



Title 15 Minimum Standards For Local Detention Facilities

**Title 15-Crime Prevention and Corrections
Division 1, Chapter 1, Subchapter 4**

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- manufacture or use of weapons, narcotics, or explosives; or any other unlawful activity;
- (3) open and inspect any publications or packages received by an inmate; and
- (4) restrict the number of books, newspapers, periodicals, or writings the inmate may have in his/her cell or elsewhere in the facility at one time.

(b) The facility administrator of a Type I facility shall develop and implement a written plan to make available a daily newspaper in general circulation, including a non-English language publication, to assure reasonable access to interested inmates.

Note: Authority cited: Section 6030, Penal Code. Reference: Sections 6030, Penal Code.

§ 1067. Access to Telephone.

The facility administrator shall develop written policies and procedures which allow reasonable access to a telephone beyond those telephone calls which are required by Section 851.5 of the Penal Code.

Note: Authority cited: Section 6030, Penal Code. Reference: Section 6030, Penal Code.

§ 1068. Access to the Courts and Counsel.

The facility administrator shall develop written policies and procedures to ensure inmates have access to the court and to legal counsel. Such access shall consist of:

- (a) unlimited mail as provided in Section 1063 of these regulations, and,
- (b) confidential consultation with attorneys.

Note: Authority cited: Section 6030, Penal Code. Reference: Section 6030, Penal Code.

§ 1069. Inmate Orientation.

(a) In Type II, III, and IV facilities, the facility administrator shall develop written policies and procedures for the implementation of a program reasonably understandable to inmates designed to orient a newly received inmate at the time of placement in a living area. Such a program shall be published and include, but not be limited to, the following:

- (1) correspondence, visiting, and telephone usage rules;
- (2) rules and disciplinary procedures;
- (3) inmate grievance procedures;
- (4) programs and activities available and method of application;
- (5) medical services;
- (6) classification/housing assignments;
- (7) court appearance where scheduled, if known;
- (8) voting, including registration; and,
- (9) zero tolerance policy against sexual abuse and sexual harassment.