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Texas Office of the Attorney General Names Region 5 Child Support Employee Assistant Attorney General of the Year

Brandy Bonner singled out as region's top attorney for dedication to Texas children

Texarkana – The Office of the Attorney General recognized Brandy Bonner, an Assistant Attorney General ("AAG") in the Child Support Division's Texarkana office, for her commitment to Texas children. Bonner was named Assistant Attorney General of the Year for the Child Support Division's Region 5. She was presented with the award at the 2025 Statewide Assistant Attorneys General Conference.

One Assistant Attorney General was selected for this honor from each of the state's ten child support regions, along with an Assistant Attorney General from the Child Support Division headquarters office in Austin. Honorees are chosen based on recommendations from their peers and supervisors, focusing on employees willing to go beyond their normal duties to serve Texas children. Each recipient demonstrates a desire to serve Texas families, help their colleagues, and enhance the Attorney General's Child Support Division.

Bonner, who joined the Office of the Attorney General in 2022, represents the State of Texas in legal actions to establish paternity between children of unmarried parents and their biological fathers. She also works to establish, enforce, and modify court orders that require parents to provide child support, medical support, and dental support.

A graduate of the Texas Wesleyan University School of Law, Bonner was chosen to be the region's Assistant Attorney General of the Year for being an exemplary attorney, a willing trainer, and a strong leader. She has demonstrated the willingness to take on any task and provide wise legal direction to her co-workers, earning the reputation as a reliable leader.

"Brandy consistently delivers legal work of the highest caliber, expertly executing duties from pleading review and docket preparation to securing favorable outcomes at court. Beyond her technical skills, she fosters strong, respected relationships with both the judiciary and the private bar throughout the East Texas legal community," said Senior Regional Attorney Mona Penister.

The Attorney General's Child Support Division offers an array of services to help families, including locating absent parents; establishing paternity for children born to unmarried parents; establishing, enforcing, and modifying child and medical support orders; and collecting and distributing child support payments. For more information, call (800) 252-8014 or go to www.texasattorneygeneral.gov.