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DETENTION DEFINITIONS

The following are definitions of juvenile detentions:

- "Temporary custody" means that the minor is not at liberty to leave the law enforcement facility;
- "Secure detention" means that a minor being held in temporary custody in a law enforcement facility is locked in a room or enclosure and/or is physically secured to a cuffing rail or other stationary object; and
- "Nonsecure detention" means that a minor's freedom of movement is controlled by the staff of a facility and (a) the minor is under constant personal visual observation and supervision by staff of the law enforcement facility, (b) the minor is not locked in a room or enclosure and (c) the minor is not physically secured to a cuffing rail or other stationary object.