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12-111. DUTY OF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER.

IF A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER HAS A REASON TO SUSPECT A GAMING DEVICE IS KEPT UNLAWFULLY AT A PLACE, THE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER SHALL:

- (1) VISIT THE PLACE; AND
- (2) CHARGE ALL PERSONS WHO VIOLATE A LAW THAT PROHIBITS GAMBLING.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 27, § 263.

In the introductory language of this section, the reference to a "law enforcement officer" is substituted for the former reference to "[a]ll constables and police officers" for clarity and consistency within this article.

Also in the introductory language of this section, the defined term "gaming device" is substituted for the former term "gaming table". See § 12-101(c) of this subtitle.

Also in the introductory language of this section, the term "unlawfully" is added for clarity to make explicit that the duty to visit a place where a gaming device is kept applies to a place where a gaming device is kept unlawfully.

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12-112. CHARGING DOCUMENT FOR GAMING.

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(1) AN INDICTMENT FOR VIOLATING THE PROHIBITION AGAINST GAMING IS SUFFICIENT IF IT STATES THAT THE DEFENDANT KEPT A GAMING DEVICE.

(2) THE INDICTMENT NEED NOT STATE THE PARTICULAR KIND OF GAMING OR GAMING DEVICE INVOLVED IN THE ALLEGED VIOLATION.

(B) BILL OF PARTICULARS.

A DEFENDANT, ON TIMELY REQUEST, MAY OBTAIN A BILL OF PARTICULARS.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 27, § 610, as it related to gaming and gaming devices.

In subsection (a)(1) and (2) of this section, the defined term "gaming