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**Re: Demand for Cold Weather Clothing**

Dear Ms. Mendelson:

I write to update you on the purchase of sweatshirts for inmates in the Sacramento County jails. The Sheriff's Office (SSO) has selected a vendor, and orders have been placed to receive sweatshirts. SSO has purchased enough sweatshirts to provide one to each inmate in the County jails. Selecting a vendor was delayed for a few days because SSO needed to find a vendor capable of providing sweatshirts that match the clothing colors of the current jail clothing issue.

It is anticipated that the delivery of sweatshirts will take a number of weeks. In the interim, SSO will be developing a policy or general order to set forth when the sweatshirts will be issued to each inmate. The County will provide a draft of that policy to you prior to promulgating it.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you wish to discuss this matter further.

Sincerely,

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