

CHAPTER 631

TRIAL, JUDGMENT, SENTENCE

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631.04 EXCLUDING MINORS; DUTY OF OFFICER; PENALTY.

No person under the age of 17 years, not a party to, witness in, or directly interested in a criminal prosecution or trial being heard before any district, county, or municipal court, shall attend or be present at the trial. Every police officer, constable, sheriff, or other officer in charge of a court and attending upon the trial of any criminal case in the court, shall exclude every minor from the room in which the trial is being held, except when the minor is permitted to attend by order of the court before which the trial is being held. Any police officer, constable, sheriff, or deputy sheriff who knowingly neglects or refuses to carry out the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punished by a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$25.

History: 1983 c 359 s 145

631.425 EMPLOYMENT OF OFFENDERS AT THEIR CUSTOMARY WORK.

[For text of subs 1 to 4, see M.S.1982]

Subd. 5. **Earnings.** The earnings of the prisoner may be collected by the sheriff, probation department, welfare board or suitable person or agency designated by the court. From the earnings, the person or agency designated to collect them may pay the cost of the prisoner's maintenance, both inside and outside the jail, but the charge for maintenance inside the jail shall not exceed the legal daily allowance for board allowed the sheriff for ordinary prisoners, and, to the extent directed by the court, pay the support of his dependents, if any, court costs and fines, and court-ordered restitution, if any. Any balance shall be retained until his discharge when it shall be paid to him.

[For text of subs 6 to 12, see M.S.1982]

History: 1983 c 262 art 2 s 7