

**From:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: Timeline  
**Date:** Monday, August 02, 2010 3:41:53 PM

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Coming from me. Thanks for taking shot at narrative. I spoke with [REDACTED] and we are doing the official order this week for all three drugs and for 6 executions. Probably need your help with some details. Let you know.

Scott

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Sent:** Monday, August 02, 2010 2:12 PM  
**To:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: Timeline

Brian asked for bullets but I can do narrative....coming from you, Undersecretary, I agree narrative.

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**From:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**Sent:** Monday, August 02, 2010 2:10 PM  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Subject:** Re: Timeline

Don't you thing this should be in narrative formally asking for exemption?

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**To:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**Sent:** Mon Aug 02 13:49:06 2010  
**Subject:** FW: Timeline

Scott

Look at attached if you approve I will forward email to [REDACTED] .....He called me back will be in office tomorrow....

John

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 29, 2010 3:24 PM  
**To:** Duffy, Brian@CDCR  
**Subject:** Timeline

Brain

FYI

John <<Timeline Pentothal.doc>>

**From:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**To:** Cate, Matt@CDCR; Rice, Benjamin@CDCR  
**Subject:** FW: Per Our Conversation  
**Date:** Wednesday, August 04, 2010 12:22:00 PM  
**Attachments:** California\_Drugs\_August\_2010.xls

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Talked with [REDACTED] He is still beating bush for sodium Thiopental. He is placing the order for all three drugs, probably even get done today. His update was:

Sodium Thiopental – No national provider and none anticipated in 2010. Found international provider. Looking for way to import and method to validate correct mix. Sounded positive

Pancuronium Bromide – Hospira does provide and expect availability August/September.

Potassium Chloride – Available no problem.

I am sending him shipping information and billing data. We are going to ship directly to SQ pharmacy for our teams pick up and storage consistent with Reg. I could run into problem with Receiver using the Pharmacy, but think I can work through it [REDACTED] is using [REDACTED] DEA number. The bill will come directly to me and I'll discretely handle through our procurement.

We are still pursuing a DEA exemption and trying to find our own importer just so if this avenue does not work out we have somewhere else to go.

We have contacted all states and Feds for drug with no luck. All states are in the same boat. [REDACTED] did say they have a quantity of expired Thiopental but would require FDA waiver of expiration date. They ran into brick wall when they tried this with the FDA.

I will send you behind this email a timeline prepared by staff of all of our efforts. Let me know if you need anything else.

Scott

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 04, 2010 11:50 AM  
**To:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**Subject:** Per Our Conversation

Hi Scott:

Once I receive your provider's name, shipping address and DEA Number, I will have our contact [REDACTED] to call (he or she) or whoever you designate to finalize the order.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

p.s. This is my official e-mail address. Inadvertently sent previous e-mail on my person e-mail (sorry)

| Product                   | Status                                   | Cost     |
|---------------------------|--|----------|
| Pavulon Bromide(25x10ml)  | manufacturer backorder until mid August  | 21.25    |
| Pentothal 400mg 25 doses  | manufacturer backorder until mid October | 448.25   |
| Pentothal 500mg 25 doses  | manufacturer backorder until mid October | 4 . 5    |
| Pentothal 1000mg 25 doses | manufacturer backorder until mid October | 1,38 .00 |
| Potassium Chloride 2MEQ   | available 25x30ml                        | 22.50    |
| Potassium Chloride 10MEQ  | available 25x5ml                         | 11.00    |
| Potassium Chloride 20MEQ  | available 25x10ml                        | 9.50     |
| Potassium Chloride 30MEQ  | available 25x15ml                        | 12.50    |
| Potassium Chloride 40MEQ  | available 25x20ml                        | .50      |

All costs stated above are for a pack of 25 vials or syringes.

FDA has some information on the shortage for Pavulon and Pentothal...scroll down the

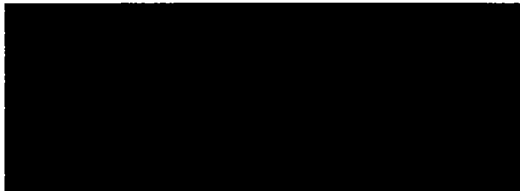
I searched for a reason for [REDACTED] recall and only found this explanation from several s

**REASON**

**Impurities/Degradation Products:** These products are being recalled because they

[http //www.fda.gov/Drugs/DrugSafety/DrugShortages/ucm050\\_92.htm](http://www.fda.gov/Drugs/DrugSafety/DrugShortages/ucm050_92.htm)

Let me know if you need anything else. Thanks



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| <b>Storage</b>   |
| stable up to 5 months at room temp ( 5- 2), recommend refrigerated(3 -4 )  |
| Reconstituted solutions remain stable for 3 days at room temperature, 3 days if refrigerated. Product can be stored at room temperature until mixed. |
| Pentothal is a controlled substance, Schedule III.   |
| Store at room temp until mixed. Use w/in 24hrs after/if mixed.   |
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list on this website, drugs are listed alphabetically. It looks like the Pavulon shortage is due to TE A withdrawal sources

they do not meet specification for related substances.

