

January 24, 2018

NOTICE OF DISPOSITION OF DECLARATORY STATEMENT

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Florida Department of Corrections issued a Final Order dated January 22, 2018, disposing of the Petition for Declaratory Statement filed on November 27, 2017, by federal inmate William Morrison, FCI# 19480-045.

The following is a summary of the agency's disposition of the petition: A "prisoner" as that term is defined in §944.02(6), William Morrison, a federal prisoner may only participate in administrative proceedings that are brought pursuant to §§ 120.54(3)(c) and (7), Florida Statutes. Furthermore, the Petition fails to allege or establish that the Petitioner is a "substantially affected person" as provided under §120.565(1), F.S. Pursuant to § 120.81(3), Florida Statutes, the Petitioner lacks standing to bring a Petition for Declaratory Statement, and the Department lacks jurisdiction to issue a declaratory statement in this case.

A copy of the Final Order and the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Betty Money, 501 South Calhoun Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, betty.money@fdc.myflorida.com, (850) 717-3605.