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SUSAN LAPSLEY
Director



April 28, 2008

Michael St. Martin
CO-000414-3, RRU-7
P.O. BOX 5003
Coalinga, CA 93210

Re: CTU2008-0321-01

Dear Mr. St. Martin:

On March 21, 2008 the Office of Administrative Law received your petition alleging that the Department of Mental Health has issued, used, enforced, or attempted to enforce an underground regulation. The specific alleged underground regulation is Administrative Directive No. 624 dealing with individuals' mail and packages.

After reviewing your petition and the accompanying documentation, we accept the petition for consideration. Pursuant to Title 1, California Code of Regulations, section 270, please note the following time table:

Publication of Petition in Notice Register: May 9, 2008

Deadline for Public Comment: June 9 2008

Deadline for Agency Response: June 23, 2008

Deadline for Petitioner Rebuttal: No later than 15 days after receipt of the agency's response

Deadline for OAL Decision: September 8, 2008

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Susan Lapsley".

Susan Lapsley
Director