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A RESOLUTION

BY THE PUBLIC SAFETY AND LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

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ADOPTED BY

SEP 18 2000

COUNCIL

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First Reading

Committee Public Safety
Date September 12, 2000
Chair Councilman C. T. Martin

Committee

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FINAL COUNCIL ACTION

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Readings

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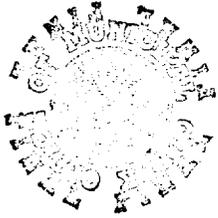
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MAYOR'S ACTION

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CITY COUNCIL
ATLANTA, GEORGIA

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WHEREAS, a fire, chemical spill, power failure, inmate disturbance, or other significant incident in a jail may require the intervention of a large law enforcement force and/or the immediate evacuation of inmates from the facility; and

WHEREAS, the nature and magnitude of such incidents may require the activation and mobilization of a scope of personnel, vehicular and institutional resources which are not immediately available within City agencies alone; and

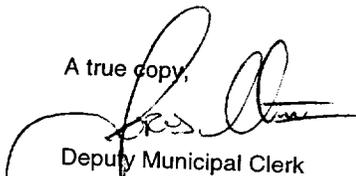
WHEREAS, surrounding jurisdictions may potentially encounter similar operational crisis and therefore in the interest of promoting the public safety, are willing to provide that mutual assistance which is necessary and appropriate to effectively resolve such situations.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA** that the Mayor or his designee is authorized to execute a Memoranda of Understanding with the U.S. Penitentiary in Atlanta, and the Dekalb and Fulton County Jails, to provide mutual assistance in emergency situations.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Mayor or his designee is authorized to reimburse the aforementioned agencies for the reasonable costs of all supplies expended and/or damaged and the salaries of all personnel involved in emergency situations in the Atlanta jail system beyond the initial response.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby rescinded.

A true copy,



Deputy Municipal Clerk

ADOPTED by the City Council
APPROVED by the Mayor

September 18, 2000
September 26, 2000



**United States Department of Justice
Federal Bureau of Prisons**

**United States Penitentiary
601 McDonough Boulevard
Atlanta, Georgia 30315**

**City of Atlanta
Department of Corrections**

**Atlanta City Detention Center
254 Peachtree Street, S.W.
Atlanta, Georgia 30303**

**Atlanta City Detention Center/Annex
236 Peachtree Street, S.W.
Atlanta, Georgia 30303**

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This following document provides the guidelines in which the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia may provide emergency assistance to the Atlanta Department of Corrections. Also, this document provides for the recognition of what assistance can be provided to the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, by the Atlanta Department of Corrections. Emergency assistance may be provided by the United States Penitentiary. A law enforcement emergency is an unusual situation which requires law enforcement intervention, and which is, or which threatens to be, of serious proportions, and State and local resources are inadequate to protect the lives and property of citizens or to enforce the criminal law in a situation identified as requiring prompt action.

EMERGENCY TRANSPORTATION

The United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, may provide, as available, four (4) forty (40) passenger buses and four (4) ten (10) passenger escort vans for the purpose of transporting inmate incarcerated in the Atlanta City Detention Center and/or Annex upon request. Qualified staff from the United States Penitentiary will be assigned as drivers for all vehicles. Sufficient staff must be assigned from the Atlanta City Detention Center and/or Annex to provide and maintain security on board each vehicle use. The United States Penitentiary will not be considered to have assumed custody of the inmates that are being transported in vehicles provided by the United States Penitentiary. In turn, the Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex may provide five (5) 40 passenger prison buses and six (6) ten (10) passenger escort vans, as available for the purpose of transporting inmates incarcerated at the United States penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia upon request. Qualified staff from the Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex will assigned as drivers for all vehicles and sufficient staff must be assigned from the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, to provide and maintain security on board each vehicle in use.

DETENTION

Inmates from the Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex may be taken into custody by the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia. Detention of inmates from the Atlanta Detention Center and Annex will be contingent upon the conclusion of the emergency situation or until arrangements have been made for the transportation of the inmates who are temporarily detained by the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia to an alternative facility.



