

office upon establishment of the District Court system. The gravity of the offense and penalty for violating this subsection is covered by the uniform penalty provision in this title. The only other changes made are in style.

(C) DUTY TO EXTINGUISH OR REPORT UNCONTROLLED FOREST OR BRUSH FIRE.—ANY PERSON WHO DISCOVERS A FOREST OR BRUSH FIRE NOT UNDER THE CONTROL OF SOME PERSON SHALL EXTINGUISH IT OR REPORT IT TO THE LOCAL FIRE WARDEN.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection is new language derived from the final clause in Article 66C, section 351 of the Code. The penalty provision is proposed for deletion in light of the uniform penalty provision in this title.

(D) SECTION NOT TO CONTRAVENE OTHER PROVISION OF LAW CONCERNING LIABILITY FOR FIRES.—THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION DO NOT CONTRAVENE OTHER PROVISIONS OF LAW RELATING TO THE LIABILITY FOR FIRES OF RAILROAD COMPANIES.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as the second part of Article 66C, section 353 of the Code. The only changes made are in style.

5-705. CIVIL LIABILITY FOR CAUSING FIRES.

ANY PERSON WHO CAUSES ANY FIRE BY VIOLATING §§ 5-704 (A), 5-704 (B), OR 5-712 IS LIABLE TO THE STATE AND COUNTY WHERE THE FIRE OCCURS IN AN ACTION FOR DEBT TO THE FULL AMOUNT OF ALL EXPENSES INCURRED BY THE STATE OR COUNTY IN FIGHTING AND EXTINGUISHING THE FIRE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Article 66C, section 355 of the Code. "Person" is defined in subtitle 1. The only other changes made are in style.

5-706. STATE'S ATTORNEYS TO ENFORCE PROVISIONS OF PART I OF SUBTITLE.

THE STATE'S ATTORNEYS OF THE SEVERAL COUNTIES SHALL PROSECUTE ANY VIOLATOR OF PART I OF THIS SUBTITLE.