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*Federal Correctional Institution
Dublin, California*

August 4, 2015

David Shiraishi, Area Director
U.S. Department of Labor
Occupational Safety and Health Administration
1301 Clay Street Suite 1080N
Oakland, CA. 94612

RE: Letter of Corrective Action
Inspection No. 1064234

Dear Mr. Shiraishi:

This is in response to the Notice of Unsafe or Unhealthy Working Conditions, dated July 16, 2015.

HAZARD DESCRIPTION/LOCATION:

Notice 1 Item 1

29 CFR 1910.132 (a): Protective equipment was not maintained in a sanitary and reliable condition:
Throughout FCI Dublin: The bullet proof vests provided by the employer were not available to employees in the necessary sizes, had exceeded their manufacture-designated service life, and were not kept in sanitary condition.

Response:

The OSHA inspector noted older manufacturing dates on a small number of the ballistic vest carriers in FCI Dublin's armory. Upon review of the full inventory, FCI Dublin confirmed the older dates on a small percentage of ballistic vest carriers, and has ordered replacement vests for over half of its inventory. Currently, FCI Dublin has 38 ballistic vests on-site, varying in sizes from Female size small to 3XL. FCI Dublin maintains an adequate range of sizes for our employees, and all replacement vests will maintain the adequate size range. Please see attached Purchase Order for the ballistic vests.

In addition, the sanitation schedule for the vest carriers was performed quarterly on a regular basis and as-needed if visibly soiled. FCI Dublin will increase the regularly scheduled

sanitation to a monthly basis.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at 925-833-7534.

Sincerely,



Vincent Reed
Environmental Safety Compliance Administrator