

# Emergency Suspension of Standards or Requirements

## 901.1 PURPOSE AND SCOPE

The purpose is to establish and implement written policy and procedures for the suspension of any standard or requirement established by the Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) Title 15 – Minimum Standards for Juvenile Facilities. This policy applies to all juvenile facility staff.

## 901.2 AUTHORITY AND REFERENCES

- Board of State and Community Corrections Title 15 § 1311;
- Welfare and Institutions Code §§ 209, 210 & 885.

## 901.3 POLICY

The Chief Probation Officer has the authority to temporarily suspend any BSCC Title 15 standard or requirement in the event of an emergency which threatens the safety of the juvenile facility, youth, staff and/or the public. Only such regulations directly affected by the emergency may be suspended.

## 901.4 NOTIFICATION PROCESS

The Chief Probation Officer shall notify the BSCC in writing in the event that such a suspension lasts longer than three days. In no event shall a suspension continue more than fifteen days without the approval of the chairperson of the BSCC for a time specified by him/her.

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