

**IMPERIAL COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
CORRECTIONS BUREAU**

Agreement for Media Interview

Date: _____

Inmate's Name: _____

Inmate's Booking/Name Number: _____

I, _____, do hereby state that I am primarily employed in the business of gathering or reporting news for a newspaper qualifying as a general circulation newspaper in the community to which it publishes; a news magazine or periodical having a national or international circulation; national or international news services; or radio or television news programming holding a Federal Communications Commission license.

My employer is (business name) _____, my immediate superior is _____, who may be reached at (phone) _____.

I have familiarized myself with institutional policy governing my conduct during interviews and visits within the Jail and agree to comply fully with them.

I hereby fully and completely waive my right to be free from search of my person or property so long as I remain within the boundaries of the Jail grounds.

I agree to provide no compensation or consideration of any kind, either direct or indirect, to the inmate or his or her family for any interviews or correspondence. I further agree to respect the rights of privacy of all inmates and to obtain a release from any inmate before any photos or recordings are used or personal information derived from any interview or correspondence is used in any publication or broadcast.

I recognize a visit to a Jail presents certain hazards and that the Imperial County Sheriff's Jail has a "No Hostage" policy. I agree to freely and fully assume all ordinary and usual risks to my personal safety inherent in a visit to a Jail.

(Print Name)

(Signature)

ATTACHMENT 1

Original to Inmate's file

Copy to media representative

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Inmate Consent to Contact with News Media

Date: _____

Inmate's Name: _____

Booking/Name Number: _____

Name of News Media Representative: _____

Name of Media Organization: _____

Address of Media Organization: _____

I, the above named inmate, do hereby freely give permission to the above named news media representative to interview me on or about (date) _____, and I do hereby authorize the news media represented by this person to use any information gathered about me during this interview for any legitimate purpose.

I further authorize the Corrections Bureau Commander to release to representatives of the news media any documents or information relating to allegations or comments made by me in this interview.

Inmate's signature: _____

Witness: _____

Title: _____

I, the above named inmate, do further freely give permission to the above named news media representative to make recordings of my voice during this interview and to take photos of me (still, movie, or video) and I do hereby authorize the use of such pictures or recording by the news media represented by this person for any legitimate purpose.

Inmate's signature: _____

Witness: _____

Title: _____

I, the above named inmate, refuse permission to the above named news media representative to interview me.

Inmate's signature: _____

Witness: _____

Title: _____

ATTACHMENT 2

Original to Inmate's file

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