



**Department of Justice and Public Safety**  
**Adult Custody Services**

Policy: **Foreign Clients C5**  
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**MISSION STATEMENT**

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Adult Custody Services is committed to providing professional practices that respect human rights and ensure safety for all. To be successful we will deliver fair practices, incorporate transparent policies and procedures, ensure independent quality assurance processes, and provide program access that allows for educational, cultural, traditional and faith-based services as well as mental wellness and community re-entry assistance.

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**PURPOSE**

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To establish procedural standards of administration for notification of foreign client's admission or escape.

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**LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY**

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Policy directive only. [Corrections Act NB Regulation 35\(a\)](#)

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**SCOPE**

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This policy applies to all employees of the Adult Custody Services division of the Department of Justice and Public Safety.

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**POLICY GUIDELINES**

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- A federal immigration officer will be notified immediately upon the admission or escape of a foreign citizen.
- The appropriate consulate/embassy will also be notified immediately of the admission.

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**PROCEDURE**

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**Federal Immigration Information**

All pertinent information will be provided to the federal immigration officer, by a designate of the Superintendent.

**American Consulate**

In the case of an American citizen the nearest consulate is:

United States Consulate  
1973 Upper Water Street  
Halifax, NS  
B3J 0A9  
[www.usembassycanada.gov](http://www.usembassycanada.gov)



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**Written Notification**

Information provided to the Consulate/Embassy will be confirmed in writing by the Superintendent. A copy of this notification will be in the client's file.

**Visits**

Consulate / Embassy officials will be given an opportunity to visit but they may not take any action opposed by the client

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**RELATED POLICY**

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C6 Immigration Orders  
E22 International Transfers  
Adult Institutional Policy Manual NB.