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Name of Agency _____

Department _____

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Statutory Authority for Promulgating Rules _____

Rule Title: _____

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(Check One)

Date

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Other _____

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Adopted by State Agency _____

Electronic Copy of Rule e-mailed from: (Required under ACA 25-15-218)

Contact Person

E-mail Address

Date

CERTIFICATION OF AUTHORIZED OFFICER

I Hereby Certify That The Attached Rules Were Adopted
In Compliance with the Arkansas Administrative Act. (ACA 25-15-201 et. seq.)


Signature

Phone Number

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Title

Date

 <div style="text-align: center;"> ADMINISTRATIVE RULES STATE OF ARKANSAS BOARD OF CORRECTIONS </div>	Section Number: <div style="text-align: center;">830</div>	Page Number: <div style="text-align: center;">1 of 1</div>
	Board Approval Date: <div style="text-align: center;">07/21/2008</div>	
	Supersedes: <div style="text-align: center;">830</div>	Dated: <div style="text-align: center;">11/30/79</div>
	Reference:	Effective Date: <div style="text-align: center;">08/01/2008</div>
SUBJECT: Corporal Punishment		

I. POLICY OF DEPARTMENT:

The use of corporal punishment is contrary to humane standards of care and professional correctional practices and as such is absolutely prohibited by an employee of the Department of Correction.

II. EXPLANATION:

- A. Corporal punishment is defined as the striking, pushing or shoving of an individual for the purpose of causing pain or discomfort; the improper use of chemicals in any form; violence of any nature; the use of profane or abusive language or racial slurs directed toward the inmate; or any measure which may be injurious to an individual.
- B. This rule in no way prohibits a staff member from using that force necessary to carry out lawful orders; to protect himself from injury; to prevent injury to other employees or inmates; or to prevent property damage or escape.

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