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To: Sheriff Patrick J. Cahillane

From: Captain R. Hodgen 

Date: March 13, 2017

Re: 2016 PREA Aggregated Data

In accordance with 115.88 Data Review for Corrective Action, the HSO completes an annual report in order to assess and approve the effectiveness of sexual abuse, prevention, detection and response. Policies, practices and training by identifying problem areas and taking corrective action on an ongoing basis and reporting its findings and corrective actions.

The agency may redact specific material from the report when publication would present a clear and specific threat to safety and security of a facility but must indicate the nature of the material redacted.

PREA Data Collection

Through the use of our Review of Sexual Abuse/Assault Investigation Form we have aggregated the data in accordance with the PREA standards into the following table(s).

HAMPSHIRE JAIL & HOUSE OF CORRECTION

CATEGORY	INVESTIGATIVE OUTCOME			
	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	Unfounded	Line Total
Inmate-Inmate Sex Acts	0	0	0	0
Inmate-Inmate Sexual Abuse	1	0	0	1
Inmate-Inmate Sexual Harassment	1	0	0	1
Staff Sexual Misconduct	0	0	1	1
Staff-Inmate Sexual Harassment	0	0	0	0
Grand Total	2	0	1	3

HAMPSHIRE REGIONAL LOCK-UP

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Staff Sexual Misconduct	0	0	0	0
Staff-Inmate Sexual Harassment	0	0	0	0
Grand Total	0	0	0	0

Aggregated Data on Sexual Abuse Allegations and Comparison to Prior Use

The HSO has a Zero Tolerance Policy for Sexual Abuse. As such every allegation, report and/or discovery of sexual activity is investigated as if a PREA event occurred. Only after a full investigation are events defined as a PREA violation or otherwise (i.e., consensual but, unauthorized sexual activity that does not qualify as PREA).