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FROM: DUSTIN JAMES POWELL #308033  
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Dear Ma'am or Sir,

I am incarcerated at Ridgeland C.I. (S.C.D.C.) and I have a complaint that I would like to submit to your Office of Ombudsman. I am housed in Charleston B-wing (dorm) and our unit went on "lock-down" two weeks ago and I've been told that we are on "Security Detention". There are approximately 150 inmates housed on this wing and we haven't had a shower since we've went on "lock-down" or "Security Detention". We are being subjected to very unsanitary conditions. The security staff has also failed to let us clean our cells during this time.

If there is ANY way you can help with right-ing this wrong, please help. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

*Dustin J. Powell*

12-22-14

