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**ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATION NUMBER**231

**OPR: TRAINING** 

#### TRAINING FOR SUPERVISORS

#### I. GENERAL

This Alabama Department of Corrections (ADOC) Administrative Regulation (AR) establishes responsibilities, policies, and procedures to ensure that all new supervisors receive New Supervisor Training (NST) within their probationary period.

## II. POLICY

It is the policy of the ADOC to ensure that all supervisors receive training designed to develop and enhance supervision skills.

# III. DEFINITIONS AND ACRONYMS

- A. <u>New Supervisors Training (NST)</u>: A standardized forty (40) hour course designed to develop and/or enhance skills relevant to employee supervision.
- B. <u>Performance Appraisal Training</u>: Standard three (3) hour training program on the mechanics of the performance appraisal.

#### IV. RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. The Deputy Commissioners, Wardens, and Division Directors are responsible for ensuring all newly appointed supervisors attend NST.
- B. The Director of Training is responsible for:
  - 1. Development and scheduling of an NST.
  - 2. Ensuring that required training documentation is maintained.

# V. PROCEDURES

- A. Wardens/Directors will submit the names of all newly appointed supervisors to the Regional Training Center in their region. Refer to AR 219, *Training* for a list of Regional Training Centers.
- B. Regional Training Supervisors shall schedule the required supervisory training course to enable the supervisors to complete the training within their probationary period and shall notify the Wardens/Directors of the scheduled course date.
- C. Newly appointed executive level staff shall be trained at the discretion of the appointing authority.

# VI. <u>DISPOSITION</u>

Any forms used will be disposed of and retained according to the Departmental Records Disposition Authority (RDA).

## VII. FORMS

There are no forms prescribed by this regulation.

#### VIII. <u>SUPERSEDES</u>

This Administrative Regulation supersedes AR 231, *Training for Supervisors*, dated December 30, 2004, and any related changes.

# IX. PERFORMANCE

Code of Alabama 1975 § 14-1-1.1 et seq.

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