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To Whom It May Concern:

This letter shall acknowledged receipt of your correspondence regarding our decision to disallow a magazine sent to [REDACTED] DOC # [REDACTED] by your company on the basis that it was "used." Your letter has been forwarded to me for response.

I have personally inspected two issues of "The Stalin Issue" publication in question and I found them both containing pages that are discolored. It is our practice to confiscate and disallow incoming printed matter when the contents are discolored or appear to have stains due to the possibility that it may be contaminated or saturated with drugs or other unknown and possibly toxic substances. This practice is for the safety of offenders and staff.

Sincerely,

Kevin Gilmore
Deputy Warden/Re-Entry

cc: file