



Commonwealth of Virginia

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The Honorable Richard C. Patterson
Chief Judge
County of Buchanan General District Court
104 Court Street, Suite 3
Tazewell, VA 24651-1081

The Honorable Henry A. Barringer
Chief Judge
County of Buchanan Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Court
P.O. Box 613
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Audit Period: July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012
Court System: County of Buchanan
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.

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cc: The Honorable Michael J. Bush, Judge
Janice Ann Rife, Clerk
Paul F. DeLosh, Director of Judicial Services
Supreme Court of Virginia