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		Title: Support Teams: Field and Community Services		Adopted: 2-21-2001 Reviewed: 6-24-2011 Next Review: 6-24-2013

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POLICY STATEMENT

It is the policy of the Idaho Board of Correction that the Idaho Department of Correction (IDOC) establish and maintain teams for the purpose of responding to field and community incidents such as escapes and walk-aways, apprehension of high-level absconders, facility disturbances and riots, and natural disasters.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to communicate the Board's philosophy regarding the need and use of IDOC response teams.

SCOPE

This policy applies to all procedures created under the authority of this policy and to all uniformed Operations Division staff members working in probation and parole district offices and community work centers (CWCs).

RESPONSIBILITY

The director of the IDOC and chief of the Operations Division are responsible for overseeing the implementation of this policy and the development and implementation of a standard operating procedure (SOP) that provides guidance to uniformed Operations Division staff regarding field and community support teams.

At a minimum, the SOP must provide guidance in the following areas:

- Team structure,
- Team membership criteria,
- Team recruitment and selection,
- Team member retention requirements,
- Appointment of team leadership,

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- Team training requirements,
- Team activation, and
- Team audits.

REFERENCES

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