

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES PROBATION DEPARTMENT

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VIA E-MAIL

Eloisa Tuitama Staff Counsel Board of State and Community Corrections 2590 Venture Oaks Way Sacramento, CA 95833 <u>Eloisa.Tuitama@bscc.ca.gov</u>

Re: **Request for Reinspection of Los Padrinos Juvenile Hall**

Dear Ms. Tuitama:

I write to request that the BSCC reinspect Los Padrinos Juvenile Hall at its earliest convenience to confirm its compliance with staffing requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations Title 15, Section 1321 ("Section 1321").

As you know, the BSCC found Los Padrinos Juvenile Hall unsuitable for the confinement of juveniles on October 14, 2024, based on alleged non-compliance with Section 1321. Probation's position remains that Los Padrinos was in fact in compliance with Section 1321 when the BSCC issued its October 14, 2024, notice of facility unsuitability, and that it has remained in compliance since. For this reason, we submitted an appeal on January 8, 2025, of the BSCC's continued finding of non-compliance after its December 5-6, 2024, reinspection of Los Padrinos. As we understand it, that appeal remains pending with Executive Director Aaron Maguire.

Nonetheless, we see no reason to delay reinspection by the BSCC. We await your response to coordinate scheduling and logistics. As always, please do not hesitate to reach out to me directly if you would like to discuss further.

Thank you,

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Guillermo Viera Rosa Chief Probation Officer County of Los Angeles Probation Department

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