San Diego County Sheriff's Department Detention Services Bureau - Manual of Policies and Procedures

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SUBJECT: JUVENILES ENTERING DETENTION FACILITIES **RELATED SECTIONS:** P.9, Q.9, SDSD P&P 6.3, Prison Rape Elimination Act of

2003

Addendum F, CSB P&P F.14

PURPOSE:

To maintain detention facility security and ensure juveniles have no contact with inmates in Sheriff's custody.

POLICY:

It is the policy of this department, to restrict juvenile contact with the general inmate population. A juvenile is defined as any person under the age of 18 years.

PROCEDURE:

Juvenile Visits Inside Detention Facilities

- I. No juvenile shall be allowed access into any Sheriff's detention facility. This includes all relatives, friends, or guests of either staff or inmates. Furthermore, no tours or groups of juveniles shall be admitted.
- II. In case of exigent circumstances, the watch commander may deviate from this policy. The watch commander shall, in writing within 24 hours, notify the facility commander of the reason for the exception.
- III. This policy is not meant to prohibit juvenile phone visitation per Detention Policy and Procedure Section P.9 or contact visits when accompanied by a parent or guardian at the Las Colinas Detention and Reentry Facility or the East Mesa Reentry Facility.