NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS
ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATION
450

PREVENTING, APPREHENDING AND REPORTING OF ESCAPES

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AUTHORITY

NRS 209.131
NRS 212.030 – 212.130

RESPONSIBILITY

The Wardens of the institutions/facilities are responsible to develop and implement effective procedures which prevent inmates from escaping. Should an escape occur, the Wardens are responsible to ensure appropriate search and documentation actions are taken.

450.01 PROCEDURES

1. Detailed procedures regarding preventing and apprehending escapes are listed in a separate Confidential manual.

2. Notifications will be made in accordance with AR 121 – Incident Reporting and Notification Requirements.

3. In accordance with NRS 213.160, an inmate on escape status will not receive credits for time served against his maximum or minimum sentence until such time as that individual is taken into custody as based on the warrant and complaint issued charging felony escape.

4. The Shift Supervisor will assign an employee to be responsible for recording all the staff time spent on the escape designating if it is overtime or regular work assignment. Refer to AR 209 – Financial Aspects of Reporting Escapes.

5. Should an escape/escape attempt occur, the Shift Supervisor and the person designated as the Escape Commander must obtain written reports from each staff member involved in the escape/escape attempt prior to being relieved of duty. The Shift Supervisor and Escape Commander will prepare a complete written report covering the entire matter from the time the escape occurred,

to the conclusion of the incident.

APPLICABILITY

1. This Administrative Regulation requires an Operational Procedure.

2. This Administrative Regulation requires an audit.

REFERENCES

ACA Standards, 4th Edition, 4-4187; 4-4206; 4-4217; 4-4224; 4-4225; and 4-4225-1

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