



STATE OF ALABAMA
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS
Montgomery, Alabama 36130-1501

FOR JAMES, JR.
GOVERNOR

JOE S. HOPPER
COMMISSIONER

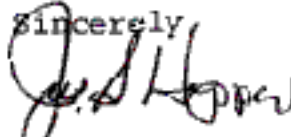
October 8, 1996

Inmate Patrick Swiney
Holman Prison
Holman 3700
Atmore, Alabama 36503

Inmate Swiney:

Your letter to Senator Sonny Callahan was forwarded to my office for a response.

At such time as you receive your offer for political asylum, please forward a copy to the Department of Corrections' Legal Division at P. O. Box 301501, Montgomery, Alabama 36130. We will be more than happy to see what we can do to help you when that time comes.

Sincerely,

Joe S. Hopper
Commissioner

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