

Conditions Governing Visits to Service Personnel under Sentence (SUS) & Safe Custody Personnel (SCP)

The attention is drawn to the notices displayed outside the Gate Lodge at the entrance to the MCTC which quote the relevant sections of the Prisons Act 1952 that are modified to apply to Service Establishments.

1. The following regulations are to be observed by all visitors:
 - a. The visit permit is to be surrendered at the Main Gate before the visit.
 - b. A visit permit is valid only for the applicant and those named on it.
 - c. Contact will be allowed on arrival and departure of the visit. No contact is to take place during the visit.
 - d. Unaccompanied persons under the age of 16 years will not normally be granted permission to visit.
 - e. No item of any sort may be brought into the MCTC for SUS/SCP without prior arrangement.
 - f. Items being brought in for SUS/SCP by previous arrangement are to be handed to the duty staff and not to SUS/SCP.
 - g. Smoking is not allowed within the visiting area.
 - h. Only refreshments provided by the MCTC may be consumed during the visit. Alcohol of any kind is strictly forbidden within the precincts of the MCTC.
 - i. Anti social behaviour will not be tolerated within the MCTC and will result in the conditions outlined in paragraph 2 being applied.
 - j. Identification must be produced to gain entry to MCTC. The following forms of ID are acceptable:
 - Passport
 - Driving Licence
 - DHSS Card
 - Utility Bill (with the same name & address as per the visitor's pass)
 - Signed visitors authorisation
2. The privilege of visiting relatives/friends is granted on the strict understanding that visitors abide by the above conditions. Failure to comply in full will result in the immediate termination of the visit and possible loss of subsequent visit privileges.
3. SUS/SCP found to be in possession of any unauthorised or unlawful article are liable to punishment. Furthermore, if it is suspected that the articles were transmitted during a visit, all visit privileges may be withdrawn for the remainder of the sentence.

4. Action may be taken by the civilian authorities against anyone contravening these Rules, under Section 22 Criminal Justice Act 1961 amending the Prison Act 1952 as modified to apply to Military Establishments.

**WARNING – DRUG DETECTION DOGS WORK WITHIN THIS
ESTABLISHMENT AND VISITORS ARE LIABLE TO BE SEARCHED**

