

# TEXAS COMMISSION ON JAIL STANDARDS

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## NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANCE CROCKETT COUNTY JAIL

February 15, 2024

Please reference the **Inspection Requirements Review and Jail Inspection Report** issued on February 9, 2024, detailing the specific issues that resulted in the issuance of this notice of non-compliance.

Minimum Standards Violated:	Corrective Measure Required	Date Corrective Action Must Be Completed
263.56	Emergency power equipment shall be tested at least once each week and the electric load transferred to the circuits at least monthly. <b>Staff failed to perform weekly testing and load tests of the generator every month.</b>	Upon receipt of this notice.
273.6(3)	(3) A documented observation of the inmate shall be conducted every 15 minutes, at a minimum. The observations should include an assessment of the security of the restraints and the circulation to the extremities. <b>Staff exceeded the 15-minute observation requirement by 15 minutes to 43 minutes.</b>	Upon receipt of this notice.
275.1	Every facility shall have the appropriate number of jailers at the facility 24 hours each day. Facilities shall have an established procedure for documented face-to-face observation of all inmates by jailers no less than once every 60 minutes. Observation shall be performed at least every 30 minutes in areas where inmates known to be assaultive, potentially suicidal, mentally ill, or who have demonstrated bizarre behavior are confined. There shall be a two-way voice communication capability between inmates and jailers, licensed peace officers, bailiffs, and designated staff at all times. Closed circuit television may be used, but not in lieu of the required personal observation. Electronic sensors or cameras capable of recording the required personal observations of inmates in	Upon receipt of this notice.

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high-risk cells or groups of cells shall be installed no later than August 31, 2020.

**Staff exceeded the 60 minute and 30 observation requirements by 1 minute to 4 hours.**

285.1

Each facility shall have and implement a written plan, approved by the Commission, for inmate physical exercise and physical recreation. Documentation of physical exercise and physical recreation shall be maintained for Commission review. Each inmate shall be allowed one hour of supervised physical exercise or physical recreation at least three days per week.

**Logs provided indicated inmates are not receiving 1 hour of recreation 3 days per week as required.**

**Upon receipt of this notice.**