

Cherokee Nation Code Annotated

Title 21: Crimes and Punishments

Part VII. Crimes Against Property

Chapter 68: Larceny

§ 1716. Theft of domestic animals or implements of husbandry

Cite as: 21 CNCA § 1716

A. Any person in this Nation who shall steal any horse, jackass, jennet, mule, cow, hog or implement of husbandry as defined in Section 1-125 of Title 47 of the Cherokee Nation Code Annotated, shall, upon conviction, be guilty of a felony punishable by imprisonment for a term not to exceed three (3) years, or by imposition of a fine in an amount not to exceed Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00), or by both such fine and imprisonment. Each head of cattle stolen may constitute a separate offense and may be punishable as a separate violation.

B. Any person in this Nation who shall steal any dog, sheep or goat shall, upon conviction, be guilty of a felony punishable by imprisonment for a term of not more than three (3) years, or by a fine in an amount not to exceed Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00), or by both such fine and imprisonment.

C. The word "**horse**" as used in this section, includes all animals of the equine species and the word "**cow**" includes all animals of the bovine species.

Historical Data

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