

V. Magaña

Blanket Order No. 21

RELEASE OF MINORS FROM RIVERSIDE JUVENILE HALL TO OPERATION SAFEHOUSE

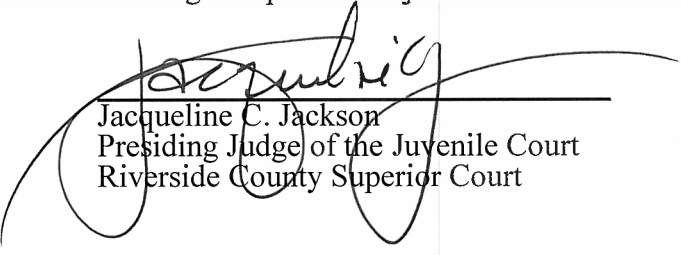
Minors who are arrested and taken to Riverside Juvenile Hall may be runaways or incorrigible such that their offense may not meet the legal requirements of a Welf. & Inst. Code, §602 petition. Other minors who have been detained may not fall under the criteria for the filing of a Welf. & Inst. Code, §300 petition. Arrested and detained minors may have parents, guardians, or responsible relatives who refuse to accept the minors' return home, whom cannot be contacted within detention time constraints, or may not have parents, guardians, or responsible relatives to whom they may be released.

Operation Safehouse is a privately run program which provides shelter and services to minors, including reunification, counseling, crisis intervention, evaluation, and referral. These services are provided within a safe and non-secured environment.

The juvenile court finds good cause to issue a standing order authorizing the Riverside County Probation Department to release minors to Operation Safehouse staff when it appears to a supervising probation officer that no parent, guardian, or responsible relative is willing or able

1 to take immediate physical custody of the minor, the minor is not a ward of dependent of the
2 juvenile court, and no legal cause exists for the filing of a petition in juvenile court.

3 Dated: 5/21/15

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5 Jacqueline C. Jackson
6 Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Court
7 Riverside County Superior Court
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