


COUNTY OF SUFFOLK



OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF

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TO: ALL PERSONNEL
FROM: SHERIFF VINCENT F. DeMARCO
DATE: September 8, 2014
SUBJECT: MEMORANDUM- ICE DETAINERS



The Sheriff's Office policy regarding ICE detainees whether lodged by ICE or included with the admission paperwork from an arresting agency is **NOT** to hold an inmate solely on an ICE detainee.

Inmates scheduled to be released from custody, will not be held solely on the basis of an ICE detainee request.

Suffolk County Sheriff's Office (SCSO) officials shall not detain any individual at the request of U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) unless ICE first presents SCSO with judicially issued warrant authorizing such detention.

In particular, SCSO officials shall not arrest, detain, or transport anyone solely on the basis of an immigration detainee or an administrative immigration warrant, including an administrative immigration warrant in the National Crime Information Center (NCIC) database.

Inmates with an ICE detainee will be sent to court for their commitment charge(s) as a straight-out court appearance. In the event all local charges are disposed of, the inmate will not be returned to the Correctional facilities.

VFD/kcm