AIS file format

**Book-In Record:**

Example:

**File Version |** LAST NAME | FIRST NAME | MIDDLE NAME | DATE OF BIRTH | ETHNICITY | GENDER | SSN | BOOK-IN # | BOOK-IN DATE & TIME | CHARGES | STATUS | LOCATION | SID | **Update Date & Time** | **Mental Issues | TLETS | Release Reason**

The bookin record is contained on a single line within the file. The fields of data within a bookin record are delimited with the pipe character “|”.

There are 13 fields of data:

1. **File Version = “V.1” (Lets begin versioning file so we can better manage changes over time)**
2. LAST NAME
3. FIRST NAME
4. MIDDLE NAME
5. DATE OF BIRTH
6. ETHNICITY
7. GENDER
8. SSN
9. BOOK-IN #
10. BOOK-IN DATE & TIME **(Confirming this is a static value)**
11. CHARGES – Charges are a many to-one relation to the bookin record. There is no practical limit to the number of charges. Please see further definition for this field below.
12. STATUS
13. LOCATION – This is a two value field. See definition below
14. SID
15. **Update Date & Time (Start passing us your last modified on each bookin, or Export Date & Time)**
16. **Release Date (Actual Release date for this bookin)**
17. **Screener Suspects Mental Illness/Mental Retardation (Y/N response)**
18. **TLETS (Y/N Response)**
19. **Reason for Release (Primary reason across all charges)**

**Charges:**

Example:

ChargeCode1$$ChargeDesc1$$ChargeType1$$ProbationFlag1$$attorney1$$court1$$courtDate1$$courtSetting1$$primaryCharge1@@

ChargeCode2$$ChargeDesc2$$ChargeType2$$ProbationFlag2$$attorney2$$court2$$courtDate2$$courtSetting2$$primaryCharge2

A given Book-In record may contain multiple charges. Fields are delimited by the string “$$”. Multiple Charges are delimited by the string “@@”.

There are 9 fields contained by the charge:

1. CODE
2. DESCRIPTION
3. CHARGE TYPE – Used to indicate whether a the crime was a Misdemeanor or Felony
4. PAROLE FLAG – Either blank or “P”. “P” indicates a Parole violation.
5. ATTORNEY
6. COURT
7. **COURT DATE – will now be the Court Setting Date, not the File date**
8. COURT SETTING
9. PRIMARY CHARGE – a Y/N flag that indicates whether or not this charge is primary.

**Location:**

Example:

JailTower$$JailCell

Location contains two values: Tower and Cell delimited by the string “$$”:

1. TOWER
2. CELL