

is located" is deleted as implicit in the requirement that the grand jury be charged to "inquire into the operation and management of each State correctional facility located in the county".

Also in the introductory language of this section, the reference to "calendar" year is deleted as implicit in the normal meaning of year.

In item (2) of this section, the reference to offenses or omissions of an "individual" is substituted for the former reference to offenses or omissions of a "person" because only a human being, and not the other entities included in the defined term "person", can be "in" a correctional facility. See § 1-101 of this article for the definition of "person". Also the reference to offenses or omissions "that relate to" a correctional facility is broad enough to cover offenses by all of the entities that are included in the defined term "person".

Defined terms: "County" § 1-101

"State correctional facility" § 1-101

9-608. VISITATION OF LOCAL CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES BY GRAND JURIES.

AT LEAST ONCE EACH YEAR, THE GRAND JURY IN EACH COUNTY SHALL:

- (1) VISIT EACH LOCAL CORRECTIONAL FACILITY IN THE COUNTY;
- (2) INQUIRE INTO THE CONDITION OF THE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY, THE MANNER IN WHICH IT IS MAINTAINED, AND THE TREATMENT OF INMATES; AND
- (3) REPORT ITS FINDINGS TO THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE COUNTY.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 27, § 703 1/2.

In item (1) of this section, the defined term "local correctional facility" is substituted for the former reference to "jail" for consistency throughout this article.

In item (3) of this section, the reference to "circuit" court is added to state expressly that which was only implied in the former reference to "court".

Defined terms: "Correctional facility" § 1-101

"County" § 1-101

"Inmate" § 1-101

"Local correctional facility" § 1-101

9-609. RELEASE DATE; SUNDAY OR HOLIDAY.

WHENEVER A DATE OF RELEASE FROM CONFINEMENT IN A STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY IS A SUNDAY OR LEGAL HOLIDAY, THE INMATE SHALL BE RELEASED ON THE PRECEDING DAY.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 27, § 633A.