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Record of Variance Action

Draft – to be considered on November 10, 2015.

The Board plans to vote on whether to approve or deny the variance request described in this document. The Board additionally plans to vote on whether to attach a condition to the variance. That proposed condition is described in this document as well.

On November 10, 2015, the NYC Board of Correction voted to APPROVE/RENEW/DENY the Department of Correction's request for a continuing variance from BOC Minimum Standard 1-03, regarding limited recreation for inmates in the Communicable Disease Units at the West Facility

This variance enables the Department to provide meaningful indoor recreation activities, for inmates unable to participate in outdoor recreation for medical reasons.

Type of variance: Continuing

Date on which variance will commence: November 10, 2015

Time period, if any: N/A

Minimum Standard for which variance is granted: 1-03

Date on which Board of Correction first approved variance (for renewals only): N/A

PROPOSED requirements imposed as conditions on variance: DOC provides daily newspapers and books and magazines, in English and Spanish, as appropriate.