197.010 Definitions for chapter.

Definitions as used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise requires:

(1) "Cabinet" means the Justice and Public Safety Cabinet;

(2) "Classification" means the systematic assignment of a prisoner to a custody level, program, and penitentiary;

(3) "Department" means Department of Corrections;

(4) "Eligible sexual offender" means a sexual offender for whom the sentencing court, department officials, or both have determined that he or she:

(a) Has demonstrated evidence of a mental, emotional, or behavioral disorder, but not active psychosis or an intellectual disability; and

(b) Is likely to benefit from the program;

(5) "Penitentiaries" includes the state penal institutions for males at Eddyville, LaGrange, the Green River Correctional Complex, the Luther Luckett Correctional Complex, the Kentucky Correctional Institute for Women, the Northpoint Training Center, the Roederer Correctional Complex, the Eastern Kentucky Correctional Complex, the Western Kentucky Correctional Complex, Frankfort Career Development Center, Blackburn Correctional Complex, and Bell County Forestry Camp, together with the branches thereof, any private prison as provided by KRS 197.500, and any other similar institutions hereafter established;

(6) "Sexual offender" means any person convicted of, pleading guilty to, or entering an Alford plea to a sex crime as defined in KRS 17.500; and

(7) "State agency" means any department, board, commission, or agency of the state government.

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