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CRIMINAL JUSTICE DIVISION

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Kenny Lemons  
Sheriff  
Clay County Sheriff's Office  
215 West Gilbert Street  
Henrietta, Texas 76365

RE: Site Visit - kenny.lemons@co.clay.tx.us  
Conducted On - 9/26/2014

Sheriff Lemons:

Thank you for the time and assistance provided during the onsite visit regarding compliance with the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (JJDP) Act of 2002.

As has been discussed previously, CJD is monitoring for compliance with three core requirements within the Act. The requirements that pertain to your facility are:

- **Deinstitutionalization of Status Offenders (DSO)**  
The state must ensure that status offenders and non-offenders are not placed in secure detention or secure correctional facilities.
- **Sight and Sound Separation**  
The state must ensure that juveniles do not have sight or sound contact with adult inmates.
- **Jail Removal**  
The state must ensure that juveniles are not detained or confined in any adult jail or lockup.

The visit provided valuable information with regards to your handling of juvenile offenders. After the visit and review of the documentation provided, CJD has found that your facility is in compliance with the JJDP Act. No further action is required.

Again, CJD appreciates the assistance you provided during this review. Should you have any questions, you can reach me at 512/463-1919 or by email at [norma.rodriguez@governor.state.tx.us](mailto:norma.rodriguez@governor.state.tx.us).

Sincerely,

Norma Rodriguez  
Compliance Monitor