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Joseph M. Valenti, Warden
Ocean County Department of Corrections
120 Hooper Road
Toms River, NJ 08753

Dear Warden Valenti:

On April 22-26, 2024, the Department of Corrections, through its Office of County Services, conducted an inspection of the *Ocean County Department of Corrections*. The authority to perform the inspection is granted by N.J.S.A. 30:1-15 while the actual inspection was conducted to determine compliance with the requirements of N.J.A.C. 10A:31, the "Manual of Standards for New Jersey Adult County Correctional Facilities." Enclosed for your review and information is a copy of this inspection report.

As a result of this inspection, it is my pleasure to inform you that the County of Ocean was found to be in full compliance with the requirements of N.J.A.C. 10A:31. You and your staff are congratulated on this achievement and are to be commended for the efforts made in preparation for this inspection.

In closing, I would like to thank you for the courtesies extended to Ms. Jackson-Lee of this office over this five-day period.

Should you have any questions concerning this report, or any involving this matter of mutual interest, please feel free to contact the Office of County Services at 609-292-4036 Ext. 5468.

Sincerely,


Christopher Holmes, Assistant Commissioner
Division of Operations

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