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Ref: Inmate deaths at the Volusia County Division of Corrections

Dear Mr. Ivey:

VolusiaExposed.Com is aware that recently the Volusia County Division of Corrections (VCDC) sent to you an investigative packet regarding the March 27, 2011 death of Inmate Heidi Wooley.

The June 20, 2011 letter sent to your office from VCDC indicates that your office will conduct a review of this death.

We highly recommend that FDLE conduct more than just a simple review of this and other deaths at VCDC.

As you are probably aware - prior to 1998, all jail in-custody deaths received an intensive investigation by the Office of the Florida Prison Inspector. However, the Prison Inspector no longer investigates deaths within county jails.

Below we have linked our website pages that detail our concerns over several inmate deaths at the Volusia County Division of Corrections.

Our concerns are amplified due to the fact that the Volusia County Medical Examiner's office is operated by Volusia County and within the same department as the county jail. Further, as you will see in your

review of our website, we have a concern regarding a conflict of interest within the county legal department and the Volusia County Sheriff Office (VCSO) that we feel might have influenced any investigative findings by the VCSO.

It is our sincere desire that FDLE investigate these concerns – but absent your agency's willingness to investigate these deaths – it is our desire to memorialize our attempts to gain FDLE's attention to the seriousness of these concerns. We anticipate that our concerns will quickly become entangled within the 2012 political arena, as evidenced by the following website.

<http://www.bradfordforvolusiasheriff.com/>

Thank You  
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(see below links)

Inmate Tracy Veira's 2009 in-custody death – Main concern – falsification of official records by jail officials – VCSO investigators initial acknowledgement that the documents did not appear to be consistent with the condition of the inmate's body – but VCSO official failed to follow up or address these initially documented concerns.  
<http://volusiaexposed.com/corrections/veiradeath.html?veiradeath.html=1307>

Inmate Heidi Wooley's 2011 in-custody death – Main concerns (thus far VolusiaExposed.Com is still reviewing the paperwork) – Prison Health Services failure to properly complete an intake medical screening, thus possibly causing a 12 hour delay in her receiving the proper medications to address her alcohol and drug withdrawals – Correctional Officers apparent failure to immediately start CPR – these officers are all first responders and CPR certified.  
<http://volusiaexposed.com/corrections/wooleydeath.html>

Other in-custody deaths of concern are located at this webpage.  
<http://volusiaexposed.com/corrections/incustodydeaths.html>