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SUBJECT: FUNDS/CLOTHING FOR RELEASED OFFENDERS

- I. AUTHORITY.** The Board of Corrections (Board) is vested with the authority to promulgate this Administration Regulation by Ark. Code Ann. §§12-27-105, 16-93-1203, 16-92-1205, and 12-29-112.
- II. APPLICABILITY.** This regulation applies to Department of Correction and Department of Community Correction (DCC) staff, especially those involved in the offender release process.
- III. POLICY.** The departments will provide satisfactory clothing and travel subsidy to eligible offenders upon release from custody.
- IV. PROCEDURES.**
- A. Travel Subsidy.** A travel subsidy consists of a voucher for a bus ticket and payment of an amount set by the Board for meal costs and incidentals. When needed, it will be paid offenders discharged to approved locations from a department facility due to parole, expiration of sentence, or transfer to DCC community supervision with the following exceptions:
1. Offenders released to a detainer;
 2. Offenders participating in the Department of Correction Work/Study Release Program immediately preceding release; unless an exception is made by the Director.
 3. Offenders released from the DCC Technical Violators Program who can arrange for family or friends to provide transportation or for whom a Parole/Probation Officer provides transportation.



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- B. Disbursements.** Upon release, an eligible offender will receive an amount approved by the Board from sources of funds determined by the Department Director to be allowable within current and future budgetary constraints. Issuance of checks will be accomplished in accordance with the procedures established by the Departments' Administrative Services Divisions.
- C. Clothing.** In the event of legitimate need, clothing may be issued to an offender prior to release.
- V. STANDARDS.** American Correctional Association, Adult Community Residential Services, Fourth Edition, expected practice 4-ACRS-6A-13 [P].