

KERN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Detentions Bureau Policies and Procedures

TITLE: LIBRARY SERVICES

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POLICY

Incarcerated people will be allowed access to books and periodicals from the facility library. Each incarcerated person will be allowed no more than two (2) books and two (2) periodicals from the facility library in their possession at any one time. Library books and periodicals will be distributed by officers as their duties permit.

Books and periodicals may be accepted by the facility as donations from civic groups. Those books become the property of the Detention Bureau. Periodicals from the publisher may be accepted. Individuals cannot bring books or periodicals to incarcerated people without the approval of the Division Commander or Shift Supervisor.

Inflammatory literature that may incite misbehavior or criminal activity within the facility is unauthorized material and will not be allowed in the library.