

# Department of Justice and Public Safety Adult Custody Services

Policy: Personal Property of Adult Custody Services Staff B6

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### **MISSION STATEMENT**

Adult Custody Services is committed to providing professional practices that respect human rights and ensure safety for all. To be successful we will deliver fair practices, incorporate transparent policies and procedures, ensure independent quality assurance processes, and provide program access that allows for educational, cultural, traditional, and faith-based services as well as mental wellness and community re-entry assistance.

#### **PURPOSE**

To provide standards and directions to all employees about the management and admission of personal property within an adult custody centre.

# **LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY**

.Corrections Act NB Regulation 35(a)

### **SCOPE**

This policy applies to all employees of the Adult Custody Services division of the Department Justice and Public Safety.

## **POLICY GUIDELINES**

Staff members shall not report to work with a large amount of cash, medication, valuable jewelry, credit cards or other such personal property. Personal cell phones are not to be brought into the secure area of the institution, with out authorization from the Superintendent and or their designate. Such items should be stored at home or elsewhere, but not at the institution.

## **PROCEDURE**

### Personal Vehicles, cell phones and Keys

Staff members will park personal vehicles in a designated area and ensure keys are locked in a secure area, as per Local Policy and Procedures.

Personal cell phones are to be kept out of secure areas of the institution and to be stored in a locked area as per Local Policy and Procedures.



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# Stolen Personal Items Require Affidavit

Employees, who sustain losses, while on duty, through escape, robbery, or other, will prepare an affidavit, giving the details of the item lost and a cost estimate to the Superintendent or designate. A copy of the signed affidavit will be forwarded to the Director of Adult Custody Services.

# Personal Items Damaged Require Incident Report

Employees, sustaining damage to personal property while on duty shall report such damage to their supervisor and complete a detailed report, including estimated cost or repair or replacement prior to the end of their workday.

### **RELATED POLICY**

B7 Staff Conduct and DeportmentB8 Dress RegulationsAdult Institutional Policy Manual NB

Volume 2, Section 2702 – Protective Clothing and Equipment Administration Manual N.B http://intranet.gov.nb.ca./finance/fincorp/adminman/uindexen.htm

Article 27
CUPE 1251 Collective Agreement N.B.
<a href="http://intranet.gov.nb.ca./finance/fincorp/jj/AGREMNTS/Collag1.htm">http://intranet.gov.nb.ca./finance/fincorp/jj/AGREMNTS/Collag1.htm</a>