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The Honorable Judge Vincent O'Neill, Jr.
Presiding Judge, Superior Court of California
County of Ventura
800 South Victoria Avenue
Ventura, CA 93009

Subject: Grand Jury Report, "Mandatory Detention Facilities Inspections"

Dear Judge O'Neill:

This letter is in response to the Grand Jury's Findings and Recommendations pertaining to the recent mandatory detention facilities inspections.

FINDINGS

Finding FI-01:

All places of incarceration in the County meet the minimum standards of the CSA for areas reviewed. (FA-01)

Response:

We concur with this finding.

Finding FI-02:

Holding facilities and jails in the County are doing a satisfactory job holding, pre-booking or booking, and incarcerating juveniles. Both Ojai and Camarillo facilities have innovative programs dealing with juveniles. (FA-01, FA-06)

Response:

We concur with this finding, and add that the City of Moorpark began a "Parenting Project" course along with the City of Thousand Oaks in January 2012.

Finding FI-03:

The following facilities excelled in overall cleanliness: Main Jail, Todd Road Jail, East Valley, Camarillo, Moorpark, and Simi Valley. (FA-01)

Response:

We concur with this finding.