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Victor Correia, Superintendent Massachusetts Treatment Center 30 Administration Road Bridgewater, MA 02324 (electronic copy)

Re: Plan or Correction – Massachusetts Treatment Center, Bridgewater

Dear Superintendent Correia:

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Community Sanitation Program (CSP) has received your Plan of Correction in response to my inspection on May 25, 2022. After review, the CSP finds the plan appropriately addresses all the violations noted in the report with the following exception:

1. 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,

Patrick Wallace

Environmental Health Inspector, CSP, BEH

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