

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Office of the Inspector General

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September 24, 2010

The Honorable Adrian M. Fenty
Mayor
District of Columbia
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Mayor's Correspondence Unit, 2nd Floor, Suite 316
Washington, D.C. 20004

RE: SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITY REPORT

Dear Mayor Fenty:

This report is to inform you of the recent sentencing of Theadus Marshall, a former employee of the D.C. Department of Human Services (DHS), who submitted forged and fraudulent letters to her DHS supervisor claiming that she had both served and was being called as a witness in a court case. The letters purportedly were from the Superior Court of the District of Columbia and the United States Attorney's Office for the District of Columbia, respectively.

On August 10, 2010, Ms. Marshall pled guilty to Attempted Uttering. On September 21, 2010, Ms. Marshall was sentenced to 180 days of incarceration (suspended), 12 months of probation, 40 hours of community service, six months of mandatory drug testing, and payment of \$493.30 in restitution.

The investigation, which was conducted by Senior Special Agent Derek Savoy, D.C. Office of the Inspector General, revealed that Ms. Marshall was granted administrative leave with pay for April 14, 15, and 17, 2009, after presenting to her DHS supervisor the above-mentioned fraudulent letters.

If you need any additional information, please call me or Stacie Pittell, Assistant Inspector General for Investigations, at (202) 727-2540. When calling, please reference OIG Control Number 2009-0470.

Sincerely,


Charles J. Willoughby
Inspector General

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