

Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1982 Volume and 1983 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments  
Section 139, 743(a) through (f), and 747(a), (b), and (c)  
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SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That title "Title 12. Incompetency and Insanity in Criminal Cases", in its entirety, of Article - Health - General of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Health - General

TITLE 12.

INCOMPETENCY AND CRIMINAL RESPONSIBILITY IN CRIMINAL CASES

12-101. DEFINITIONS.

(A) IN GENERAL.

IN THIS TITLE THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

(B) COMMITTED INDIVIDUAL.

"COMMITTED INDIVIDUAL" MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL COMMITTED TO THE DEPARTMENT AS NOT CRIMINALLY RESPONSIBLE UNDER THE TEST FOR CRIMINAL RESPONSIBILITY.

(C) COURT.

"COURT" MEANS ANY COURT THAT HAS CRIMINAL JURISDICTION.

(D) INCOMPETENT TO STAND TRIAL.

"INCOMPETENT TO STAND TRIAL" MEANS NOT ABLE:

(1) TO UNDERSTAND THE NATURE OR OBJECT OF THE PROCEEDING; OR

(2) TO ASSIST IN ONE'S DEFENSE.

(E) JAIL.