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Honorable Lance Africk  
United States District Court  
500 Poydras Street, Room C405  
New Orleans, LA 70130

Re: *Jones, et al. v. Gusman, et al.*  
EDLA No. 2:12-cv-00859

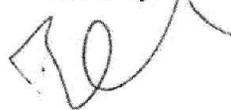
Dear Judge Africk:

As Mr. Rosenberg advised in his July 3, 2013 letter, counsel for the Sheriff and the City have worked with, and continue to work with, our respective clients to expeditiously address the concerns raised by the Court with respect to the new jail construction. As this is a substantial undertaking, counsel for both the Sheriff and the City agree that the parties should be able to advise the Court of their intentions by Thursday, August 1, 2013. It is our understanding that between today and that date, the OPSO design team and the City intend to meet and further discuss viability of temporary and long term solutions to provision of cost-effective housing of all inmates.

Should you have questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at your convenience.

With kind regards, I remain

Sincerely,



Blake J. Arcuri