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Honorable Charles Campbell Presiding Judge of the Superior Court Ventura County Hall of Justice 800 So. Victoria Avenue Ventura, CA 93009

Dear Judge Campbell:

We have reviewed the Grand Jury's Adult Detention Facilities dated April 20, 1999. Per Section 919(b) of the California Penal Code, the Grand Jury is given the authority and responsibility to inquire into the condition and management of the public prisons within Ventura County

I concur with Findings 1-14 as noted in the report. Please note that the Grand Jury has made no recommendations requiring a response by the Sheriff's Department.

The employees of the Sheriff's Department and I appreciate the Grand Jury's comment that the Adult Detention facilities are operated in an efficient and effective manner.

Sincerely

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