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MAYOR

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Mr. Paul A. Quander, Jr.
Director
Court Services and Offender Supervision Agency
633 Indiana Avenue, N.E.
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Dear Mr. Quander,

Please accept my congratulations on the second anniversary of the Court Services and Offender Supervision Agency Faith Community Partnership's Mentorship and the District's Re-entry Initiative. This is a vitally important effort to assist our city's re-entrants in their transition through the provision of social services and community supports.

As you know, I have made re-entry a priority of my Administration through the establishment of a Re-entry Steering Committee, which includes CSOSA, other criminal justice system partners, District Government agencies. The Committee's goal is to ensure the provision of appropriate re-entry services to youth and adults in the District of Columbia.

I look forward to working closely with you and your agency as the District's Re-entry Initiative continues to develop. The Faith/Community Partnership is a wonderful example of the benefits that can be realized through the collaboration of public, private, and non-profit entities.

The citizens of the District of Columbia certainly benefit from our partnership and I want to take this opportunity to express my support for this worthy effort.

Sincerely,


Anthony A. Williams