

Chapter 7

Procedures Related to Removal

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This chapter reviews procedures and practices related to the identification of noncitizens subject to removal, immigration detainers, and removal proceedings. Defense counsel should have a general understanding of procedures related to removal to advise clients, particularly those in custody, about what they are likely to encounter. The chapter begins with a general description of the removal process. It then focuses on removal-related procedures with respect to clients who are in custody on state criminal charges.