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Christie Administration Continues Season of Service as Banking and Insurance Commissioner Serves Meals at Rescue Mission of Trenton

TRENTON —Department of Banking and Insurance Commissioner Richard J. Badolato today visited the Rescue Mission of Trenton to continue the Christie Administration's seventh Annual Season of Service. Commissioner Badolato joined DOBI staff in preparing and serving lunches to Trenton residents.

"It is always a pleasure to work with Rescue Mission staff to serve fellow Mercer County residents," said Commissioner Badolato. "The Rescue Mission maintains a proud tradition of providing important services to Trenton area residents. It is an honor to participate in one of their many extraordinary programs."

The Rescue Mission of Trenton, at 98 Carroll Street, was founded in 1915, and provides meals, addiction, health and emergency services to residents. The Rescue Mission maintains an emergency shelter in Trenton that is open daily, as well as transitional housing and other services for the homeless.

Since 2011, Cabinet members and officials have participated in more than 350 service opportunities throughout the State – volunteering at food banks, soup kitchens and shelters serving meals, packing boxes or delivering meals. They have also helped in recovery and rebuilding after Superstorm Sandy and programs focusing on drug abuse and addiction and the work being done to overcome the disease.

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Caption: DOBI staff served more than 100 lunches at the Rescue Mission of Trenton during the Seventh Annual Season of Service on December 13. Clockwise from top left; Office of Consumer Finance Managing Examiner Tim Johnson prepares plates for Trenton residents; Consumer Protection staff member Jerry Jones and Property and Casualty Manager Carmen Williams serve beverages and DOBI Chief of Staff Wells Winegar serves hot meals; Commissioner Badolato and DOBI staff prepare lunches and Commissioner Badolato and Department staff tour the Rescue Mission of Trenton following their service.

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