REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE

Pursuant to P.A. 245 of 2008 Section 403(6)

MPRI Parolees Tested Positive for Substances and Department Imposed Sanctions March 2009 - August 2009

Section 403(6) of 2008 P.A. 245 requires that the Department of Corrections provide biannual reports on parolees who participated in the MPRI and have tested positive for substances in the previous 6 months. The report shall include any sanctions imposed by the department in response to the positive substance test.

Number of Official MPRI Participants Active on Parole During March 2009 to August 2009:	13,063
Number of Official MPRI Participants with Positive Substance Abuse Tests on Parole During March 2009 to August 2009:	3,355
Total Number of Instances of Positive Substance Abuse Tests ¹ :	8,567

Responses for Positive Substance Abuse Tests²

Responses	N
Add Special Condition(s)	20
Continue in Treatment	4,164
Elevate to Supervisor's Response *	298
Increase Supervision Level	78
Miscellaneous Other	36
Substance Abuse Treatment Referral	2,269
Verbal Warning	1,721
Total	8,586

^{*} Formal violation referred to supervisor for action. A positive substance abuse test may be just one of other violations and behaviors that may lead to the parole revocation process.

Number of Instances of Positive Substance Abuse Tests (per parolee)

Instances	Parolees	%
0	9,705	74%
1	1,446	11%
2	725	6%
3	429	3%
4 or more	758	6%
Total	13,063	100%

Note: All data are for official MPRI participants active on parole during March 2009 to August 2009.

¹ Some individuals have multiple positive tests during this time period.

² Some individuals have multiple responses during this time period.