



CCPOA MEMBER ALERT

Large Scale Riot at CSP Sacramento

Friday, May 20, 2011

At approximately 10:00 a.m this morning, roughly 180- 200 inmates were involved in multiple melees within the maximum-security B-Facility at CSP Sac. At this time there has been just one report of an officer suffering an injury during the incident.

Numerous inmates were injured in the riots and manufactured weapons were involved. A number of violent incidents occurred throughout B facility including a housing unit, a small yard, a classroom, and a program office. At least two inmates were stabbed multiple times and were transported to an outside hospital.

Officers utilized chemical agents, baton rounds, and one lethal round as a warning shot. Response teams from nearby Folsom State Prison were sent to assist.

California State Prison-Sacramento has a design capacity of 1,828 inmates but currently houses nearly 3,000 inmates.

More information will be released as it becomes available.