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MEMORANDUM

To: Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations and Revenue

From: Cookie Crews, Commissioner

Kentucky Department of Corrections

Date: August 21, 2024

RE: 24 RS HB 6 – Monthly Facility Reporting

The 2024 Regular Session House Bill 6 requires the Kentucky Department of Corrections (DOC) to report monthly on the average occupancy rate for county jails, halfway houses, Recovery Kentucky drug treatment centers, and all other community correctional residential facilities that are under contract with DOC. This report was initiated by 2020 RS HB 352.

Below are the average occupancy rates for July 2024:

Facility Type	Average Occupancy Rate
County Jails	36%
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) - Male	79%
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) - Female	49%
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)	52%
Reentry Service Center (SAP) - Male	53%
Reentry Service Center (SAP) - Female	35%

