

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Office of the Inspector General

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March 7, 2011

The Honorable Vincent C. Gray
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 Gray:

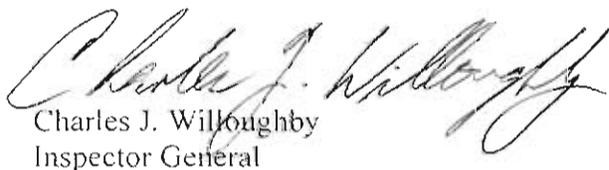
This report is to inform you of the recent plea and sentencing of Nakisha Cooks, a member of the public, who fraudulently applied for and obtained child care subsidies from the D.C. Office of the State Superintendent of Education Child Care Subsidy Program.

The investigation revealed that from September 2007 through August 2009, Ms. Cooks fraudulently applied for and received \$32,079.98 in child care subsidies.

On December 21, 2010, Ms. Cooks pled guilty to Fraud in the First Degree. On March 2, 2011, Ms. Cooks was sentenced to 5 years of incarceration (suspended with the exception of 40 days), 5 years of probation, and payment of \$32,000.00 in restitution.

If you need additional information, please call me or Stacie Pittell, Assistant Inspector General for Investigations, at (202)727-2540. When calling, please reference OIG Control Number 2010-0072.

Sincerely,


Charles J. Willoughby
Inspector General

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