

Wisconsin Department of Corrections

Governor Tony Evers | Secretary Kevin A. Carr

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Dear Mr. Blazel and Mr. Queensland:

Pursuant to Wisconsin State Statute 973.25(8), the Department of Corrections is providing an annual report of the number of applications that are received under this section, the number of Certificates of Qualification for Employment (CQE) that are issued, and the number of CQE that are revoked and the reasons for revocation. On August 1, 2021 the Council on Offender Employment and State Courts began the process to receive applications for a CQE. The Department of Corrections intends to submit this annual report at the end of each state fiscal year. The table below provides the data for state fiscal year 2022.

	FY22
Applications DOC Received	3
Certificates of Qualification for Employment Issued	2
Certificates of Qualification for Employment Revoked	0

One of the CQE applications received by the Council on Offender Employment was found to be ineligible due to the applicant still being incarcerated.

Sincerely,

Kevin A. Carr, Secretary

Department of Corrections

Cc:

Jared Hoy, Deputy Secretary

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Council on Offender Employment

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