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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 incarcerated persons in Sheriff's custody.

POLICY:

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

PROCEDURE:

- I. JUVENILE VISITS INSIDE DETENTION FACILITIES
 - A. No juvenile shall be allowed access into any Sheriff's detention facility. This includes all relatives, friends, or guests of either staff or incarcerated persons. Furthermore, no tours or groups of juveniles shall be admitted.
 - B. In case of exigent circumstances, the watch commander may deviate from this policy. The watch commander shall notify the facility commander within 24 hours the reason for the exception.
 - C. This policy is not meant to prohibit juvenile phone or video visitation per Detention Policies and Procedures section P.9, or contact visits when accompanied by a parent or guardian at the Las Colinas Detention and Reentry Facility.