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## **IDOC Commissioner Names Superintendents**

Indianapolis, Indiana (January 28, 2009)—Today, Indiana Department of Correction Commissioner (IDOC) Edwin G. Buss announced the appointments of superintendents for three IDOC facilities. He named Bryan Pearson as Superintendent of Edinburgh Correctional Facility, Beckie Bennett as Superintendent of Reception and Diagnostic Center, and Steve McCauley as Superintendent of the Indiana Women’s Prison.

Mr. Pearson began his career with the IDOC in 1994 as a Correctional Release Coordinator at Wabash Valley Correctional Facility. Since then, he has worked in various positions and most recently has been Assistant Superintendent at Edinburgh Correctional Facility. Mr. Pearson also served in the United States Army and received Bachelor’s and Master’s Degrees in Criminal Justice from Indiana University.

Ms. Bennett began her career with the IDOC in 1985 as a Recreation Leader at the Indiana Women’s Prison. Additionally, she has served in a number of different criminal justice capacities over the years, most recently as Assistant Superintendent of the Indiana Women’s Prison. Ms. Bennett received her Bachelor’s Degree in Criminal Justice from Ball State University.

Mr. McCauley began his career with the IDOC in 1976 as a Correctional Officer at Pendleton Correctional Facility. He went on to hold numerous positions, including Regional Director and Superintendent of Indianapolis Juvenile Correctional Facility. Most recently, he served as Superintendent of Reception Diagnostic Center. Mr. McCauley earned Bachelor’s and Master’s Degrees from Ball State University.

“Bryan, Beckie, and Steve have all served the IDOC well in a variety of capacities. I am confident that each of them will utilize their vast experience and accomplish great things in their new positions,” said Commissioner Buss.

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