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MEMORANDUM

CALL TO ACTION

Please direct all communications to:

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Date: October 24, 2022

To: Area and District Corrections Committee Chairs in Canada

Cc: Eastern and Western Canadian Regional Trustees

Canadian Delegates

From: Eileen A., Corrections Coordinator

Subject: Corrections Correspondence Service (CCS) in Canada

Warm greetings to all,

The General Service Office US/Canada, at the request of the Canadian Corrections Working Group, are putting out a Call to Action for all trusted servants in Canada. We have been charged with increasing the awareness and participation of the Corrections Correspondence Service in Canada among those **members who are in custody**.

Please share this sign-up form (link https://www.aa.org/corrections-correspondence-service-insider-request-form) with the members in custody at the correctional setting(s) you are serving. We have a pre-stamped envelope available for the person in custody to use when returning the envelope to the GSO to defray the cost of postage. If you need more envelopes, please contact the GSO.

You may know we assign participant matches: intra-country, i.e., US with US and Canada with Canada, to make sure members in custody can participate without the burden of international postage.

We have a waitlist of outside A.A. members waiting to participate in CCS, which is another reason why we want to increase participation by members behind the walls.

Please reach out to corrections@aa.org with any questions.

Yours in love and service,

Eileen A., Corrections Coordinator