

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>POLICY OF</b> <b>STATE OF DELAWARE</b> <b>DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>POLICY NUMBER</b> 2.1</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PAGE NUMBER</b> 1 of 1</p>
<p><b>CHAPTER: 2 STATUTORY &amp; LEGAL AUTHORIZATION</b></p>	<p><b>RELATED ACA STANDARDS:</b> 4-4452, 4-4453; 2-CO-SA-01, 4-ACRS-5A-11</p>	
<p><b>APPROVED BY THE COMMISSIONER AND EFFECTIVE THIS DATE:</b></p>	<p><b>SUBJECT: TEMPORARY RELEASE TO COMMUNITY PROGRAMS</b></p> <p style="text-align: right;"> 4/2/10</p>	
<p><b>APPROVED FOR PUBLIC RELEASE</b></p>		

**I. AUTHORITY:** 11 *Del. C.* §6533, §6536, §6537, §6538, §6539

**II. PURPOSE:** To authorize the temporary release of qualified offenders.

**III. APPLICABILITY:** All Department employees and all offenders under the supervision of the Department.

**IV. DEFINITIONS:**

**Temporary Release:** The extension of custody beyond the confines of a correctional facility either supervised or unsupervised for rehabilitation purposes.

**V. POLICY:** It is the policy of the Department of Correction, as authorized by the Delaware Code, to permit the temporary release of qualified offenders from confinement for rehabilitative purposes such as employment, education and treatment.