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April 19, 2018

Nicholas Cocchi, Sheriff
Hampden County Sheriff's Department
626 Randall Road
Ludlow, MA 01056

Re: Plan of Correction - Hampden County Jail and House of Correction, Ludlow

Dear Sheriff Cocchi:

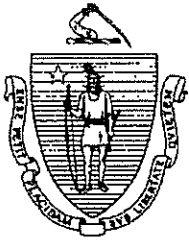
The Massachusetts Department of Public Health (Department) has received your Plan of Correction in response to my inspection on February 15, 16, and 23, 2018. After review, the Department finds the plan appropriately addresses all of the violations noted.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter, should you have any questions please contact me at the address listed above.

Sincerely,

Scott Koczela
Environmental Analyst, CSP, BEH

cc: Jana Ferguson, Director, BEH
Steven Hughes, Director, CSP, BEH
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April 23, 2018

Michael Rodrigues, Superintendent
MCI Concord
965 Elm Street
P.O. Box 9106
Concord, MA 01742

Re: Plan of Correction – MCI Concord

Dear Superintendent Rodrigues:

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health (Department) has received your Plan of Correction dated March 9, 2018. After review, the POC does not adequately address the violations noted in the report.

1. In instances where you indicate "Temperature adjusted", "Water adjusted", and "Water temp adjusted" please state if temperatures are now within compliance.
2. The Department would appreciate an anticipated date of repair for the ceiling windows leaking within the Islamic Chapel.
3. Please provide the corrective actions and estimated date of repair for the following violations:
 - a. The peeling paint and damaged baseboard on the Second Tier showers of C Building in SMU;
 - b. The damaged floor tiles and wall board damage in the Second Tier showers of Unit J1;
 - c. The damaged floor tiles in shower # 2 on the Third Tier of Unit J1;
 - d. The damaged floor in shower # 2 on the Second Tier of Unit J2;
 - e. The damaged floor tiles on the Second Tier showers of Unit J3;
 - f. Insufficient hot water temperature in the Staff Bathroom of Unit J2; and
 - g. Soap scum within the First Tier showers of Unit J2.
4. Your POC did not correct estimated dates of repair for several violations which extend beyond May 2018. These timeframes to correct appear to be excessive; the Department would appreciate these violations be corrected within a shorter time frame.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter, should you have any questions please contact me at the address listed above.

Sincerely,



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Environmental Health Inspector, CSP, BEH

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April 26, 2018

Michael Bellotti, Sheriff
Norfolk County Correctional Center
P.O. Box 149
200 West Street
Dedham, MA 02027

Re: Plan of Correction - Norfolk County House of Correction, Dedham

Dear Sheriff Bellotti:

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health (Department) has received your Plan of Correction dated April 17, 2018. After review, the Department finds the plan appropriately addresses all of the violations noted.

In regards to the issue of overcrowding, the Department appreciates the limitations of correctional facilities and the need to accommodate the ever-increasing population; however we remain concerned with the overcrowded conditions.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter, should you have any questions please contact me at the address listed above.

Sincerely,

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May 3, 2018

Steven P. Kenneway, Superintendent
MCI Shirley
P.O. Box 1218
Shirley, MA 01464

Re: Plan of Correction – MCI Shirley

Dear Superintendent Kenneway:

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health (Department) has received your Plan of Correction dated April 27, 2018. After review, the Department finds the plan appropriately addresses all of the violations noted in the report.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter, should you have any questions please contact me at the address listed above.

Sincerely,

Kerry Wagner, MPH
Environmental Health Inspector, CSP, BEH

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May 3, 2018

Steven Silva, Superintendent
Souza-Baranowski Correctional Center
P.O. Box 8000
Shirley, MA 01464

Re: Plan of Correction – Souza-Baranowski Correctional Center, Shirley

Dear Superintendent Silva:

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health (Department) has received your Plan of Correction in response to my inspection on February 13, 14, 15, and 16, 2018. After review, the Department finds the plan appropriately addresses all of the violations noted in the report with the following exceptions:

1. Your Plan of Correction (POC) does not provide a date of completion for work which requires DCAMM funding. While the Department understands you do not have control over DCAMM's allotment of funds, we cannot approve any item that does not identify a reasonable time frame for repair. The Department remains concerned with the uncorrected violations listed below and asks that you provide a plan describing the interim measures you have implemented to ensure the health and safety of inmates and staff. In addition, we ask to be kept apprised of the DCAMM funding progress.
 - a. Leaking 3-compartment sink within the kitchen;
 - b. Leaking hose attachment near the back door leading to the trash dock;
 - c. Water leaking from ceiling in Industries # CG-10; and
 - d. Floor, wall, and ceiling damage throughout the facility's showers.
2. Please provide an estimated date of repair for the following violations when they become available:
 - a. Floor tile damaged within several officer control booths;
 - b. Equipment padding damaged within the Officer's weight room # A2-37; and
 - c. Floor damage within the South S.M.U. kitchen # E2-8.
3. In instances where you indicate "Temperature adjusted," please confirm the temperatures were adjusted to the required temperature ranges for all handwash sinks and showers.
4. Please confirm the refrigerator was cleaned within the H.S.U. Break Room # B2-8.
5. In regards to the issue of overcrowding, the Department appreciates the limitations of correctional facilities and the need to accommodate the ever-increasing population; however we remain concerned with the overcrowded conditions.

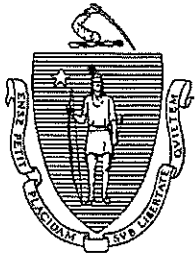
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May 3, 2018

Thomas Neville, Superintendent
Boston Pre-Release Center
430 Canterbury Street
Roslindale, MA 02131

Re: Plan of Correction – Boston Pre-Release Center, Roslindale

Dear Superintendent Neville:

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health (Department) has received your Plan of Correction dated April 5, 2018. After review, the Department finds the plan appropriately addresses all of the violations noted.

In regards to the issue of overcrowding, the Department appreciates the limitations of correctional facilities and the need to accommodate the ever-increasing population; however we remain concerned with the overcrowded conditions.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter, should you have any questions please contact me at the address listed above.

Sincerely,

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May 3, 2018

Steven W. Tompkins, Sheriff
Suffolk County Sheriff's Department
20 Bradston Street
Boston, MA 02118

Re: Plan of Correction – Suffolk County Jail, Boston

Dear Sheriff Tompkins:

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health (Department) has received your Plan of Correction in response to my inspection on March 23 and 26, 2018. After review, the Department finds the plan appropriately addresses all of the violations noted.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter, should you have any questions please contact me at the address listed above.

Sincerely,

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