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Benjamin D. Fox
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Mr. Fox:

We understand that all State Agencies are struggling to operate during these challenging economic times; however, it is imperative that I outline the consequences of such budget actions. While the nation and our citizens face a weakening economy and job market, our agency is bracing for an increase in recidivism among our current population and increase in new criminal activity. The deteriorating agent workforce and the elimination of effective programs for offenders is a recipe for an increase in crime.

Every consideration should be made in favor of the public safety during these difficult financial times. As we move forward, our agency will continue to Prepare, Provide and Protect the citizens to the best of our ability with the resources we have.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Samuel Glover".

Samuel Glover
Director