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MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

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PRISONER/PAROLEE GRIEVANCE APPEAL FORM *Rec'd 1/26/18*

Date Received by Grievance Coordinator
at Step II: FEB 01 2018

Grievance Identifier: URF18010110191128E

INSTRUCTIONS: THIS FORM IS ONLY TO BE USED TO APPEAL A STEP I GRIEVANCE.

The white copy of the Prisoner/Parolee Grievance Form CSJ-247A (or the goldenrod copy if you have not been provided with a Step I response in a timely manner) **MUST** be attached to the white copy of this form if you appeal it at both Step II and Step III.

If you should decide to appeal the Step I grievance response to Step II, your appeal should be directed to: URF
Warden's Office by 2-5-18. If it is not submitted by this date, it will be considered terminated
untimely.

If you should decide to appeal the response you receive at Step II, you should send your Step III Appeal to the Director's Office, P.O. Box 30003, Lansing, Michigan, 48909.

Name (Print first, last)	Number	Institution	Lock Number	Date of Incident	Today's Date
<u>GOULD, RAND W.</u>	<u>C-187131</u>	<u>URF</u>	<u>B-176</u>	<u>November-December 2017</u>	<u>1/30/2018</u>

STEP II - Reason for Appeal *With mail room staff already admitting that mail is running behind in the Step I Response to URF 17 12 03746 010E, grievance coordinator M. McLean's rejection is unwarranted. As noted in said response regular mail is not logged in (i.e., maybe it should be) but the fact is grievant recently received his Workers World in Dec. 14, 2017 on Jan. 19, 2018, nearly a 1 1/2 months late since it normally arrives a week before its issue date. Consequently, grievant has no way of knowing when he should or should not write a grievance on missing mail, as in the case of Dec. 14, 2017 Workers World in URF 18 01 00192 028E which was rejected two days before he received the issue on Jan. 19, 2018. Wherefore, remedy demanded at Step II must be granted and McLean subject to employee discipline.*

STEP II - Response

Date Received by
Step II Respondent:
FEB 01 2018

See Attached

Connie Horton, Warden
Respondent's Name (Print)

[Signature]
Respondent's Signature

2/1/18
Date

Date Returned to
Grievant:
2-2-18

STEP III - Reason for Appeal *Completely disconnected from reality, Step II respondent, Warden Connie Horton, fails to realize or cannot comprehend, in the midst of her psychotic breaks, that ^{another} missing paper, given on 1/14/18 was, in fact, delivered to grievant on 1/19/18, nearly 1 1/2 months late, making his grievance both timely and correct. Wherefore, remedy demanded at Step II must be granted and Warden Horton fired and prosecuted for failure to perform her duty in violation of MCL 19.142, MCL 750.428 and MCL 750.525. See URF 18 01*

NOTE: Only a copy of this appeal and the response will be returned to you. 00191028E, [Signature]

STEP III - Director's Response is attached as a separate sheet.

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STEP II GRIEVANCE RESPONSE FOR PRISONER GOULD 187131 B-176 (URF)

Grievance URF 1801 0191 28E, has been reviewed.

The Step I rejection has been reviewed by the Warden's Office in accordance with PD 03.02.130, Prisoner/Parolee Grievances" and the rejection is upheld at Step II.

Connie Horton

Connie Horton, Warden

2/1/18

Date

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PRISONER/PAROLEE GRIEVANCE FORM

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Date Received at Step I 1-17-18 Grievance Identifier: URF1181011 101911 128E

Be brief and concise in describing your grievance issue. If you have any questions concerning the grievance procedure, refer to PD 03.02.130 and OP 03.02.130 available in the prison Law Library.

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GOULD, RAND W.	C-187131	URF	B-176	November-December 2017	1/14/18

What attempt did you make to resolve this issue prior to writing this grievance? On what date? 1/09/18
 If none, explain why. Sent kite to URF mail room requesting delivery of below-said Arance World magazine and explanation of its failure to deliver same, with no response received as of this date.

State problem clearly. Use separate grievance form for each issue. Additional pages, using plain paper, may be used. Four copies of each page and supporting documents must be submitted with this form. The grievance must be submitted to the Grievance Coordinator in accordance with the time limits of OP 03.02.130.

The URF mail room received grievant's subscription copy of Arance World, November-December 2017 sometime between November 1, 2017 and December 31, 2017 but most likely by the end of November 2017 in accordance with sender's publication schedule. However, URF mail room employees failed to deliver said copy to grievant, having either lost or stolen same in violation of grievant's and sender's right to send and receive U.S.P.S. mail. See U.S. Const. Art I; Mich. Const. 1963, art 1, § 5; 18 U.S.C. §§ 1702, 1703; Mich. Gov. 43; Admin. R. 791.6603; and PD 05.03.118 Nov. URF mail room has been delivering mail up to a month late, in some cases, when it hasn't lost it, since the Nov. 1, 2017 effective date of new mail policy, thus grievant waited, accordingly, before filing instant Step I Grievance.

Wherefore, grievant demands aforesaid mail be immediately handed over to his possession and/or replaced due to loss or theft by mail room employees, with all mail room employees involved subject to employee discipline pursuant to PD 02 03.100 with this matter turned over to U.S.P.S. Postal Inspector, FBI, and U.S. Attorney General for investigation and prosecution of federal law violations.

[Signature]
 Grievant's Signature 1/14/18

RESPONSE (Grievant Interviewed?) Yes No If No, give explanation. If resolved, explain resolution.)

See attached response

[Signature] 1-17-18
 Respondent's Signature Date
M. M. Lean G.C.
 Respondent's Name (Print) Working Title

[Signature] 1/18/18
 Reviewer's Signature Date
A. D. D.
 Reviewer's Name (Print) Working Title

Date Returned to Grievant: 1-19-18 If resolved at Step I, Grievant sign here. Resolution must be described above. *[Signature]* Grievant's Signature Date

Rec'd 1/22/18

Michigan Department of Corrections
GRIEVANCE REJECTION LETTER

DATE: Wednesday, January 17, 2018

TO: GOULD RAND W 187131 **LOCATION:** URF B 176

FROM: M. McLean, Grievance Coordinator

SUBJECT: Receipt/Rejection/Denial for Step I Grievance

Your Step I grievance regarding **Grievance Rejections**

was received in this office on **01/17/18** and was rejected due to the following reason:

You have exceeded your time limits in filing a grievance and at the same time provided no reasonable circumstance beyond your control that would have prevented you from filing this grievance in a timely fashion. Your grievance has been rejected for these reasons. If you have further questions consult PD 03.02.130 and OP 03.02.130, which are available in the institutional library.

Any future references to this grievance should utilize this identifier:

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