Updates on the DVD/CD issue.

a. We have completed our research regarding a second license to cover Christian productions (copyright protected movies from commercial companies that produce Christian materials.)

This category of films is covered by a license we've obtained from Church Video Licensing Inc. (CVLI). Information concerning their organization can be found online at their website: CVLI.com. Their Licensing Office address is 17201 NE Sacramento Street, Portland, OR 97230. CVLI's Member Services office is located at 5455 Centinela Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90066, 1-888-771-2854.

We obtained a “Total Package” license which covers over 500 producers, including the major Hollywood Studios like Disney, DreamWorks, Fox, MGM, New Line Cinema, Paramount, Universal, United Artists and Warner Bros. This is a similar contract to the Swank license which covers the Monthly Rewards program and the Bible studies. I have attached a copy of the producers covered by the Swank and CVLI licenses to this email.

b. We also have a clear ruling on the use of music CD’s by volunteers in the facility. It is legal for volunteers to play music from CD’s in Bible studies and worship services. We may not broadcast the music on the CD’s on a speaker system to the whole facility.

IF THE VOLUNTEER CHURCH HAS A CCLI LICENSE, they may also bring the printed words to the songs to share during the worship service; HOWEVER, they must be taken out of the jail when the volunteers leave the building. This information is according to the national ruling authority, Christian Copyright Licensing International (CCLI), a company established in 1988 to provide churches with solutions to complex copyright issues. Their contact information is: 17201 NE Sacramento St., Portland, OR, 97230, 1 800 257 2244, www.CCLI.com.

When you bring your CD or DVD to the jail to donate it, you must complete a form to do so. You cannot just drop the disks off.

**ALSO, this coverage is not for VHS tapes.** They are not covered and not allowed at the jail.