MEMORANDUM

TO: Interested Parties

FROM: Susan W. Shaffer

DATE: August 17, 2006

RE: July 2006 Drug Test Statistics (Adult Arrestees)

Drug testing of adult arrestees for July 2006 revealed an increase in the level of substance abuse detected for cocaine, which was up 3% from June, to 41%. The level of substance abuse detected for opiates decreased 1% from the previous month to 9%, while PCP remained the same at 9%.

The overall number of adult arrestees testing positive for at least one drug was 1,134 of the 2,298 screened, or 49% -- up 3% from the previous month.

The breakdown of July 2006 test results is as follows:

- Total positive for PCP -- 213 (9% of those tested, 19% of all positive)
- Total positive for Opiates -- 216 (9% of those tested, 19% of all positive)
- Total positive for Cocaine -- 942 (41% of those tested, 83% of all positive)
DRUG TESTING OF ADULT ARRESTEES
August 2005 - July 2006
ADULT ARRESTEE PCP POSITIVE RATES
District of Columbia Pretrial Services Agency
Prepared by DCPSA Office of Forensic Research
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