

November 19, 2021

Notice of Declaratory Statement

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Florida Department of Corrections received a Petition for Declaratory Statement on October 27, 2021, from inmate Christopher Thomas, DC# 186326.

The petitioner seeks the opinion of the Department regarding the Department's policies and procedures concerning inmate recreation as they relate to compliance with ADA standards and paragraph 20.315(d)(1), Florida Statutes.

The petition seeks to resolve a controversy or answer questions or doubts regarding the interpretation and application of the policies as they relate to the Department's obligation to comply with the ADA and to provide a safe and humane environment for offenders.

Persons whose substantial interests may be affected by a declaratory statement issued in this matter may file a motion to intervene or a petition for administrative hearing within twenty-one (21) days after the publication of this notice.

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Lauren Sanchez, 501 South Calhoun Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, Lauren.Sanchez@fdc.myflorida.com, (850)717-3605.