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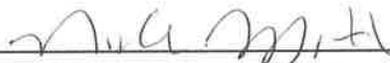
To Whom It May Concern:

This letter constitutes understanding of the agreement between the Texas Juvenile Justice Department (TJJD) and your organization, **The Rape Crisis Center for Children** that, in accordance with federal law, youth detained in TJJD facilities will be given or are currently given access to **Rape Crisis Center for Children's** hotline number. This number is distributed to youth after it has been determined that the youth in question is the victim of sexual abuse and has refused the on-site counseling services offered by TJJD.

If, through the course of conversation with an employee or volunteer of **Rape Crisis Center for Children** it is clear that the individual being counseled is 1) a youth at a TJJD facility, and 2) is a victim of a sexual act occurring while detained, TJJD requests that the employee or volunteer anonymously report the allegation to our Incident Reporting Center, either via email at tjjd.irc@tjjd.texas.gov or phone at 1-866-477-8354.

If this letter accurately constitutes your understanding, please indicate agreement by signing the letter below.

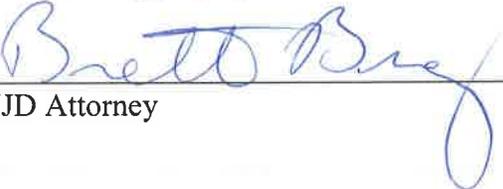
Signed,



Mike Griffiths, Executive Director



(Hotline Organization) **CO-Executive Director**
The Rape Crisis Center
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TJJD Attorney