

U.S. DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LA.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

FELONY

INDICTMENT FOR TRANSMITTING THREATENING COMMUNICATIONS

22-00130
SECT. MMAG. 2

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

* CRIMINAL NO.

v.

* SECTION:

BRIAN ADAMS

* VIOLATION: 18 U.S.C. § 875(c)

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The Grand Jury charges that:

COUNT 1

On or about October 14, 2020, in the Eastern District of Louisiana and elsewhere, the defendant, **BRIAN ADAMS**, knowingly and willfully did transmit in interstate and foreign commerce from the State of Kentucky to the State of Louisiana, a communication to students and teachers attending a fifth-grade virtual class at the Laureate Academy Charter School, located in Harvey, Louisiana, and the communication contained a threat to kidnap and injure another, specifically, the defendant, **BRIAN ADAMS**, made a verbal statement that included the following

threat:

[REDACTED]

Fee USA
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SPECIAL FINDING

The Grand Jury further alleges that the defendant, **BRIAN ADAMS**, intentionally selected the fifth-grade virtual class at Laureate Academy Charter School as the object of his threat because of the actual and perceived race and color of students and teachers associated with the Laureate Academy Charter School.

All in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 875(c) and U.S.S.G § 3A1.1.

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE

1. The allegation of Count 1 of this Indictment is incorporated by reference as though set forth fully herein for the purpose of alleging forfeiture to the United States.

2. As a result of the offense charged in Count 1, the defendant, **BRIAN ADAMS**, shall forfeit to the United States pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 981(a)(1)(C), and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), any property constituting, or derived from, any proceeds obtained, directly or indirectly, as the result of said offense.

3. If any of the above-described property, as a result of any act or omission of the defendant:

- a. cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
- b. has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third person;
- c. has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court;
- d. has been substantially diminished in value; or
- e. has been commingled with other property which cannot be subdivided without difficulty;

the United States shall seek a money judgment and, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p), forfeiture of any other property of the defendant up to the value of said property.

A TRUE BILL: *h*



h FOREPERSON

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New Orleans, Louisiana
June 29, 2022