

**INTERAGENCY AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE,
CROSSWINDS YOUTH SERVICES, INC.,
AND
THE STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICE
18TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**

This agreement is entered into as of the 14th day of January, 2013, between the Department of Juvenile Justice, Circuit 18, Crosswinds Youth Services, Inc., and the State Attorney's Office, 18th Judicial Circuit, in response to Chapter 985.145(2)(j). The undersigned parties, recognizing that many preliminary juvenile assessments are being completed by the Brevard County Crosswinds Juvenile Assessment Center operated by Crosswinds Youth Services, Inc., hereby agree:

That Crosswinds Youth Services Juvenile Assessment Center will provide juvenile screening, assessments and the corresponding recommendations on youth that respond to Crosswinds Youth Services Center, Juvenile Assessment Center located in Cocoa, Florida.

That Crosswinds Youth Services, Inc. will transmit a copy of the juvenile assessment, the juvenile recommendation and a face sheet to the State Attorney's Office and the Department of Juvenile Justice. The information shall be provided to the Office of the State Attorney and the Department of Juvenile Justice within 5 days of the "at large" intake screening.

That the Department of Juvenile Justice shall continue to screen, assess and comply with the intake requirements on all cases that do not go through the Crosswinds

Juvenile Assessment Center in compliance with F.S. 985.145.

Further, pursuant to Chapter 985.145 (1)(j) that states, "The state attorney and the department may, on a district-by-district basis, enter into interagency agreements denoting the cases that will require a recommendation and those for which a recommendation is unnecessary", it is agreed that a written recommendation to the State Attorney's Office will be required in the following instances:

- Juvenile referrals being considered for IDDS or non-judicial action. For referrals being considered for Prosecution Alternatives for Youth (P.A.Y.), the P.A.Y. information sheet will substitute for the State Attorney Recommendation.
- Juvenile referrals received on a youth that may be incompetent to proceed, developmentally delayed, any juvenile in the custody of the Department of Children and Families or possessing extraordinary circumstances that should be shared with the Office of the State Attorney.
- Youth whose referrals would qualify for diversion based on prior history and offense, but otherwise have disqualifying factors such as truancy, ungovernable or runaway behaviors.
- Juvenile cases that the Department is recommending direct filing to the adult court.
- Juveniles presented and screened at the Brevard Juvenile Detention Center.

Additionally, written State Attorney Recommendations would not be required in the following circumstances:

- When a youth already under the supervision of the Department is not taken into

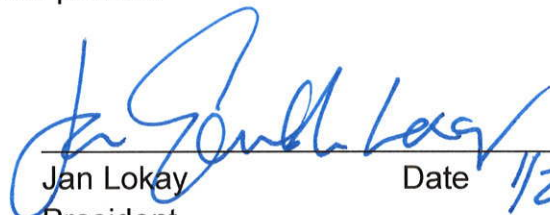
custody and is not presented for detention screening after being charged "at large" for a new law offense (except when extraordinary circumstances previously identified above exist).

- When the Department receives a referral subsequent to the State Attorney making a filing decision.

This agreement shall remain in effect for five years from the date of the last execution, unless modified earlier. Modification of this agreement shall be made only by consent of all parties in writing. Any party may withdraw their participation in this agreement upon giving thirty days written notice to the other parties.

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