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Why isolate cases of child abuse where a gun was somehow involved—no matter how trivial—rather than addressing child abuse as a whole? Is there any credible data justifying this separation? No, there isn't. This isn't about protecting children—it's about pushing an agenda.

This is a public relations trick, a manipulative marketing tactic designed to create fear rather than solutions. There is no rational basis for this distinction, no data supporting it, and no honest argument to defend it.

Child abuse is a serious and horrific issue, one that demands our full attention and real solutions. Yet, instead of addressing the root causes, politicians are using it as a tool to score political points—turning a tragedy into an opportunity for fearmongering about firearms. That is not just dishonest; it is disgraceful.

Whoever conceived this scheme should be ashamed of themselves for exploiting such a heartbreaking issue for political gain. Weaponizing child abuse to promote an anti-gun agenda is beyond cynical—it's reprehensible.

To those pushing this narrative: Have you no decency?