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Dear Residents, Staff Members, Families and Powers of Attorney,

The following is an update regarding mold abatement progress and prevention efforts at the New Jersey Veterans Memorial Home at Menlo Park.

I am pleased to announce that reoccupation of the rooms in Liberty wing is currently underway.

Active Environmental Technologies, Inc. continued abatement treatment and repairs within the Freedom, Old Glory, and Stars and Stripes wings. Drywall installation in Old Glory rooms 605 and 607 is completed, and painting and bathroom floor repairs have commenced. The Stars and Stripes wing's common areas are now being worked on for abatement. In addition, trim work, cleaning and furnishing has been completed in rooms 301 and 303 of the Stars and Stripes wing. Finally, painting, floor repair fixtures, and trim work have now commenced in the rooms in Freedom wing.

Please contact me at lisa.kranis@dmaya.nj.gov to share any additional questions or concerns. If you have concerns, please provide us with specific details, such as room numbers, so that we can look into the matter.

Regards,

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Chief Executive Officer