



CHAPTER 7B
ARTICLE 21 - LAW ENFORCEMENT PROCEDURES IN DELINQUENCY PROCEEDINGS

N.C.G.S. § 7B-2100.

Role of the law enforcement officer.

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A law enforcement officer who takes a juvenile into temporary custody should select the most appropriate course of action to the situation, the needs of the juvenile, and the protection of the public safety. The officer may:

- Release the juvenile, with or without first counseling the juvenile;
- Release the juvenile to the juvenile's parent, guardian, or custodian;
- Refer the juvenile to community resources;
- Seek a petition; or
- Seek a petition and request a custody order.

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