STREET GANG QUESTIONNAIRE [County Sheriff Version] February, 2001

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Date / Time of initial contact:

Interviewer name:_____

For the purpose of this survey, a street gang is defined as: a group of youths or young adults **IN YOUR JURISDICTION** that you or other people in your agency are willing to identify or classify as a gang. This definition **DOES NOT INCLUDE** motorcycle gangs, hate or ideology groups. Please base your responses on your records, your personal knowledge, and/or consultations with other agency personnel who familiar with street gangs.

Survey Questions

Q.1. Does your jail have a system in place to identify gang members?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Don't know ☐

Q.1a. If so, what criteria do you use to identify gang members?

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Q.2. During 2000, were you aware of any street gang members within the jail population?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Don't know ☐

IF INTERVIEWEE ANSWERS "YES**" TO QUESTION 2, PLEASE CONTINUE**.

IF INTERVIEWEE ANSWERS "NO**" or "**DO NOT KNOW**" TO QUESTION 2, THAT COMPLETES THE SURVEY.**

Q.3. How many street gangs have you identified in your county jail?

Number of street gangs ☐☐☐ Don't know ☐

Q.4. What PERCENTAGE of your jail population would you estimate are gang members?

Percentage of jail population ☐☐☐ Don't know ☐

Q.5: WHICH GANGS have members in the jail? *(record answers below)*

Q.5a: Within the jail population, how many members would you estimate are in these gangs?

		# of Members	
☐	18th Street Gang		DK
☐	5 Percenters		DK
☐	Latin Kings: ALKQN		DK
☐	Born To Kill: BTK		DK
☐	Bloods		DK
☐	Crips		DK
☐	Dominicans Don't Play: DDP		DK
☐	La Mugre		DK
☐	Mara Salvatrucha: MS-13		DK
☐	Ñeta		DK
☐	Other (specify):		DK
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Q.7. Is there a hierarchy of street gangs within your jail? (Are certain gangs more influential than others?)

Yes ☐ No ☐ Don't know ☐

If Yes:
Q.7a: Which ones?

Q.8: Is there ONE street gang that is dominant in your jail?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Don't know ☐

If Yes:
Q.8a: Which one?

Q.9. During 2000, what types of crimes were street gang members serving jail time for?

Aggravated Assault	☐	Drug Sales	☐
Robbery	☐	Arson	☐
Carjacking	☐	Witness intimidation	☐
Weapons possession	☐	Terroristic threats	☐
Vehicle Theft	☐	Vandalism/ graffiti	☐
Larceny / Theft	☐	Domestic Violence	☐
Burglary / B & E	☐	Other:	☐
Dealing in stolen property	☐		
Extortion	☐		
Sexual Assault	☐		

Q.10. Has your prison facility staff recently encountered any gang-related incidents?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Don't know ☐

Q.10a. If so, what types of gang-related activity has your staff seen?

Recruitment	☐
Inter-/Intra-gang rivalries	☐
Threats to officers	☐
Other:	☐

Q.11: Are you aware of contact between incarcerated street gang members and suspected gang members "on the outside"?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Don't know ☐

Q.12: Does your jail have a policy or a plan in place to segregate gang members from each other or from the rest of the jail population?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Don't know ☐

Q.13: What initiatives do YOU think should be implemented to address the gang problem in the state's prisons and jails?