



STATE OF OKLAHOMA  
OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS  
**NEWS RELEASE**

For immediate release

Contact: Jerry Massie  
(405) 425-2520

December 23, 2014

TO: Editors, News Directors, Reporters  
FROM: Jerry Massie, Public Information Officer  
RE: Media Coverage of Execution

If you are planning coverage of the execution listed below, scheduled for 6:00 p.m. at the Oklahoma State Penitentiary in McAlester on the date given, you need to send the following information to my office no later than 3:00 p.m. on the response date.

1. The name and work address of each reporter/photographer or other personnel to attend from your organization.
2. The name of the one reporter to be considered for selection as a media witness if you wish to have one considered.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Convicted in</u>	<u>Execution Date</u>	<u>Response Date</u>
Charles F. Warner	Oklahoma County	Thursday, January 15, 2015	Wednesday, January 14, 2015

There will be a maximum of five (5) media witnesses selected. First preference will be given to one local media representative in the market where the crime was committed and to the Associated Press. A lottery process will be used to select the one media witness from the market where the crime was committed. A lottery process will also be used to select the three remaining witnesses. Preference will be given to Oklahoma based media. Media witnesses must agree to the stipulations outlined in [Attachment E](#), titled News Media Statement After an Execution, contained in Execution Procedures, [OP-040301](#), Execution of Offenders Sentenced to Death. This procedure is available on the Department of Corrections website. This form ([Attachment E](#)) must be initialed and signed by the media witnesses and brought with them to the media center on the date of the execution.

Please e-mail, mail, or fax the requested information to:

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Email to: [jerry.massie@doc.state.ok.us](mailto:jerry.massie@doc.state.ok.us)  
The FAX number is (405) 425-2578

A media center will be established at the Jackie Brannon Correctional Center Visiting Building, opening at 3:00 p.m., on each execution date. (Note: Facility phones will not be available for use by the media.)

If you have further questions, please contact me at (405) 425-2520.