

## SELECT COMMITTEE SUBPOENAS “ALTERNATE ELECTORS” FROM SEVEN STATES

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**Bolton, MS**—Chairman Bennie G. Thompson (D-MS) today announced that, as part of its investigation into the January 6th attack on the U.S. Capitol and its causes, the Select Committee has issued subpoenas to 14 individuals who participated as purported “alternate electors” for former President Trump. The committee is seeking information from individuals who met and submitted purported Electoral-College certificates in seven states: Arizona, Georgia, Michigan, New Mexico, Nevada, Pennsylvania, and Wisconsin.

Chairman Thompson issued the following statement:

**“The Select Committee is seeking information about attempts in multiple states to overturn the results of the 2020 election, including the planning and coordination of efforts to send false slates of electors to the National Archives. We believe the individuals we have subpoenaed today have information about how these so-called alternate electors met and who was behind that scheme. We encourage them to cooperate with the Select Committee’s investigation to get answers about January 6th for the American people and help ensure nothing like that day ever happens again.”**

The Select Committee has obtained information that groups of individuals met on December 14th, 2020 in seven states carried by President Biden, then submitted bogus slates of Electoral-College votes for former President Trump. The so-called alternate electors from those states then transmitted the purported Electoral-College certificates to Congress, which multiple people advising former President Trump or his campaign used to justify delaying or blocking the certification of the election during the Joint Session of Congress on January 6th, 2021.

The Select Committee subpoenaed individuals listed as chairperson and secretary of each group of alternate electors:

- Nancy Cottle  
([https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Cottle%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule\\_Redacted.pdf](https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Cottle%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule_Redacted.pdf)), Chairperson, Arizona
- Loraine B. Pellegrino  
([https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Pellegrino%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule\\_Redacted.pdf](https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Pellegrino%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule_Redacted.pdf)), Secretary, Arizona
- David Shafer  
([https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Shafer%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule\\_Redacted.pdf](https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Shafer%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule_Redacted.pdf)), Chairperson, Georgia
- Shawn Still  
([https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Still%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule\\_Redacted.pdf](https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Still%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule_Redacted.pdf)), Secretary, Georgia
- Kathy Berden  
([https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Berden%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule\\_Redacted.pdf](https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Berden%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule_Redacted.pdf)), Chairperson, Michigan
- Mayra Rodriguez  
([https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Rodriguez%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule\\_Redacted.pdf](https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Rodriguez%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule_Redacted.pdf)), Secretary, Michigan
- Jewll Powdrell  
([https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Powdrell%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule\\_Redacted.pdf](https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Powdrell%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule_Redacted.pdf)), Chairperson, New Mexico
- Deborah W. Maestas  
([https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Maestas%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule\\_Redacted.pdf](https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20Maestas%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule_Redacted.pdf)), Secretary, New Mexico
- Michael J. McDonald  
([https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20McDonald%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule\\_Redacted.pdf](https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20McDonald%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule_Redacted.pdf)), Chairperson, Nevada
- James DeGraffenreid  
([https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20DeGraffenreid%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule\\_Redacted.pdf](https://january6th.house.gov/sites/democrats.january6th.house.gov/files/2022-1-28.BGT%20Letter%20to%20DeGraffenreid%20-%20Cover%20Letter%20and%20Schedule_Redacted.pdf)), Secretary, Nevada

