



THE STATE OF GEORGIA

EXECUTIVE ORDER

BY THE GOVERNOR:

WHEREAS: On June 26, 2026, allegations of misconduct in office by Mr. Kenneth Henderson, Sheriff of Towns County, were brought to my attention; and

WHEREAS: These allegations are separate and distinct from the allegations previously investigated pursuant to Executive Order 09.19.25.02, or the charges in the indictment reviewed pursuant to Executive Order 12.02.25.01; and

WHEREAS: Code Section 15-16-26(a) grants the Governor the authority to appoint an investigative committee consisting of the Attorney General and two sheriffs who are members of the Georgia Sheriffs' Association whenever the Governor determines that an investigation of a sheriff should be conducted as a result of criminal charges, alleged misconduct in office, or alleged incapacity to perform the functions of his or her office.

NOW, THEREFORE, PURSUANT TO CODE SECTION 15-16-26, AND THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME AS GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA, IT IS HEREBY

ORDERED: That Attorney General Christopher Carr, Sheriff Lenn Wood of Coweta County, and Sheriff Ezell Brown of Newton County are hereby appointed as the committee to investigate the alleged misconduct of Sheriff Henderson.

IT IS FURTHER

ORDERED: That the committee shall make a report of its investigation to me within 30 days of the date of this Order.

This 27th day of June 2026.

GOVERNOR