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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY COVID-19 INFORMATIONAL AND PROCEDURAL UPDATES (6/5/20)

(HONOLULU) - There are no confirmed cases of COVID-19 in the prisons or jails.

PSD Population Report

Please see the March 2 to June 5 population decrease report below. The jail reductions are due to the up-front diversion efforts made by county police departments, PSD's Intake Services Center Division and the State Judiciary. Additional recent reductions are due to the collaborative efforts of the state public defender's office, county prosecutors, the Hawai'i Supreme Court and the Supreme Court appointed Special Master, Judge Dan Foley. As the focus has shifted to the sentenced prison population, reports now include the prisons.

PSD Population Report			Population Decrease
Jail (Operational Capacity)	2-Mar	5-Jun	
HCCC (226)	395	277	-118
KCCC (128)	143	120	-23
MCCC (301)	450	274	-176
OCCC (954)	1201	819	-382
TOTAL	2189	1490	-699
Prison (Operational Capacity)	2-Mar	5-Jun	
HCF (1124)	957	924	-33
KCF (200)	161	170	9
WCCC (260)	239	218	-21
WCF (334)	194	247	53
SAGUARO (1926)	1226	1127	-99
TOTAL	2777	2686	-91

Note: The jail population decreases reflected for the time period in the graph above are inclusive of all reasons for release ordered by the courts. The prison population decreases reflected for the time period in the graph above include a combination of normal releases for

time served, cases reviewed for parole approval in the normal course of business by the Hawaii Paroling Authority (HPA), and cases reviewed by HPA earlier than normal in consideration of the pandemic situation.

Inmate Testing

The latest Inmate Testing Report is at: PSD COVID-19 information and resources webpage.

For more information on PSD's response to COVID-19 and information detailing efforts to safeguard inmates, staff and the public, visit: http://dps.hawaii.gov/blog/2020/03/17/coronavirus-covid-19-information-and-resources/

Please sign up for PSD alerts and notifications through the AlertSense notification system by going to https://hawaiiPSD.myfreealerts.com. Residents can download the free AlertSense mobile app for Android and Apple devices, or text their zip code to 38276 to instantly sign up.

(Note: schedules and information included in this news release are subject to change at a moment's notice as the overall situation and the State's response to COVID-19 evolves day-by-day.)

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