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SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA

ARIZONA JUDICIAL COUNCIL
COMMITTEE ON JUVENILE COURTS

ARIZONA JUVENILE DETENTION STANDARDS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Administrative Order No. 90- 31

In accordance with Administrative Order No. 90-13, the Chief Justice may establish advisory committees to the Arizona Judicial Council to assist the Council in carrying out its responsibilities. Now, therefore,

IT IS ORDERED THAT an advisory committee on juvenile detention standards is hereby established and shall be known as the Arizona Juvenile Detention Standards Advisory Committee.

PURPOSE. The Committee on Juvenile Courts was established to facilitate communication and problem solving among the juvenile court judges in regard to juvenile court matters. The Arizona Juvenile Detention Standards Advisory Committee shall assist in this process by developing and recommending both mandatory and advisory juvenile detention center standards. These standards shall include detention administration responsibilities, admissions procedures, juvenile rights, facility requirements, and services for juvenile detainees.

MEMBERSHIP. Committee membership and leadership shall be appointed by the Chief Justice and shall include a presiding Juvenile Court Judge of the Superior Court, Juvenile Court Directors and Detention Supervisors from both rural and urban counties, law enforcement and Department of Corrections representatives, juvenile defense and prosecuting attorneys, a Board of Supervisors member, a representative from the Governor's Office for Children, two public members with juvenile court or detention operations experience or knowledge, and others who are appointed at the discretion of the Chief Justice. The appointed Superior Court Judge shall be the Committee Chair.

ORGANIZATION. The Committee shall be broken into sub-committees for thorough completion of tasks. Each sub-committee shall meet three (3) times, with the full Committee meeting six (6) times in a twelve month period. Additional meetings may be called at the discretion of the Chair. The full Committee meetings shall be open to the public.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF MEMBERS. Committee members shall attend and actively participate in Committee meetings and shall assist in the administration of Committee affairs.

ACTIONS. The Committee shall adopt rules for conducting Committee business. These rules shall prescribe the quorum and majority needed to constitute Committee actions.

STAFF. Under the direction of the Chief Justice, the Administrative Office of the Courts shall provide staff for the Committee and may conduct or coordinate research as recommended by the Committee.

DATED AND ENTERED this 28th Day of August, 1990
at the State Capitol in Phoenix, Arizona.

FRANK X. GORDON, JR.
Chief Justice

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