**From:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: Per Our Conversation  
**Date:** Wednesday, August 04, 2010 3:22:00 PM

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[REDACTED]

Thanks again for all your help on this. Below is the information you requested.

The ordering doctor is [REDACTED]

His DEA number is [REDACTED]

The shipment address is [REDACTED]

The quantities we discussed:

126 grams of Sodium Thiopental  
3,150 Milligrams Pancuronium Bromide  
12,600 milliequivalents of Potassium Chloride

Billing information will be handled through my office.

Scott Kernan  
Undersecretary  
1515 S Street, Suite 502S  
Sacramento, CA 95811-7243  
(916) 801-4358

My staff expert and direct point on this issue is John McAuliffe – telephone – Office (916) 255-2576 – [REDACTED]

Jim, again thanks so much. Governor's Office very interested in progress so if any developments please let me know. I assume that you will be able to confirm with the orders are made?

Scott

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 04, 2010 11:50 AM  
**To:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**Subject:** Per Our Conversation

Hi Scott:

Once I receive your provider's name, shipping address and DEA Number, I will have our contact [REDACTED] [REDACTED] to call (he or she) or whoever you designate to finalize the order.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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p.s. This is my official e-mail address. Inadvertently sent previous e-mail on my person e-mail (sorry)

**Cullen, Vincent@CDCR**

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Sent:** Friday, August 06, 2010 12:05 PM  
**To:** Cullen, Vincent@CDCR  
**Cc:** McCleave, Kelly@CDCR  
**Subject:** Fw: Drug Order

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Fyi

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**To:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR; McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Fri Aug 06 12:01:21 2010  
**Subject:** Drug Order

**Scott/John:**

Your order has been placed and John will get a call from [REDACTED] on Monday should there be any questions. Please be assured that partial shipments will be sent as soon as received.

We continue to do a worldwide search for Sodium Thiopental

[REDACTED]

**From:** [REDACTED]

All products have been ordered. The Potassium Chloride is being shipped to us now (should arrive in [REDACTED] next week). The Pancuronium and Pentothal will ship when they are available.

Purchase Order # 2010080503 dtd 8/5/2010  
Hospira Confirmation # 110469766

Contact:

[REDACTED]

**From:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Drug Order  
**Date:** Friday, August 06, 2010 12:11:47 PM

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Can't tell you how much I, Matt and Governor appreciate it. Have a great weekend  
Scott

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**To:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR; McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Fri Aug 06 12:01:21 2010  
**Subject:** Drug Order

**Scott/John:**

Your order has been placed and John will get a call from [REDACTED] on Monday should there be any questions. Please be assured that partial shipments will be sent as soon as received.

We continue to do a worldwide search for Sodium Thiopental

[REDACTED]

*From* [REDACTED]

All products have been ordered. The Potassium Chloride is being shipped to us now (should arrive in Nashville next week). The Pancuronium and Pentothal will ship when they are available.

Purchase Order # [REDACTED] dtd 8/5/2010  
Hospira Confirmation # [REDACTED]

Contact:

[REDACTED]



**From:** [Duffy, Brian@CDCR](mailto:Duffy, Brian@CDCR)  
**To:** [McAuliffe, John@CDCR](mailto:McAuliffe, John@CDCR)  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Friday, August 20, 2010 10:43:25 AM

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John,

Any luck with calling hospitals? Anything I can do to help?

Brian

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**From:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**Sent:** Friday, August 20, 2010 9:47 AM  
**To:** Gaddi, Kathy@CDCR; Duffy, Brian@CDCR  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Sent:** Friday, August 20, 2010 9:46:50 AM  
**To:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]  
**Auto forwarded by a Rule**

Scott  
See email. I called yesterday and said we needed a date. Also told Jeff if he got a hold of any ship it to us immediately.  
John

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Sent:** Fri Aug 20 06:19:22 2010  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]

John, I received an update on your order this morning...

