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Ref. to

Ms. Helene Wohlgemuth
Dept. of Public Welfare
Harrisburg, Pa.

Madam:

As an employee of Polk State School and Hospital, I am protesting the dismissal of Dr. James McClelland. I feel the charges brought against him are unjust and totally unfounded. There are inadequacies at Polk, but Dr. McClelland has made a conscious effort to make realistic improvements considering the overcrowded conditions which exist. I seriously question your competency as Secretary of D.P.W. when you make decisions such as this. Your ignorance of Polk is exemplified through your rash decision from a two hour visit and from information gathered from questionable sources. I feel strongly that you must reinstate Dr. McClelland and publicly apologize to him.

Most Sincerely,

Michael L. Ihlenfeld
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