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September 25, 2014

The Honorable Richard C. Patterson Chief Judge County of Russell General District Court P.O. Box 566 Tazewell, VA 24651-1081

The Honorable Michael J. Bush Chief Judge County of Russell Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Court P.O. Box 65 Lebanon, VA 24266

Audit Period: July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013

Court System: County of Russell Judicial District: Twenty-ninth

We are performing a statewide audit of the Combined General District Courts. During our review of this court, we conducted certain audit procedures, as we deemed appropriate.

Management of this court is an important part of the court's accountability, since you are responsible for establishing and maintaining internal controls and complying with applicable laws and regulations. During our review, we noted no matters requiring written communication with court management.

We acknowledge the cooperation extended to us by the Court during this engagement.

AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

MSM: ljh

cc: The Honorable Henry A. Barringer, Judge

Kathy F. Vance, Clerk

Paul F. DeLosh, Director of Judicial Services

Supreme Court of Virginia