Riverside County Sheriff's Department Tool Control Guidelines for Contractors Working in Correctional Facilities

The Riverside County Sheriff's Department has implemented a Tool Control Program at all Riverside County Sheriff's Department correctional facilities. The purpose of the program is to increase the safety at the facilities by keeping dangerous tools out of the hands of inmates. All contractors entering or exiting one of these facilities will be required to comply with the program requirements. The security staff at these facilities will make every effort to minimize any inconvenience caused by this program. We are providing you these guidelines so you can prepare the necessary documentation in advance to minimize any delay entering or exiting the facility.

All contractors performing work inside the secured area of the facilities will be required to have their tools inventoried upon entry to and exit from the facility.

<u>Instructions for persons entering and exiting the facility:</u>

- Complete the attached inventory form listing all of the tools you will need to take inside (preferably prior to arrival at the facility). Limiting the number of tools needed will speed your entry and departure.
- Present the written inventory at the entrance to the facility at which you are working.
- A member of the security staff will compare the tools you are taking into the facility to your written inventory and return the form to you after signing it.
- A member of the security staff will repeat the inventory on your way out of the facility to make sure you have not left any tools at the job site.
- The security staff will retain the original inventory form but will make you a copy if you need one.
- Contractors performing regular work at these facilities should prepare advance inventories for each toolbox with a few blank lines at the bottom and store the inventories on a computer. When you need to come to a facility, you can print the appropriate pages to take with you and handwrite any additional special tools at the bottom.
- If needed, you will be allowed entry to the facility to look at the work to be done prior to determining what tools you will need to minimize the number of tools subject to the inventory requirement.

Instructions for vehicles entering and exiting the facility:

- All vehicles entering the secured area of any correctional facility operated by the Riverside County Sheriff's Department will be subject to search and will be logged in and out at the gate.
- An inventory form listing all your tools will need to be completed for any vehicle parking within
 the secured area of a facility. As noted above, security staff will compare the tools loaded on the
 vehicle to your written inventory log upon entering and exiting any secured area.

Contact Information if you have questions about this policy or need more information:

Sheriff's Project Management Office (951) 955-0775

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