-Pentothal is expected to be available again sometime in the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter 2010(Oct-Dec 2010). This will ship when it is available.

-Pancuronium is expected to be available again by the end of August 2010. This will ship when it is available also.

-Potassium Chloride is on 'Allocation'. I am not sure what this means for us, I am waiting for a clearer answer on this. In the meantime, I am trying to pursue a different source for this product. I could have this as early as next week. I will let you know if/when I do get it.

I'll forward any information as I get it. Also, I will let you know at least weekly even if there are no new updates.

Thanks,

[REDACTED]

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR [mailto:John.McAuliffe@cdcr.ca.gov]

**Sent:** Thursday, August 19, 2010 4:16 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

**Subject:** [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Just would like to follow up on the status of the order. Mainly I would like to know if you have any status as to when or if you have been contacted as to a possible date the order can be filled. Thanks in advance

John McAuliffe

[REDACTED]

**From:** [Duffy, Brian@CDCR](mailto:Duffy.Brian@CDCR)  
**To:** [Cullen, Vincent@CDCR](mailto:Cullen.Vincent@CDCR); [McAullife, John@CDCR](mailto:McAullife, John@CDCR)  
**Cc:** [Kernan, Scott@CDCR](mailto:Kernan, Scott@CDCR)  
**Subject:** FW:  
**Date:** Monday, August 23, 2010 9:54:56 AM

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Vince and John,

Please see below.

Brian

Brian Duffy  
Special Assistant to the Undersecretary, Operations  
California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation  
[REDACTED]

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Rice, Benjamin@CDCR  
**To:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR; Cate, Matt@CDCR  
**Sent:** Mon Aug 23 09:27:07 2010  
**Subject:** Re:

That is great news! Thanks- [REDACTED]  
Sent using blackberry

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**To:** Cate, Matt@CDCR; Rice, Benjamin@CDCR  
**Sent:** Mon Aug 23 09:23:27 2010  
**Subject:**

I just got great news. [REDACTED] advised that he has got and is shipping the lethal injection drugs to SQ pharmacy. Its enough to do one execution. Bad news is the drug expires in Oct. But at least we would be ready. He is still looking for more. Matt, would be nice for you to call and thank them.  
Scott

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 11:52:57 AM

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We have received all of the Pancuronium today. This product needs to be kept refrigerated. I will ship this today for delivery tomorrow. I will include plenty of ice packs but it needs to be placed in a refrigerator tomorrow.

We are expecting a small amount of the Thiopental Sodium today also-I will let you know later today when it has been received so you will know how much to expect.

We are expecting all of the Potassium Chloride Wednesday or Thursday this week.

We will still be short, therefore, on the Thiopental Sodium until the shortage is resolved later this year or we find other sources.

[REDACTED]

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR [mailto:John.McAuliffe@cdcr.ca.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:09 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
Great news! Hope some of the product is Sodium Thiopental.....Ship to;

[REDACTED]

Thanks  
John McAuliffe

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 9:27 AM  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

John,

We have received some of the product and can ship today.

Please let me know what shipping address to use. I will also email you what is being shipped today.

Thanks,

[REDACTED]

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR [mailto:John.McAuliffe@cdcr.ca.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 19, 2010 4:16 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Order # [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Just would like to follow up on the status of the order. Mainly I would like to know if you have any status as to when or if you have been contacted as to a possible date the order can be filled. Thanks in advance

John McAuliffe

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[REDACTED]

**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**To:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR; Rlce, Benjamin@CDCR  
**Cc:** Cullen, Vincent@CDCR; [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** FW: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:23:00 PM

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Scott  
Good news....  
John

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 11:52 AM  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

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We will still be short, therefore, on the Thiopental Sodium until the shortage is resolved later this year or we find other sources.

[REDACTED]

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR [mailto:John.McAuliffe@cdcr.ca.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:09 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Great news! Hope some of the product is Sodium Thiopental.....Ship to;

[REDACTED]

ATTN: Warden Vincent Cullen

Thanks  
John McAuliffe

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 9:27 AM  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

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Thanks,

[REDACTED]

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR [mailto:John.McAuliffe@cdcr.ca.gov]

**Sent:** Thursday, August 19, 2010 4:16 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

**Subject:** Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Just would like to follow up on the status of the order. Mainly I would like to know if you have any status as to when or if you have been contacted as to a possible date the order can be filled. Thanks in advance

John McAuliffe

(cell) [REDACTED]

**From:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**To:** [REDACTED]@CDCR; Duffy, Brian@CDCR  
**Subject:** FW: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:53:24 PM

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**From:** Duffy, Brian@CDCR  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:53:24 PM  
**To:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]  
**Auto forwarded by a Rule**

Just looked it up. Need 21 grams per event. Only receiving 8 grams in this shipment.

