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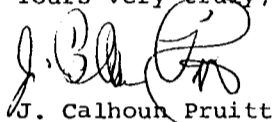
Honorable Miller C. Foster, Jr.
Clerk of U. S. District Court
District of South Carolina
United States Courthouse
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Re: U. S. of America
Vs. John T. Ashley, Anderson
County Supervisor, et al.
Civil Action No. 69-739

Dear Mr. Foster:

I am enclosing to you the original and two copies of
the Report of the Defendants in the above entitled action which
I would appreciate your filing.

Yours very truly,


J. Calhoun Pruitt

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Enclosures

cc: Honorable Barry H. Weinberg
Attorney
U. S. Department of Justice
Washington, D. C. 20530

US v. Ashley



JC-SC-001-006

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE

DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA

ANDERSON DIVISION

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United States of America,)
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 Plaintiff,)
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 -vs-)
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 John T. Ashley, Anderson County)
 Supervisor and Chairman of the)
 Anderson County Board of Com-)
 missioners; James H. Williams,)
 Sheriff of Anderson County;)
 J. Ed Crenshaw, Adger C. Davis,)
 Fred Fields, W. B. Gray and O. O.)
 Harper, Members of the Anderson)
 County Board of Commissioners,)
 Anderson County, South Carolina,)
 a public body corporate,)
)
 Defendants.)
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R E P O R T

Civil Action No. 69-739

Pursuant to Order in the above entitled case dated the 25th day of February, 1970, wherein the Defendants were to file a Report within ninety (90) days concerning current prisoner assignments, in compliance with the Order, the undersigned begs leave to report the following.

In regards to the Anderson County Jail, based on information furnished the undersigned by the Sheriff, James H. Williams, the Order has been fully complied with and in respect to paragraphs (a) and (b) of the Order, the current prison population in the Anderson County Jail as of May 15, 1970, was seventy-three (73), of which fifty-one (51) were of the white race and twenty-two (22) were of the colored race and they occupied the following cells:

<u>Cells</u>	<u>No. of White</u>	<u>No. of Colored</u>
Block #1-1	4	1
Block #1-3	3	1
Block #2-1	6	none
Block #2-2	none	1
Block #2-3	2	none
#3 (Juvenile)	5	none
Hospital Cell	2	none
Individual Cells	7	2
#6	1	none
#7	1	none
#10-2	3	4
#10-3	4	4
#12-1	9	none
#12-2	1	9
Mental Cell	1	none
Drunk Tank	1	none
In Anderson Memorial Hospital	1	none

As to the Anderson County Prison Farm, on information furnished the undersigned by John T. Ashley, Anderson County Supervisor, there is now and has been for several months under construction a new brick complex which is scheduled for completion on or about the 25th day of June, 1970, which when completed will be of sufficient size to house all of the prisoners in one building as present facilities are not sufficient in size for all prisoners to be housed in one building. That the Prison Farm population as of May 22, 1970, is a total of eighty-nine (89), of which sixty (60) are white and twenty-nine (29) are colored. In Camp Number One there are five (5) white and twenty-three (23) colored and in Camp Number Two there are fifty-five (55) white and six (6) colored.

/s/ J. Calhoun Pruitt
J. Calhoun Pruitt
Attorney for the Defendants

Anderson, South Carolina

May 25, 1970.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
)
COUNTY OF ANDERSON)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, J. Calhoun Pruitt, Attorney for the Defendants herein, do hereby certify that I have this day filed the original and two copies of the Attached Report with the Clerk of Court of the United States District Court for the District of South Carolina, the Honorable Miller C. Foster, Jr., by depositing same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the United States Courthouse, Columbia, South Carolina; and I do further certify that I have this day served a copy of the attached Report on the Plaintiff by depositing same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to its Attorney of Record, the Honorable Barry H. Weinberg, Attorney, Department of Justice, Washington, D. C. 20530.

This 25th day of May, 1970.

/s/ J. Calhoun Pruitt
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