



East Norriton Township Police Department

GENERAL ORDER 3.1.5

FIREARMS SECURITY

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Cell Areas-Security

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3.1.5 Firearms Security

- A. Prior to entry into the holding area, officer(s) shall secure their firearm(s) in one of the provided gun lockers.
1. After firearms are secured, the detainee will be taken into the holding area. A complete search of the detainee, which may include the use of a metal detector wand, shall occur prior to any restraints being removed.
 2. While a detainee is in the holding area, Officer's should not enter with a firearm on their person. Every effort should be made to properly secure the firearm.
 3. Exceptions for entry with a firearm are limited to:
 - a. Need to provide immediate medical assistance,
 - b. Need to assist officer in preventing an assault on an Officer,
 - c. Need to prevent an escape from the facility.

By order of:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Brandon Pasquale".

Brandon Pasquale
Chief of Police