a local parade. These kids deserve this kind of love and attention. I am asking that you please consider allowing them to not have to experience more trauma and miss out on seeing the ones they love, Brett and Tucker.

Thank you for your time and consideration,  
Shannan Chevallier