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MEMORANDUM

TO: Latoya Hughes, Acting Director, Illinois Department of Corrections

FROM: Senator David Koehler, Co-Chairman

Representative C.D. Davidsmeyer, Co-Chairman

RE: Request for an Update on Stateville and Logan Correctional Centers

As part of its responsibilities under the State Facilities Closure Act, the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability (CGFA) requests an update on the planned closures of the Stateville and Logan Correctional Centers.

During the public hearings, the Department of Corrections indicated that Stateville Correctional Center would close in the near future and be replaced with a new facility on the same site. The closure of Logan Correctional Center was projected to occur over a longer, yet undefined period (three to five years), with a potential replacement facility also being considered at the Stateville location.

To assist the Commission in monitoring the progress of these closures, we request an update addressing the following questions:

- 1. What is the current operational status of both facilities?
- 2. How many inmates are currently housed at each facility?
- 3. What actions have been taken to advance the closure process for each facility?
- 4. Is there any new information regarding the plan for closure and reconstruction of Stateville Correctional Center?
- 5. Has a more definitive timeline been established for the closure of Logan Correctional Center? Additionally, is the plan still to rebuild at the Stateville site?

Please direct any questions regarding this request to Clayton Klenke, Executive Director of CGFA. We appreciate your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Senator David Koehler

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