

AN INMATE WHO ESCAPES WHILE TEMPORARILY REMOVED UNDER THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF ESCAPE AND SUBJECT TO THE PENALTIES ESTABLISHED UNDER ARTICLE 27, § 139 OF THE CODE.

(F) REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES.

(1) THE EXPENSES OF AN INMATE'S ACCOMMODATION, MAINTENANCE, AND MEDICAL CARE INCURRED AS A RESULT OF THE INMATE'S TEMPORARY REMOVAL UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE PAID:

(I) BY THE INMATE;

(II) BY RELATIVES OR FRIENDS OF THE INMATE; OR

(III) FROM ANY AVAILABLE FUND THAT MAY BE USED TO PAY THE HOSPITAL EXPENSES OF AN INMATE IN THE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY.

(2) IF MONEY IS NOT AVAILABLE UNDER ANY OF THE SOURCES IDENTIFIED IN PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION TO PAY THE SPECIFIED EXPENSES:

(I) THE COUNTY FROM WHICH THE INMATE WAS COMMITTED SHALL BE BILLED FOR PAYMENT OF THE EXPENSES; AND

(II) THE MANAGING OFFICIAL OF THE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY TO WHICH THE INMATE WAS COMMITTED SHALL COLLECT PAYMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH TITLE 16 OF THE HEALTH - GENERAL ARTICLE.

(G) REGULATIONS.

THE TEMPORARY REMOVAL OF AN INMATE FROM A CORRECTIONAL FACILITY UNDER THIS SECTION IS SUBJECT TO ANY REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE DIVISION OF CORRECTION REGARDING CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS, SUPERVISION, AND TERMS OF TEMPORARY REMOVAL.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 27, § 698.

Throughout this section, the references to the "Division" of Correction are substituted for the former references to the "Department" of Correction to reflect Ch. 401, Acts of 1970, which created the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services and renamed the Department of Correction to be the Division of Correction.

In subsection (a) of this section, the reference to the Division of Correction making a "determin[ation]" is substituted for the former reference to the Division taking certain action when "it appears" for clarity.

Also in subsection (a) of this section, the reference to a correctional facility "in the Division" is substituted for the former reference to a correctional facility "under its control" for consistency within this article. See General Revisor's Note to this article.