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Complaint/Incident Intake #: 55968-I

December 21, 2015

Ms. Sarah Ratcliff, Administrator
Bickford Cottage Fort Dodge
1536 20th Avenue North
Fort Dodge, IA 50501

**RE: Final Complaint/Incident Investigation Report – Bickford Cottage Fort Dodge,
Fort Dodge, IA**

Dear Ms. Ratcliff:

Enclosed is the **Final Complaint/Incident Investigation Report** from the on-site monitoring visit of December 17, 2015, completed by the Department of Inspections and Appeals (“DIA”) in accordance with Iowa Code chapter 231C and Iowa Administrative Code (“IAC”) chapters 481—67 and 481—69.

Allegation: Tenant Rights-the Program reported a family concern that a tenant was not treated appropriately

Findings: Not Substantiated

Comments: After receiving notification of the family concern, the Program began an internal investigation and separated the employee from the tenant. During the onsite visit the internal investigation was reviewed, interviews were conducted and the tenant file was reviewed.

Inappropriate treatment of a tenant could not be substantiated

No Regulatory Insufficiencies were identified.

If you have any questions regarding the enclosed Report, please contact me at 515/281-7039 or **Rose.Boccella@dia.iowa.gov**

Sincerely,

Rose Boccella

Rose Boccella
Program Coordinator
Adult Services Bureau

Enclosure

DEPARTMENT OF INSPECTIONS AND APPEALS

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: S0008	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING: _____ B. WING: _____	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED C 12/17/2015
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NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER

STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE

BICKFORD COTTAGE FORT DODGE

**1536 20TH AVENUE N
FORT DODGE, IA 50501**

(X4) ID PREFIX TAG	SUMMARY STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES (EACH DEFICIENCY MUST BE PRECEDED BY FULL REGULATORY OR LSC IDENTIFYING INFORMATION)	ID PREFIX TAG	PROVIDER'S PLAN OF CORRECTION (EACH CORRECTIVE ACTION SHOULD BE CROSS-REFERENCED TO THE APPROPRIATE DEFICIENCY)	(X5) COMPLETE DATE
A 000	481-67 Initial Comments Assisted Living Programs are defined by the type of population served. The census numbers were provided by the Program at the time of the on-site. Dementia-Specific Program by Dedication Number of tenants without cognitive disorder: 26 Number of tenants with cognitive disorder: 6 Total Population of Program at time of on-site: 32 TOTAL census of Assisted Living Program: 32 No regulatory insufficiencies were cited during the investigation of Incident #55968-I.	A 000		

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LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE

TITLE

(X6) DATE