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## Best-Practices Matrix – Preliminary Findings Safeguards for the Prevention of Torture and Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment

| Definition of Factual Detention / Custody<br>Best Practice   |               |
|--|---------------|
|  |               |
|  | Bulgaria      |
| When a detainee is registered registration must denote<br>both the time of factual detention and the time of entrance<br>into detention facility |               |
|  | United States |
| way  |               |

| Notice of Rights   |               |  |
|--|---------------|--|
| Best Practice  |               |  |
| Practice   | Country       |  |
| Rights must be read orally at moment of factual detention    | Bulgaria      |  |
| And  |               |  |
| Rights must be given in writing to the detainee upon         |               |  |
| entrance to a detention facility                             |               |  |
| Rights must be read orally prior to any custodial            | United States |  |
| interrogation  |               |  |
|  |               |  |
| Failure to do so results in any evidence obtained during the |               |  |
| interrogation being excluded from the subsequent trial       |               |  |
|  | Georgia       |  |
| immediately upon arrest                                      |               |  |