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Dean Gray, Superintendent MCI Concord 965 Elm Street P.O. Box 9106 Concord, MA 01742 (electronic copy)

Re: Plan of Correction – MCI Concord

Dear Superintendent Gray:

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Community Sanitation Program (CSP) has received your Plan of Correction in response to my inspection of MCI Concord on March 12 and 13, 2024. After review, the CSP finds the plan appropriately addresses all the violations noted in the report with the following exceptions:

1. In regard to the issue of cell size, the CSP appreciates the limitations of correctional facilities and the need to accommodate the population; however we remain concerned.

The CSP, requests to be kept apprised of the closing of MCI Concord and that we be notified once the facility is no longer housing inmates.

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

Sincerely,

Amy Medeiros Environmental Health Inspector, CSP, BCEH

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