Section 5-08 - Search Procedures

• 5-08-020 Custody Safety Screening Program (B-SCAN)

PURPOSE OF ORDER:

The purpose of this order is to establish policy and procedures regarding the use of the "Smith Detection B-SCAN 16HR-LD 250" (referred to as B-SCAN).

SCOPE OF ORDER:

This order shall apply to all personnel assigned to Pitchess Detention Center (PDC) North Facility.

ORDER:

The purpose of the B-SCAN screening system is to curtail the supply of contraband entering PDC North Facility and to minimize the need for more intrusive methods of searching inmates. The B-SCAN machines are located in the Inmate Processing Area (IPA) and shall be used to screen new inmates, court returnees, and inmate workers.

• 5-08-030 Processing Incoming Lines

PURPOSE OF ORDER:

The purpose of this order is to establish procedures for the processing of incoming lines at Pitchess Detention Center (PDC) North Facility.

SCOPE OF ORDER:

This order shall apply to all personnel assigned to PDC North Facility.

ORDER:

Once the watch deputy receives incoming paperwork, he/she shall review and process the list. Any discrepancies shall be resolved by contacting the Population Management Bureau (PMB).

PROCESSING

 All available personnel shall respond to the Inmate Processing Area (IPA) to receive the incoming line of inmates

- [REDACTED TEXT]
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- A supervisor at the minimum rank of supervising line deputy, shall be present in the IPA prior to processing the incoming line
- All inmates shall be unhandcuffed and a wristband check shall be conducted
- After the wristbands have been verified, all inmates shall be strip searched in accordance with department policy and given all necessary clothing
- If the IPA deputy determines that an inmate is unfit for PDC North Facility, they shall notify the watch deputy who shall contact PMB to arrange a new housing location