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

Dear Superintendent Zoldak:

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health, (DPH) Community Sanitation Program (CSP) has received your Plan of Correction (POC) dated March 28, 2024 in response to a complaint-based unannounced inspection on February 13, 2024. After review, the CSP finds the plan appropriately addresses all of the violations noted in the report with the following exception:

The CSP appreciates the updated information relative to the floor resurfacing work throughout the Kitchen and replacing an oven which requires Capital funding. A separate POC submitted to the CSP dated May 5, 2024 noted the estimated date of repair for the floor resurfacing to be July 2025 and the estimated date for replacing the oven to be April 15, 2024. Please confirm this is the most up to date information for these repairs.

Sincerely,

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