## SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 21-05

## **Special Order for Access to Juvenile Justice Data**

WHEREAS, Administrative Order 20-14 authorized partnering agencies' personnel to provide the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council (CJCC) with data and information from juvenile case records, juvenile social records, and police and other law enforcement records of juveniles in the PINS (persons in need of supervision) and delinquency system, so that CJCC could compile and analyze the data and information for the Juvenile Justice Data Committee and the Juvenile Justice Committee; and

**WHEREAS**, Administrative Order 20-14 required CJCC to request permission from the Chief Judge before distributing or disclosing such data and information to other persons for other purposes; and

**WHEREAS**, CJCC has requested permission to provide the 2018-2020 aggregate data for the proportion of juvenile violent crime arrests and the top charge categories for juvenile violent crime arrests to the Office of Victim Services and Justice Grants (OVSJG) for use in a grant application; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with D.C. Code §§ 16-2331(c)(5), 16-2332(c)(5), and 16-2333(b)(5), the court may permit, by special order, the inspection juvenile case records, juvenile social records, and police and other law enforcement records of juveniles;

**NOW THEREFORE**, it is by the court,

**ORDERED**, that CJCC may provide OVSJG with the aggregate data regarding juvenile violent crime arrests if the partnering agency that provided the data to CJCC authorizes CJCC to provide it; and

**FURTHER ORDERED**, that if the partnering agency authorizes CJCC to provide the aggregate data regarding juvenile violent crime arrests, OVSJG may receive, inspect, copy, analyze, and disclose the aggregate data for its grant application; and

**FURTHER ORDERED**, that OVSJG may not disclose or distribute the data to other persons for purposes other than the grant application.

SO ORDERED.

BY THE COURT DATE: April 28, 2021

Anita M. Josey-Herring Chief Judge