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**From:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:45 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]@CDCR; Duffy, Brian@CDCR  
**Subject:** FW: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:45:01 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR; Rice, Benjamin@CDCR; Cullen, Vincent@CDCR;  
[REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]  
**Auto forwarded by a Rule**

[REDACTED]  
Please go ahead and ship the 8 grams of Thiopental.....Thank you...  
John McAuliffe

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:19 PM  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

John,

We have received 8 grams of Thiopental Sodium. It expires Oct 1, 2010.

Is this ok?

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR [mailto:John.McAuliffe@cdcr.ca.gov]



**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:09 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
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Thanks  
John McAuliffe

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**From:** [REDACTED]

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 9:27 AM

**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR

**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

John,

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**Sent:** Thursday, August 19, 2010 4:16 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

**Subject:** Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
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John McAuliffe  
[REDACTED]

**From:** Duffy, Brian@CDCR  
**To:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**Subject:** FW: [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:55:22 PM

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Also, first scheduled execution is on Sept. 29. 2 days before it expires.

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**From:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:53 PM  
**To:** Gaddi, Kathy@CDCR; Duffy, Brian@CDCR  
**Subject:** FW: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

**From:** Duffy, Brian@CDCR  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:53:24 PM  
**To:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]  
**Auto forwarded by a Rule**

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**From:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:45 PM  
**To:** Gaddi, Kathy@CDCR; Duffy, Brian@CDCR  
**Subject:** FW: Purchase Order # 2010080503

**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:45:01 PM  
[REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR; Rice, Benjamin@CDCR; Cullen, Vincent@CDCR;  
[REDACTED]@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: [REDACTED]  
**Auto forwarded by a Rule**

[REDACTED]  
Please go ahead and ship the 8 grams of Thiopental.....Thank you...  
John McAuliffe

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:19 PM  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: [REDACTED]

John,

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Is this ok?

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR [mailto:John.McAuliffe@cdcr.ca.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:09 PM

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

Thanks  
John McAuliffe

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 9:27 AM  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]

John,

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**Sent:** Thursday, August 19, 2010 4:16 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]

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John McAuliffe  
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**From:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**To:** [REDACTED]@CDCR; Duffy, Brian@CDCR  
**Subject:** FW: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 1:18:49 PM

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 1:18:45 PM  
**To:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]  
**Auto forwarded by a Rule**

Yes and [REDACTED] will update me at least once a week....I told him to get whatever is out there....  
John

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**From:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR [mailto:Scott.Kernan@cdcr.ca.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 1:02 PM  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Subject:** Re: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

They are still looking for more, right?

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR; Rice, Benjamin@CDCR; Cullen, Vincent@CDCR; [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tue Aug 24 12:45:01 2010  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
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John McAuliffe

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**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
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**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:09 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]

**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
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John McAuliffe

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 9:27 AM  
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John McAuliffe  
[REDACTED]

**Cullen, Vincent@CDCR**

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**From:** Cullen, Vincent@CDCR  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 5:22 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** FW:

[REDACTED]  
It is likely that two of the three execution drugs may show up tomorrow. Once they are received in the pharmacy, please contact [REDACTED] at extension [REDACTED] to have him pick up the drugs. If you cannot reach him at that extension, please contact the Warden's office at extension [REDACTED] and they will track him down for you. Thank you.

**VINCENT S. CULLEN**  
**Warden (A)**  
**San Quentin State Prison**

[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 5:19 PM  
**To:** Cullen, Vincent@CDCR  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:**

Vince this is to confirm that [REDACTED] is the acting PIC (pharmacist in charge) please direct all information regarding the delivery of drugs/medication needed for the lethal injection can be addressed to her. Thanks [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Cullen, Vincent@CDCR

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From: [REDACTED]  
Sent: Tuesday, August 24, 2010 5:24 PM  
To: Rodriguez, William A.@CDCR; Cullen, Vincent@CDCR  
Subject: Fw: Misc.

FYI

----- Original Message -----  
From: [REDACTED]  
To: [REDACTED]  
Sent: Tue Aug 24 17:20:47 2010  
Subject: Re: Misc.

Got it.