Inmates from the Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex may also be temporarily detained on board transport vehicles, buses or vans, for the expedited transportation to another facility. If custody of these inmates is assumed by the Federal Bureau of Prisons, staff from the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, will be utilized to maintain and ensure the security of the affected vehicles during detention and transportation.

LOGISTICAL SUPPORT

Upon request, the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, may provide emergency supplies when necessary to protect the safety of others. Supplies such as blankets, food, clothing, medical equipment/supplies may be provided. Machinery, vehicles and other emergency mechanical equipment such as generators, may also be provided. Staff from the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, will normally be utilized to operate all equipment, machinery and vehicles that are afforded to the Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex have indicated their staff is competent to use such equipment. Use of any and all supplies, equipment, machinery and vehicles shall be provided and made available to the Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex only until the emergency situation is controlled and the public safety is no longer endangered.

WEAPONS/AMMUNITION/CHEMICAL AGENTS

The United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, upon request, can provide weapons, ammunition and chemical agents to the Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex. There is also an adequate amount of chemical agents available for uses as well as grenade or hand delivered chemical agents.

Documentary confirmation must be attached to this MOU indicating staff at the Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex is qualified and competent to use any and all weapons, ammunition and chemical agents provided by the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia. USP, Atlanta staff may not use weapons, ammunition, or chemical agents, unless authorized by the Deputy Attorney General or the Directors of the Bureau of Prisons.

PERIMETER SECURITY

Staff from the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, may not provide perimeter security assistance. However, if necessary, staff from the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, may be utilized to support or replace staff at the Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex, to include manning posts or assignments inside the facility in order to permit staff from the Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex to perform primary duties when the possibility of arrests or contact with the public or media is present.

ESCAPE HUNTS

Staff from the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia will not be authorized to participate in or assist staff from the Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex in conducting escape hunts or searches for an inmate or inmates who have escaped from custody from the Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex Staff from the United States Penitentiary may be requested and utilized to supplement or replace Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex staff, allowing these staff to participate in an escape hunt if necessary.



MEDICAL SUPPORT

Upon request, qualified medical staff from the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, may be utilized to provide immediate, short term treatment to inmates as a result of an emergency situation. This assistance may include the use of medical equipment and supplies when the training and expertise of the requested medical staff is warranted.

HOSTAGE NEGOTIATION

Trained and qualified hostage negotiators from the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia may, upon request, provide background guidance and consultation to the Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex. Active participation in negotiations requires the approval of the Director, Southeast Region, Federal Bureau of Prisons.

FOOD SERVICE SUPPORT

Upon request, Food Service staff from the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, may be used to provide assistance to the Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex. This assistance and support may include the use of all available equipment and the furnishing of necessary food service supplies and food stuffs that is deemed necessary.

DISTURBANCE CONTROL/SORT TEAMS

The United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, may provide, upon request, disturbance control squads to provide assistance or to supplement Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex staff if the situation warrants. Authorization must however be obtained through direct contact with the Regional Director, Southeast Region, Director of the Bureau of Prisons and the Deputy Attorney General of the United States.

FINANCIAL REIMBURSEMENT

In the event an emergency situation arises at the Atlanta Detention Center and/or Annex and assistance is requested of the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, reimbursement for all supplies, expended and/or damaged, and salaries of all personnel beyond the initial response time, will be made at the current replacement cost or payroll schedule. In the event an emergency situation arises at the United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, and assistance is requested of the Atlanta Department of Corrections, reimbursement for actual costs will be made under the foregoing terms.

W. Scott, Warden
USP, Atlanta, Georgia

Tom Pocock, Chief
Atlanta Department of Corrections

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Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT

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ADOPT

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NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 2
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 1

SEE ATTACHED LISTING OF
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ON CONSENT AGENDA

Y McCarty	Y Dorsey	Y Moore	Y Thomas
Y Starnes	NV Woolard	B Martin	Y Emmons
Y Bond	Y Morris	Y Maddox	Y Alexander
Y Winslow	Y Muller	Y Boazman	NV Pitts

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