

Cherokee Nation Code Annotated

Title 21: Crimes and Punishments

Part III. Crimes Against the Person

Chapter 30: Miscellaneous Offenses Against the Person

§ 832. Willfully poisoning food, drink, medicine, or patent or proprietary medicine

Cite as: 21 CNCA § 832

A. 1. No person shall willfully mingle any poison, Schedule I through V drug pursuant to the provisions of 21 CNCA § 2203 et seq., or sharp object, or any other object or substance which if used in a manner which is not customary or usual is harmful to human life, with any food, drink, medicine, or patent or proprietary medicine with intent that the same shall be taken, consumed, applied, or used in any manner by any human being to his injury; and

2. Unless authorized by law, no person shall willfully poison or place any Schedule I through V drug pursuant to the provisions of 21 CNCA § 2203 et seq., or any other object or substance which if used in a manner which is not customary or usual is harmful to human life in any spring, well, or reservoir of water.

B. Any person convicted of violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for a period of not more than one (1) year, or by a fine not to exceed Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Historical Data

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