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Statement from Camille Cain on the Arrest of an Employee at Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex

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AUSTIN—Camille Cain, the Executive Director of the Texas Juvenile Justice Department, issued this statement regarding the arrest of Daniel Holmes, a Youth Development Coach at Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex, in Brownwood:

“This morning TJJD received allegations of potential criminal behavior against a staff member who works at the Ron Jackson facility for an incident occurring in either late July or early August.

This afternoon, following an initial investigation, TJJD’s Office of Inspector General arrested Daniel Holmes for improper sexual activity with a person in custody or under the supervision of the agency. Holmes, who is 34 years old and was hired by TJJD in November 2018, was terminated immediately. He was booked into Brown County Jail, and the case will be referred to the Special Prosecution Unit.

I want to make clear that any employee who commits a criminal act will face the highest penalties allowed under the law. TJJD has zero tolerance for such behavior, and I encourage anyone who suspects abuse, neglect, or criminal activity to report it immediately.”

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