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Memorandum

To: Captain Jesse Treblik

From: Commander JD C

Date: August 26, 2025

Re: Booking Body Scanner

On August 26, 2025, I reported for duty as the Operations Commander at the Adams County Detention Facility. I was scheduled to meet with the Transport Team and the Court Bailiffs. During that meeting I was advised that the body scanner in booking was not working. When the meeting concluded I went to booking and did in fact find that the body scanner was broken. It appears the side panel has been dislodged, and I was told that unit will not turn on.

Primary Booking Officer [redacted] approached and asked me if I knew what had happened. When I replied no, she relayed the following.

Inmate [redacted] was brought to the facility and was refusing to cooperate with the booking process. She was placed in cell R2 and several attempts were made for her to cooperate and enter the body scanner. [redacted] continually refused to enter the body scanner. [redacted] was escorted twice to a cell with a restroom after she stated that she needed to urinate. On both occasions, she would not urinate and was returned to cell R2. Sergeant [redacted] had been aware of the uncooperative inmate and had her held in booking, thinking that given time she would cooperate and complete the booking process. Ultimately, [redacted] refused, and Sergeant [redacted] made the decision to have her housed in medical and dry celled for refusing the booking process and having suspicion that she may have contraband hidden on her person. It should be noted that Sergeant [redacted] decision is procedurally correct when an inmate refuses the booking process. [redacted] was escorted from booking to medical without incident. A short time later approximately five deputies along with Sergeant Europe arrived in booking with Inmate [redacted] who was now not only verbally combative, but also physically combative. [redacted] was forced into the body scanner and remained physically non-compliant. As a result of the struggle with [redacted] and the deputies the Body Scanner was damaged and is not functioning.

I then spoke with Sergeant [redacted] and was advised of the same information. Adding that Sergeant Europe was upset because no one had notified him of the move from booking to medical. Sergeant Europe was advised of the move by Deputy [redacted] and was also told that the decision to move the inmate was made by Sergeant [redacted] It was apparently also Sergeant Europe's opinion that the booking staff was "dumping" their problem on "shift."

I confirmed with Sergeant [redacted] that our procedure for an inmate refusing the booking process was to have them housed in medical, under observation until cooperation with the booking process could be obtained.

As a result of Sergeant Europe's actions, Sergeant [redacted] decision to house the inmate in medical was completely undermined. The actions also resulted in the Body Scanner being damaged to a degree that it is not functioning. At this point it is unknown how long it will be to repair the scanner and what the cost will be.

Please let me know if you have any further questions.