Correction Enterprises

Benefiting the Citizens of the State of North Carolina

Robert Leon, Director



VISION

Creating a safer North Carolina through the changing of lives.

MISSION

To provide marketable job skills and transitional opportunities for inmates in a professional and safe work environment while providing quality goods and excellent service to our customers at a savings to the citizens of North Carolina.

CORE VALUES

Safe Workplace • Product Excellence • Quality Customer Service Financial Stability • Inmate Skill Development

Professionalism • Mission Focused • Staff Development



Total Offender Positions: 2,512

Total Staff Positions: 316

Production Centers: 30

Industries: 12



Agriculture/Apiculture: Beekeeping

Farming Crop Production

Forestry

Chemical: Janitorial Products

Environmental: Oil & Oil Related Products

Sign Recycling

Fabricated Metal: Metal Products



Food: Cannery

Meat Processing

Produce Warehouse

Furniture: ReUpholstery

Upholstery

Woodworking

Hospitality: Laundry Services (6)

Logistics: Awards Distribution Central Warehouse

Inmate Packaging



Medical Products: Optical

Publishing: Braille Transcription

Print

Quick Copy

Textiles: Sewing (5)

Transportation: License Tags
Signage



Security Enhancements

Enhanced Situational Awareness Training

- 595 New Digital Security Cameras
 - ✓ Replacement of 394 Analog Cameras
 - ✓ Additional 201 Digital Cameras Installed

119 Digital Security Cameras Upgraded



Security Enhancements

Improved Lines-of-Sight

Improved Tool and Key Control Processes

Improved Perimeter Fencing

Collaboration between NCCE and ACJJ



G.S. § 148-128 Authorization for Correction Enterprises

The Section of Correction Enterprises of the Division of Adult Correction is established as a division of the Division of Adult Correction of the Department of Public Safety. The Section of Correction Enterprises of the Division of Adult Correction may develop and operate industrial, agricultural and service enterprises that employ incarcerated offenders in an effort to provide them with meaningful work experiences and rehabilitative opportunities that will increase their employability upon release from prison. Enterprises operated under this Article shall be known as Correction Enterprises.



G.S. § 148-129 Purposes of Correction Enterprises

Correction Enterprises shall serve all of the following purposes to:

- Provide incarcerated offenders a work and training environment that emulates private industry.
- Provide incarcerated offenders with training opportunities that allow them to increase work skills and employability upon release from prison.
- Provide quality goods and services.
- Aid victims by contributing a portion of its proceeds to the Crime Victims Compensation
 Fund.
- Generate sufficient funds from the sale of goods and services to be a self-supporting operation.



G.S. § 148-132 Distribution of Products & Services

The Section of Correction Enterprises of the Division of Adult Correction is empowered and authorized to market and sell products and services produced by Correction Enterprises to any of the following entities:

- Any public agency or institution owned, managed or controlled by the State.
- Any county, city or town in this State.
- Any federal, state or local public agency or institution in any other state of the union.
- An entity or organization that has tax-exempt status pursuant to section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and also receives local, state or federal grant funding.
- Any current employee or retiree of the State of North Carolina or of a unit of local government of this State, verified through State-issued identification or through proof of retirement status but purchases by a State or local governmental employee or retiree may not exceed two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) during any calendar year. Products purchased by State and local governmental employees and retirees under this section may not be resold.



G.S. § 148-134 Preference for DPS

All departments, institutions and agencies of this State that are supported in whole or in part by the State shall give preference to Correction Enterprises products in purchasing articles, products and commodities that these departments, institutions and agencies require and that are manufactured or produced within the State prison system and offered for sale to them by Correction Enterprises. No article or commodity available from Correction Enterprises shall be purchased by any State department, institution or agency from any other source unless the prison product does not meet the standard specifications and the reasonable requirements of the department, institution or agency as determined by the Secretary of Administration or the requisition cannot be complied with because of an insufficient supply of the articles or commodities required. The provisions of Article 3 of Chapter 143 of the General Statutes respecting contracting for the purchase of all supplies, materials and equipment required by the State government or any of its departments, institutions or agencies under competitive bidding shall not apply to articles or commodities available from Correction Enterprises. The Section of Correction Enterprises of the Division of Adult Correction shall be required to keep the price of such articles or commodities substantially in accord with that paid by governmental agencies for similar articles and commodities of equivalent quality.



Any Questions?

