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Dear Publisher:

This letter is to advise you that your publication titled, *Under Lock & Key, Fall 2023, No. 83*, was originally disallowed by California State Prison, Los Angeles County. The decision was based on a violation of the California Code of Regulations, Title 15, Section 3006(c)(16) Contraband, which states in part, "*Material that is reasonably deemed to be a threat to legitimate penological interests.*"

The Division of Adult Institutions (DAI) conducted a thorough review of this publication. The documents submitted to support the aforementioned violation does not substantiate the request to be disallowed. As such, DAI does not designate it to be contraband and will allow this publication at all of the adult institutions, statewide.

If you have any questions, please contact Victor Espinoza, Correctional Lieutenant, Standardized Procedures Unit (SPU), DAI, at the address above or at (916) 327-5305.

Sincerely,

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