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Sheriff Earnell Lucas
Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office
821 W. State Street, Room 107
Milwaukee, WI 53233

Re: In custody death of Brian K. Collins (DOB 03/12/86)

Dear Sheriff Lucas:

On December 18, 2018, Brian K. Collins died at Froedtert Memorial Hospital, after being transported there from the Milwaukee County Jail, where he was an inmate. He was thirty-two years old. The Milwaukee County Medical Examiner's Office determined the cause of death to be [REDACTED] and the manner of death to be natural.

The Waukesha County Sheriff's Office conducted a comprehensive investigation into the death of Mr. Collins. My office has reviewed this investigation and finds no basis for criminal liability on the part of any employee working in the Milwaukee County Jail, and is now closing this matter.

Sincerely,

Kent Lovern
Chief Deputy District Attorney
Milwaukee County

cc: Waukesha County Sheriff Eric Severson