----- Original Message -----  
From: [REDACTED]  
To: [REDACTED]  
Cc: Cullen, Vincent@CDCR; Rodriguez, William A.@CDCR  
Sent: Tue Aug 24 17:08:04 2010  
Subject: Misc.

Hello [REDACTED]

On Wednesday, I have [REDACTED] meeting scheduled [REDACTED]. During this time, and in the event the drugs arrive, please send me an e-mail. I will leave the [REDACTED] meeting immediately.

Additionally, I have [REDACTED] at 1100. If the drugs arrive after 1100, I'll be in [REDACTED]. Please send me an e-mail if the drugs arrive, I will stop [REDACTED], [REDACTED]

Thank you  
[REDACTED]

**Cullen, Vincent@CDCR**

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**From:** Cullen, Vincent@CDCR  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 25, 2010 7:09 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE:

Thanks. [REDACTED] is absolutely correct. Our drugs are coming via a separate shipment. Thanks [REDACTED]

**VINCENT S. CULLEN**  
**Warden (A)**  
**San Quentin State Prison**

[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 25, 2010 6:28 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] Cullen, Vincent@CDCR  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE:

Don't include our stock just provide them the drugs that are being shipped in today. Thanks

[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** August 24, 2010 10:58 PM  
**To:** Cullen, Vincent@CDCR  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re:

Warden Cullen,  
Yes, I will notify [REDACTED]

We currently have thirty 10ml vials each of Potassium Chloride and Pancuromium. The third drug, Sodium Pentothal has been unavailable. Would you like me to include our stock of these two drugs to tomorrow's shipment?

[REDACTED]

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**From:** Cullen, Vincent@CDCR



**To:** [REDACTED]

**Cc:** [REDACTED]

**Sent:** Tue Aug 24 17:21:38 2010

**Subject:** FW:

[REDACTED]  
It is likely that two of the three execution drugs may show up tomorrow. Once they are received in the pharmacy, please contact [REDACTED] at extensor [REDACTED] to have him pick up the drugs. If you cannot reach him at that extension, please contact the Warden's office at extensor [REDACTED] and they will track him down for you. Thank you.

**VINCENT S. CULLEN**

*Warden (A)*

*San Quentin State Prison*

[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED]

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 5:19 PM

**To:** Cullen, Vincent@CDCR

**Cc:** [REDACTED]

**Subject:**

Vince this is to confirm that [REDACTED] is the acting PIC (pharmacist in charge) please direct all information regarding the delivery of drugs/medication needed for the lethal injection can be addressed to her. Thanks [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**From:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR  
**To:** Cate, Matt@CDCR; Rice, Benjamin@CDCR  
**Subject:** Fw: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Wednesday, August 25, 2010 7:17:18 AM

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Fyi  
Scott

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR; [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR; Rice, Benjamin@CDCR; Cullen, Vincent@CDCR; [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wed Aug 25 07:13:36 2010  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]

John,

There are 3 packages arriving today:

| Tracking #   | Carrier | Comments   |
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| [REDACTED]<br>medication(Pancuronium)              | UPS     | one of the UPS packages contains some refrigerated |
| [REDACTED]<br>Sodium and Potassium Chloride        | UPS     | the other UPS package contains some Thiopental     |
| [REDACTED]<br>refrigerated medication(Pancuronium) | FEDEX   | this is a large package containing the rest of the |

I am expecting the rest of the Potassium Chloride to arrive and ship from here today. I'll keep you informed on the rest of the Thiopental...we're still waiting on the manufacturer.

Thanks,

[REDACTED]

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR [mailto:John.McAuliffe@cdcr.ca.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 2:45 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR; Rice, Benjamin@CDCR; Cullen, Vincent@CDCR; [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
Please go ahead and ship the 8 grams of Thiopental.....Thank you...  
John McAuliffe

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:19 PM  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]

John,

We have received 8 grams of Thiopental Sodium. It expires Oct 1, 2010.

Is this ok?

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR [mailto:John.McAuliffe@cdcr.ca.gov]

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:09 PM

**To:** ■

**Subject:** RE: ■

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Great news! Hope some of the product is Sodium Thiopental.....Ship to;

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Thanks

John McAuliffe

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**From:** ■

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 9:27 AM

**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR

**Subject:** ■

John,

We have received some of the product and can ship today.

Please let me know what shipping address to use. I will also email you what is being shipped today.

