I. PURPOSE:
To provide a policy and procedure for inmates who are foreign nationals to have access to the diplomatic representative of their country of citizenship.

II. APPLICABILITY:
To all inmates who are citizens of countries other than the United States of America, Classification Staff and Wardens.

III. POLICY:
It is the policy of the New Hampshire Department of Corrections that inmates who are citizens of other countries be made aware of their right to contact a representative of their country of citizenship.

IV. PROCEDURE:
A. During the initial quarantine period as part of the classification process, the Classification Staff will orally inform foreign nationals of their right to contact their diplomatic representative.
B. The inmate will be referred to their Case Counselor/Case Manager for assistance in contacting their diplomatic representative.

REFERENCES:

Standards for the Administration of Correctional Agencies
Second Edition Standards

Standards for Adult Correctional Institutions
Fourth Edition Standards

Standards for Adult Probation and Parole Field Services
Third Edition Standards

Standards for Adult Community Residential Services
Fourth Edition Standards

Other

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