## Part I - Agency Profile

### **Agency Overview**

In 1974, the Idaho Legislature passed the Correctional Industries Act creating Idaho Correctional Industries (ICI) as a financially self-sustaining Agency. This act empowered the Idaho Board of Correction as the governing body over ICI. Although statutorily separate, ICI acts as a division of the Idaho Department of Correction with major program approval by the Board of Correction.

The ICI management team is comprised of business, government (not-for-profit) and manufacturing professionals experienced in product design, vocational and educational training, manufacturing, marketing and sales, and finance. This expertise is the foundation of developing inmate ("Resident Trainees") training programs that produce products that can be sold in the markets authorized by state legislation and regulation. The core management team consists of the Chief Executive Officer/Division Chief, Deputy Chief/Sales Manager, Production Manager, Operations Manager, PIE/Ag Manager, and Financial Officer.

ICI's mission is to provide diversified technical training, along with pro-social life skills to individuals ("Resident Trainees") to enhance their successful reentry into our communities and provide a safer Idaho. The Resident Trainees train in a work environment that emphasizes soft skills, technical skills, work ethic and skills that increase their chance of successfully transitioning back into the community as productive members of society. The management group and a staff of more than forty highly skilled professionals work as a team to accomplish this mission.

The state legislation mandates ICI to be financially self-funded with no annual appropriation from the General Fund. The legislation requires ICI to generate operating funds through the sales of manufactured goods and services. This mandate saves tax dollars and enables the State to provide cost neutral occupational and vocational training to the Resident Trainees of the Idaho Department of Correction.

The state legislation specifies the markets that are authorized to purchase ICI products. These markets include federal, state, and local government organizations, non-profit organizations, and private sector wholesalers and retailers within the State of Idaho. The product requirements of these types of customers determine Resident Trainee training programs and manufacturing processes. Three years ago, the State Legislature added Call Centers to ICI's portfolio of training programs.

Success of ICI is predicated on the continued support from its customers, State leadership, and the community at large. To a large extent, ICI's customer base and their respective spending plans are influenced by state and regional economic conditions. A vibrant economy is necessary for ICI to successfully achieve their stated goals and objectives of financial self-sufficiency, development and implementation of vocational training programs, and retention and advancement of staff. Downturns in the economy negatively impact local and state governments' ability to fund services. Economic downturns also impact ICI's ability to produce revenues to fund operations and incarcerated individuals' training programs. The current labor market has allowed ICI to enhance its work programs for the benefit of our many partners in the agricultural and manufacturing space.

#### Core Functions/Idaho Code

The statutory authority of ICI is found in Idaho Code, Chapter 4, Title 20. ICI is organized to establish productive enterprises in such volume and of such kinds to eliminate unnecessary inmate idleness, provide vocational and rehabilitative training opportunities, as well as financial support for continued operations.

**Revenue and Expenditures (Accrual Basis)** 

Revenue	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
Sales Revenue	\$15,505,749	\$20,650,333	\$21,226,291	\$17,229,587
Other Revenue	\$43,991	\$195,353	\$178,431	\$209,345
Dedicated	0	0	0	0
Total	\$15,549,740	\$20,845,686	\$21,404,722	\$17,438,932
Expenditures	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
Personnel Costs	\$2,861,565	\$2,969,475	\$3,535,949	\$3,470,037
Operating Expenditures	\$12,957,858	\$17,010,631	\$17,984,299	\$15,863,328
Capital Outlay *	\$274,278	\$2,999,824	\$1,300,333	\$774,118
Trustee/Benefit Payments	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	0
Total	\$16,093,701	\$22,979,930	\$22,730,581	\$20,107,483
* Cash basis – depreciation on the	nose assets is reflected	in operating expenditures	i.	

**Training Provided** 

Expenditures	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025				
Average Monthly Trainee Positions								
Traditional Industries	142	159	158	187				
PIE/Ag Program	578	575	483	479				
Total	720	734	641	668				
Annual Training Hours								
Total	1,040,360	1,103,597	1,324,533	1,389,324				

# Part II - Performance Measures

Performance Measure		FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	
Goal 1 Provide Job Training and Personal Growth Opportunities for Resident Trainees							
Trainees enrolled in	actual	35	61	119	104		
Apprenticeship Programs (1) (Only if they've passed the probationary period)	target	20	42	75	100	110	
Trainees enrolled in Certificate	actual	11	7	16	20		
or Licensure Programs (1) (e.g., CDL)	target	12	14	14	20	25	
Total Hours of On-The-Job	actual	*	237,920	89,339.57	312,379		
Training Provided	target	*	300,000	300,000	400,000	500,000	
Total Hours of Classroom Instruction Provided	actual	*	7,676	4,313.5	12,364		
	target	*	8,000	8,000	10,000	15,000	
Skilled Training Opportunities PIE & Ag programs	actual	*	18	28	33		
	target	*	20	13	30	35	
Total Opportunities Filled by Female Resident Trainees	actual	*	167	100	118		
	target	*	75	100	125	130	

<sup>\*</sup> New metric beginning in FY23

Goal 2 Enhance the efforts of IDOC by focusing on our own efforts to reduce recidivism and contribute to a safer corrections environment

<sup>(1)</sup> Benchmark is to have year-over-year improvement of Trainees enrolled in apprentice/certificate or licensures programs.

Performance Measure		FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026
Increase in Participation Male	actual	*	*	-28	-14	
	target	*	*	70	80	50
Increase in Participation Female	actual	*	*	93	98	
	Target**	*	*	60	65	70
Trainees Hired on as FTE's	actual			1	1	
	target			5	8	2

<sup>\*</sup> New metric beginning in FY24

Goal 3 Develop, Retain and Advance Staff							
Percentage of Staff Obtaining	actual	51%	82%	90%	94%		
40 Hours of Training	target	75%	75%	100%	100%	100%	
Promotions/Separation Rate***	actual	26.5%	27%	33%	44%		
	target	50%	25%	30%	35%	35%	
Turnover Rate*	actual	10.6%	16%	8%	44%		
	Industry Std	39.9%	25%	25%	15%	15%	

<sup>\*</sup> Target is to have a turnover rate less than industry standard for a manufacturing entity – std was obtained from Bureau of Labor Statistics

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Number of promotions / number of separations – calculation does not take into consideration existing vacant positions

Goal 4							
Self-Sustaining							
Net Retained Earnings (Loss)	actual	-1.7%	-2.1%	-0.9%	-12%		
%	target	-4%	-9%	-8%	-5%	-5%	
Cash	actual	\$4.26M	\$3.36M	\$4.79M	\$2.41		
	Target*	\$3.5M	\$4.0M	\$4.5M	\$5M	\$4.1M	

<sup>\*</sup> This amount reflects an estimate of 4 months of operating capital - Actual Cash includes funds expected to be invested in capital assets

### **Performance Measure Explanatory Notes**

During FY25, Idaho Correctional Industries (ICI) experienced significant challenges in our Alliance program when two major partners—CS Beef and Idaho Potato—chose to discontinue the use of Resident labor. The CS Beef decision early in the year eliminated nearly 120 Resident positions and reduced annual gross revenue by approximately \$3.5 million. Later in the fiscal year, Idaho Potato made the same decision, further contracting available opportunities.

Despite these setbacks, ICI mitigated much of the impact through growth with other Alliance partners and increased hiring across our production and operations business lines. These actions allowed us to continue advancing our mission of providing meaningful work and training opportunities for Residents while maintaining overall financial stability for the agency.

<sup>\*\*</sup> BLS is on a calendar year

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