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FRANKFORT, KY – At its September 19, 2024, meeting the Executive Branch Ethics Commission found Trista Fox of Fredonia, Kentucky, in violation of KRS Chapter 11A, the Executive Branch Code of Ethics.

In a Settlement Agreement approved by the Commission, Trista Fox admitted to one (1) count of violating the Executive Branch Code of Ethics. Specifically, while employed as a Correctional Officer at Kentucky State Penitentiary, Department of Corrections, Trista Fox formed an inappropriate and sexual relationship with an inmate while on duty.

Pursuant to the Settlement Agreement, Trista Fox agreed to pay a \$1,500.00 civil penalty. She also agreed to a public reprimand and waived any right to appeal. The Commission concluded the matter by issuing an Agreed Final Order.