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SUBJECT: Relations With Allied Agencies		
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I. PURPOSE

The successful pursuit of the mission of the Department of Natural Resources is in many ways contingent on the assistance and cooperation with other criminal justice agencies. Sharing of information between law enforcement agencies is critical to solving crimes.

II. POLICY

Department peace officers shall cooperate fully with all agencies engaged in the administration of criminal justice providing such aid and information they may be authorized to receive.

III. PROCEDURES

- A. Peace Officers of the department may serve on law enforcement planning committees, community or liaison groups, etc. all appointments to such groups which do not originate from the division director's office, shall be submitted through the chain of command to the division directors office for approval. Employees representing employee organizations are excluded from this requirement.
- B. Department peace officers shall assist other law enforcement agencies when requested.
- C. Public statements criticizing any other agency in the criminal justice system, if appropriate, shall emanate from the officer's division director's office.
- D. Department peace officers shall not publicly criticize any court.
- E. Any matter which a peace officer believes justifies a complaint and /or criticism of another agency, shall be channeled through the chain of command.