3-14/020.10 - Stealth Belt

The "Stealth Belt" is designed to be utilized during inmate movement and courtroom proceedings. The purpose of the belt is to provide a greater measure of control for suspects or defendants whose actions pose a serious or significant threat to their own safety, the safety of officers or potential damage to property.

Prior to deploying the "Stealth Belt" during a court session, Department personnel shall have approval from the Branch Supervisor and the bench officer. Each time the "Stealth Belt" is deployed, it shall be documented by completing the Court Services Division "Court Restraint Device Record" form (Refer to CSDM, 3-14/020.15 - Court Restraint Device Form).

The secured inmate must always be under the direct supervision of department personnel and at no time is the inmate to be left unattended while wearing the "Stealth Belt."

The equipment will be kept in a secure location when not in use.

Refer to CSDM, 1-04/050.00 - Weapon and Safety Equipment Storage and Control.