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(XII) FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, INFORMATION, ELECTRONICALLY PRODUCED DATA, COMPUTER SOFTWARE AND PROGRAMS IN EITHER MACHINE OR HUMAN READABLE FORM, AND OTHER TANGIBLE OR INTANGIBLE ITEMS OF VALUE.

~~(6) "SERIOUS PHYSICAL INJURY" MEANS PHYSICAL INJURY WHICH:~~

~~(I) CREATES A SUBSTANTIAL RISK OF DEATH;~~

~~(II) CAUSES SERIOUS PERMANENT OR SERIOUS PROTRACTED DISFIGUREMENT;~~

~~(III) CAUSES SERIOUS PERMANENT OR SERIOUS PROTRACTED LOSS OF THE FUNCTION OF ANY BODILY MEMBER OR ORGAN; OR~~

~~(IV) CAUSES SERIOUS PERMANENT OR SERIOUS PROTRACTED IMPAIRMENT OF THE FUNCTION OF ANY BODILY MEMBER OR ORGAN.~~

~~(6)~~ (5) "SERVICE" INCLUDES:

(I) LABOR OR PROFESSIONAL SERVICE;

(II) TELECOMMUNICATION, PUBLIC UTILITY, TOLL FACILITIES, OR TRANSPORTATION SERVICE;

(III) LODGING, ENTERTAINMENT, OR RESTAURANT SERVICE; OR

(IV) THE USE OF EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO COMPUTERS AND OTHER DATA PROCESSING EQUIPMENT.

(B) (1) ROBBERY RETAINS ITS JUDICIALLY DETERMINED MEANING, EXCEPT THAT A ROBBERY CONVICTION REQUIRES PROOF OF INTENT TO DEPRIVE ANOTHER OF PROPERTY; OR

(2) ROBBERY INCLUDES OBTAINING THE SERVICE OF ANOTHER BY FORCE OR THREAT OF FORCE.

(C) A PERSON MAY NOT COMMIT OR ATTEMPT TO COMMIT A ROBBERY.

(D) A PERSON WHO VIOLATES THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A FELONY AND ON CONVICTION IS SUBJECT TO IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING 15 YEARS.

COMMITTEE NOTE (COMMITTEE TO REVISE ARTICLE 27): This section retains the judicially determined meaning of robbery, but includes a proof of intent to deprive another of property, which is also a required element of the crime of theft under Article 27, § 342 of the Code. Also included in the offense of robbery is "obtaining the service of another", which is an element of theft under § 342. The definitions in subsection (a) of this section are based on the terms contained in the theft definitions of Article 27, § 340.