

Response to Intentional Flooding of a Cell

1803.1 RESPONSE TO INTENTIONAL FLOODING OF A CELL

If the water in an occupied cell has to be turned off due to intentional flooding, the following procedures will be followed:

- (a) A Sergeant will be notified prior to turning off the water.
- (b) An entry will be made on the Guard Station Log documenting the cell, affected inmate, circumstances requiring the water being turned off, and the Sergeant who was notified.
- (c) Staff will provide drinking water for the inmate on every safety check and document on the log whether or not the water was consumed.
- (d) Water will be turned back on after six (6) hours have elapsed.
- (e) If the circumstances warrant the water remaining off after the initial six (6) hours, Watch Commander approval is required for each additional six (6) hour period of time and the preceding procedures will continue to be followed.
 - 1. Watch Commander approval will be documented in the Guard Station Log documenting the cell, affected inmate, circumstances requiring the water being turned off and the Watch Commander who approved the extension.
- (f) If the water must be turned off due to medical concerns, refer to [CCOM Section 2615.2\(e\) – Requirements During a Hunger Strike](#).