Thanks,

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR [mailto:John.McAuliffe@cdcr.ca.gov]

**Sent:** Thursday, August 19, 2010 4:16 PM

**To:** ■

**Subject:** Purchase Order # 2010080503

Mr. ■

Just would like to follow up on the status of the order. Mainly I would like to know if you have any status as to when or if you have been contacted as to a possible date the order can be filled. Thanks in advance

John McAuliffe

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**Cullen, Vincent@CDCR**

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 25, 2010 8:14 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Cullen, Vincent@CDCR  
**Subject:** Confidential

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The drugs for the Lethal Injection process are scheduled for delivery today. The procedure requires my direct oversight. I'll send you a message if I need to stop ICC. Thank you.

**Cullen, Vincent@CDRC**

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 25, 2010 10:47 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Cullen, Vincent@CDRC

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Drugs are here. I'll be tied up for a while.

**Cullen, Vincent@CDCR**

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 25, 2010 8:47 AM  
**To:** Cullen, Vincent@CDCR  
**Subject:** Drugs

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Could I be included in the drug pickup today?

[REDACTED]

**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Wednesday, August 25, 2010 11:25:00 AM

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[REDACTED]  
Thanks for the shipping information. Quick question, doing some research I came across Trapanal, a barbiturate that is used as a general anesthesia that has a generic name Thiopental.....Is this the same drug as Sodium Thiopental just under a different name and is this drug available?? Thanks  
John McAuliffe

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 25, 2010 7:14 AM  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR; Risch, Jeff RedRiverPackaging  
**Cc:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR; Rice, Benjamin@CDCR; Cullen, Vincent@CDCR; [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

John,

There are 3 packages arriving today:

| Tracking #   | Carrier    | Comments  |
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| [REDACTED]<br>medication(Pancuronium)              | [REDACTED] | one of the [REDACTED] packages contains some refrigerated |
| [REDACTED]<br>Sodium and Potassium Chloride        | [REDACTED] | the other [REDACTED] package contains some Thiopental     |
| [REDACTED]<br>refrigerated medication(Pancuronium) | [REDACTED] | this is a large package containing the rest of the        |

I am expecting the rest of the Potassium Chloride to arrive and ship from here today. I'll keep you informed on the rest of the Thiopental...we're still waiting on the manufacturer.

Thanks,

[REDACTED]

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR [mailto:John.McAuliffe@cdcr.ca.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 2:45 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR; Rice, Benjamin@CDCR; Cullen, Vincent@CDCR; Curzon, John@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
Please go ahead and ship the 8 grams of Thiopental.....Thank you...  
John McAuliffe

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:19 PM  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

John,

We have received 8 grams of Thiopental Sodium. It expires Oct 1, 2010.

Is this ok?

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR [mailto:John.McAuliffe@cdcr.ca.gov]

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:09 PM

**To:** ■

**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # ■

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Great news! Hope some of the product is Sodium Thiopental.....Ship to;

Chief Pharmacist Meredee Crutcher

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Thanks

John McAuliffe

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**From:** ■

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 9:27 AM

**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR

**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # ■

John,

We have received some of the product and can ship today.

Please let me know what shipping address to use. I will also email you what is being shipped today.

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR [mailto:John.McAuliffe@cdcr.ca.gov]

**Sent:** Thursday, August 19, 2010 4:16 PM

**To:** ■

**Subject:** Purchase Order # ■

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John McAuliffe

(cell) ■



**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Wednesday, August 25, 2010 11:56:00 AM

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Again thanks.  
John

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 25, 2010 11:39 AM  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

I believe it may be the same, but is not available in the U.S.

I checked all the packages below and all have been delivered.

[REDACTED]

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR [mailto:John.McAuliffe@cdcr.ca.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 25, 2010 1:26 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Thanks for the shipping information. Quick question, doing some research I came across Trapanal, a barbiturate that is used as a general anesthesia that has a generic name Thiopental.....Is this the same drug as Sodium Thiopental just under a different name and is this drug available?? Thanks  
John McAuliffe

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 25, 2010 7:14 AM  
**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR; [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR; Rice, Benjamin@CDCR; Cullen, Vincent@CDCR; [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

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Thanks,

[REDACTED]

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**From:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR [mailto:John.McAuliffe@cdcr.ca.gov]

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2010 2:45 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

**Cc:** Kernan, Scott@CDCR; Rice, Benjamin@CDCR; Cullen, Vincent@CDCR; [REDACTED]

**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
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John McAuliffe

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**To:** McAuliffe, John@CDCR

**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

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**Subject:** RE: Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

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**Sent:** Thursday, August 19, 2010 4:16 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

**Subject:** Purchase Order # [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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(cell) [REDACTED]