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FRANKFORT, KY – At its May 14, 2025-meeting, the Executive Branch Ethics Commission ("the Commission") found Christine R. Vickers, Lexington, Kentucky, in violation of KRS Chapter 11A, the Executive Branch Code of Ethics.

In a Settlement Agreement approved by the Commission, Christine R. Vickers admitted to violating one (1) count of the Code of Ethics, KRS 11A.020(1)(a) and (d). Specifically, between 2022 and 2023 while employed as a Correctional Officer with the Justice and Public Safety Cabinet, Ms. Vickers misused a state office by having personal contact with another employee on state time for her own prurient interests in conflict with conducting her duties as a Correctional Officer and in derogation of the public interest at large.

Pursuant to the Settlement Agreement Christine R. Vickers agreed to pay a \$2,000.00 civil penalty, receive a public reprimand, and waive any right to appeal. The Commission concluded the matter by issuing an Agreed Final Order.