

Exhibit A

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT**

SUFFOLK, ss.

SJC-12926

COMMITTEE FOR PUBLIC COUNSEL SERVICES AND
MASSACHUSETTS ASSOCIATION OF CRIMINAL DEFENSE LAWYERS,
Petitioners,

v.

CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE TRIAL COURT, ET AL.,
Respondents

SPECIAL MASTER’S WEEKLY REPORT

Pursuant to the Supreme Judicial Court’s April 3, 2020 Opinion and Order in this matter, as amended on April 10, April 28 and June 23, 2020 (the “Order”), the attached Appendix contains the Special Master’s weekly report for the period ending September 16, 2020.

The Appendix contains charts reflecting the following information for each of the correctional facilities administered by the Department of Correction and each of the county Sheriffs’ offices: (i) overall inmate population; (ii) the number of COVID-19 tests administered by the correctional facilities for all inmates, correctional officers, or other staff members, including contractors; (iii) the number of confirmed positive COVID-19 cases for all inmates, correctional officers, or other staff members, including contractors; and (iv) the number of inmates released pursuant to the procedures or guidance set forth in the Order since April 3, 2020. Any figures presented in red in the attached Appendix reflect amendments or corrections to figures in a prior Special Master’s Weekly Report.

As of September 16, 3,342 inmates have been released from state and county correctional facilities.

Dated: September 17, 2020

/s/ Brien T. O’Connor
Special Master Brien T. O’Connor,
Ropes & Gray LLP

Appendix

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Weekly Report for County Jails

Plymouth County																					
Plymouth County Correctional Facility																					
Reporting Date	Incarceration and Release Stats			Number of COVID-19 Tests Administered by Correctional Facility/Facilities			Total Number of COVID-19 Tests Administered by Correctional Facility/Facilities			Number of Confirmed COVID-19 Cases			Total Number of Confirmed COVID-19 Cases			Current Number of Active COVID-19 Cases			Total Number of Confirmed COVID-19 Deaths		
	Total Inmate Population	Inmates Released Since SJC Order	Total # Inmates Released Per SJC Order	Inmates	Correctional Officers	Other Staff	Inmates	Correctional Officers	Other Staff	Inmates	Correctional Officers	Other Staff	Inmates	Correctional Officers	Other Staff	Inmates	Correctional Officers	Other Staff	Inmates	Correctional Officers	Other Staff
5-Apr to 12-Apr	765	19	19	5	10	5	5	10	5	0	0	1	0	0	1						
13-Apr to 19-Apr	704	23	42	1	0	2	6	10	7	0	0	0	0	0	1						
20-Apr to 26-Apr	674	3	45	3	0	0	9	10	7	0	0	0	0	0	1						
27-Apr to 3-May	666	3	48	6	0	0	15	10	7	1	1	3	1	1	4						
4-May to 10-May	651	5	53	2	0	0	17	10	7	0	0	0	1	1	4						
11-May to 17-May	640	0	53	1	0	0	18	10	7	0	0	1	1	1	5						
18-May to 25-May	632	0	53	4	0	0	22	10	7	1	0	0	2	1	5						
26-May to 31-May	627	0	53	3	0	0	25	10	7	0	0	0	2	1	5						
1-Jun to 7-Jun	621	0	53	2	0	0	27	10	7	0	0	1	2	1	6						
8-Jun to 14-Jun	605	0	53	4	0	0	31	10	7	0	0	0	2	1	6						
15-Jun to 21-Jun	583	1	54	4	0	0	35	10	7	0	0	0	2	1	6						
22-Jun to 28-Jun	580	0	54	15	0	0	50	10	7	1	0	0	3	1	6						
29-Jun to 8-Jul	587	0	54	0	0	0	50	10	7	0	0	0	3	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
9-Jul to 15-Jul	587	0	54	4	0	0	54	10	7	0	0	0	3	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
16-Jul to 22-Jul	580	0	54	1	0	0	55	10	7	0	0	0	3	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0

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23-Jul to 29-Jul	598	0	54	7	0	0	62	10	7	0	0	0	3	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
30-Jul to 5-Aug	592	0	54	2	0	0	64	10	7	1	0	0	4	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
6-Aug to 12-Aug	604	0	54	3	0	0	67	10	7	0	0	0	4	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
13-Aug to 19-Aug	604	0	54	2	0	0	69	10	7	0	0	0	4	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
20-Aug to 26-Aug	612	0	54	2	0	0	71	10	7	0	0	0	4	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
27-Aug to 2-Sept	615	0	54	1	0	0	72	10	7	0	0	0	4	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
3-Sept to 9-Sept	616	0	54	1	0	0	73	10	7	0	1	0	4	2	6	0	1	0	0	0	0
10-Sept to 16-Sept	622	0	54	0	0	0	73	10	7	0	0	1	4	2	7	0	1	1	0	0	0