- (5) IF MARRIED, EVERY MENTALLY RETARDED PERSON SHALL ENJOY PRIVACY IN VISITS BY THE SPOUSE AND, IF BOTH ARE RESIDENTS OF A FACILITY, SHALL BE AFFORDED THE OPPORTUNITY, WHERE FEASIBLE, TO SHARE A ROOM UNLESS MEDICALLY CONTRAINDICATED.
- (6) EVERY MENTALLY RETARDED PERSON HAS THE RIGHT, PERSONALLY OR THROUGH OTHER PERSONS OR IN COMBINATION WITH OTHERS, TO PRESENT GRIEVANCES AND RECOMMEND CHANGES IN POLICIES AND SERVICES ON BEHALF OF SELF OR OTHERS TO THE FACILITY'S STAFF OR ADMINISTRATOR, THE MENTAL RETARDATION ADMINISTRATION, OR OTHER PERSONS OR GROUPS WITHOUT FEAR OF REPRISAL, RESTRAINT, INTERFERENCE, COERCION, OR DISCRIMINATION.
- (7) A MENTALLY RETARDED PERSON MAY NOT BE REQUIRED TO PERFORM SERVICES FOR THE FACILITY WITHOUT PERSONAL CONSENT AND WRITTEN APPROVAL OF THE ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR OF PROGRAM OR FACILITY DIRECTOR.
- [(1) Have] (8) A MENTALLY RETARDED PERSON SHALL HAVE available to him writing instruments, stationery and postage, and may use such material to correspond with anyone, subject to such reasonable limitations as may be imposed by the facility. All correspondence shall be forwarded to the addressee without delay and without being opened, except under the direction of the addressee.
- [(2) Have] (9) A MENTALLY RETARDED PERSON SHALL HAVE reasonable access to telephones.
- [(3) Be] (10) A MENTALLY RETARDED PERSON SHALL BE entitled to receive visits from an attorney or clergyman of his choice. Each facility shall establish reasonable visiting hours for all other persons who may wish to visit the mentally retarded person.
- [(4) Have] (11) A MENTALLY RETARDED PERSON SHALL HAVE the right to the possession and use of his own clothing and personal effects. The chief administrator of the facility may take temporary custody of these effects when it is essential to do so for medical or safety reasons. Custody of personal effects shall be recorded promptly in the resident's record.
- [(b) When for his or her own welfare a mentally retarded person is] (12) WHEN IT IS CONSIDERED TO BE IN THE MENTALLY RETARDED PERSON'S WELFARE TO BE restricted from utilizing writing instruments without the presence of another, or when the person is restricted from receiving visitors, other than an attorney or clergyman, such restrictions shall be made a permanent part of the person's records and shall be signed by the superintendent.
- (C) THE POLICY STATEMENT CONTAINED IN SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE POSTED CONSPICUOUSLY IN A PUBLIC