

ret. 7/1/71

Norman A. Carlson Director, Bureau of Prisons

James P. Turner Deputy Assistant Attorney General Civil Rights Division JPT:RWB:peb

DJ 168-29-2

United States v. Wyandotte County, Kansas, et al.

This is to request that Mark Richmond, who visited the Wyandotte County Jail in the above-captioned case with our attorneys on April 20, 1971, be made available to testify when trial date is set regarding the steps which the county might take, under current and also under expanded funding, to desegregate its jail and improve the safety and security of its facility.

We would appreciate it if Mr. Richmond could set forth in a memorandum his views with respect to what the county could do to improve these two aspects of prison management. We would like him to focus on two possible situations, one involving existing funding levels and one involving enlarged funding levels, and for the latter, for him to estimate the cost. Current funding and staffing levels are set forth in paragraphs 4 and 5 of the stipulation included in the attached pre-trial order.

I will advise you as soon as a trial date has been set.

cc: Records

Chron

Mr. Jones

Mr. Bourne

Mr. Turner

Mr. Barnett

Invest. File (Rm. 920)

11/1/ Thy sand

7/2/2L ....-