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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

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ESSEX COUNTY JAIL ANNEX INMATES, :
COREY WEBB, THOMAS ARMOUR, :
FREDERICK W. BOOKER, JAMES SIMON, :
RONALD MCCLENDON, ROSETTA DRAKE, :
CANDACE JOHNSON, ROSALIND ROBINSON, : CIVIL ACTION
on behalf of themselves and all :
other persons similarly situated : Docket No. 87-871

Plaintiffs, (Civil Rights Claims)

v.

NICHOLAS AMATO, Essex County Executive, :
THOMAS THOMPSON, Acting Administrator, :
THOMAS GIBLIN, President, Essex County :
Board of Chosen Freeholders, :
CARDELL COOPER, ADRIANNE DAVIS, :
JOHN ALATI, JAMES CAVANAUGH, :
PEARL BEATTY, ARTHUR CLAY AND MONROE :
JAY LUSTBADER, Members Essex County :
Board of Chosen Freeholders, :
EMILY WEBER, Acting Director, :
Department of Public Safety, and their :
Successors in Office, individually and :
in their official capacities, :

and

WILLIAM H. FAUVER, Commissioner :
New Jersey Department of Corrections, :
and his successor in office, :
individually and in their official :
capacity, :

Defendants.

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NOTICE

TO ALL INMATES CONFINED IN THE ESSEX COUNTY JAIL ANNEX,
CALDWELL, NEW JERSEY

The United States District Court for the District of New Jersey, has determined that this suit is a class action brought on behalf of all persons who are now incarcerated, or who may be incarcerated during the pendency of the lawsuit, in the Essex County Jail Annex, Caldwell, New Jersey.

The Complaint, which is the legal document by which the lawsuit was started, charges that inmates at the Essex County Jail Annex have been deprived of rights protected by provisions of the Constitution of the United States because of the overcrowded conditions existing at the Jail Annex, and certain practices, policies and procedures governing the Jail Annex.

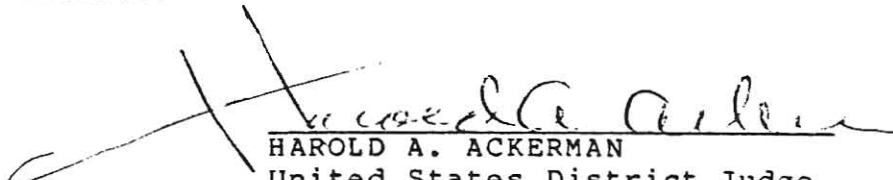
These allegations were made by the plaintiffs on their own behalf and on behalf of all other inmates. The Complaint was filed with the Court on March 9, 1987.

The suit seeks an injunction to prohibit maintaining overcrowded conditions at the Jail Annex and certain policies affecting conditions at the Jail Annex.

The lawsuit is complex and involves many issues. The Federal Court has not yet determined whether or not the charges are true, or what final relief, if any, the plaintiffs are entitled to.

The plaintiffs are represented by the Office of Inmate Advocacy of the New Jersey Public Defender, by attorneys T. Gary Mitchell and Audrey Bomse, CN 850, Trenton, New Jersey 08625. The interests of all inmates whether or not they are named as plaintiffs will be represented by the present plaintiffs and their attorneys. If any inmate wishes to intervene personally in the action, however, he or she (or an attorney on his or her behalf) may file a Motion to Intervene with the Clerk of the United States District Court, United States Courthouse, Newark, New Jersey 08605.

It is ORDERED that a copy of this Notice be given to each inmate now confined at the Essex County Jail Annex, and by the admitting officer to each inmate committed to the Essex County Jail Annex during the pendency of this lawsuit. Plaintiffs' counsel shall provide the copies of the Notice for distribution and shall be notified by the admitting officer when the supply of Notices at the Jail Annex drops to fifty (50) copies in order to provide further copies for distribution to inmates.


HAROLD A. ACKERMAN
United States District Judge

DATED: November 9, 1987