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TO: All Incarcerated Individuals

FROM:  Robert Herzog, Assistant Secretary – Prisons Division

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SUBJECT: Update - Third round of Economic Impact Payments (EIPs)

On March 18, 2021, notification was provided to you that the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) began distributing the third round of Economic Impact Payments (EIPs) to eligible individuals beginning March 15, 2021. Many of these payments have been received in the form of an EIP debit card at the facilities. IRS provided direction to Corrections agencies stating to return the card if it cannot be used, so that a check may be issued. Mailroom notification is provided to you if an EIP card arrives and is forwarded to the business office for return to the IRS. Example mailroom notification shown below:

“This letter is to inform you that your recent economic impact payment check has been received by the facility mailroom in the form of a Visa card. Your card was forwarded to the business office. Because Visa cards cannot be deposited into your trust accounts, Business Services has returned the card to the IRS. Further information regarding this process will be sent out by Business Services via the kiosks.”

If you’ve received mailroom notice that your EIP card has been returned, there is no action needed from you, as the IRS will send a check in its place. The IRS will be issuing this third round of stimulus throughout 2021.

All EIP cards received currently are for the third round of stimulus. The IRS discontinued sending second round stimulus cards effective January 15, 2021. Any first or second round of stimulus payments are currently being received in the form of a check and are posted to the resident trust account.

If you have not received notice of the third EIP card being returned, and you have not received your EIP payment, you may file a form 1040 / 1040-SR for the 2020 tax year which will provide the information the IRS needs to issue your third economic impact

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payment. Information for filing a 1040 / 1040-SR has previously been provided with regards to the first and second economic impact payments and the recovery rebate credit (RRC). The IRS has extended the tax filing deadline for most individuals to May 17, 2020. Form 1040 submissions are your responsibility and do not go through the business office.

If you are not enclosing a payment and are filing before June 18, 2021, Form 1040 submissions should be sent to the address below:

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service
Fresno, CA 93888-0002

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Department of Treasury
Internal Revenue Service
Ogden, UT 84201-0002

First round stimulus payments are subject to Washington State deductions.
Second round stimulus payments are not subject to Washington State deductions.
Third round stimulus payments are subject to Washington State deductions.

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