TITLE 6. CRIMINAL PROCEDURE

Chapter 6.2

TRIAL PROCEDURE

Sections:

- 6.2.1 Directed Verdict.6.2.2 Jury Verdict.6.2.3 Acquittal.
- **6.2.1.** Directed Verdict. At any time after the close of the evidence, the Court may direct a verdict of acquittal. (Prior code Ch. III, Art. III, §1)
- **6.2.2.** <u>Jury Verdict</u>. After the charge, the jury shall retire to determine a verdict. The jury must render a verdict on every allegation in the complaint. After the verdict of the jury has been announced to the judge, he or she shall discharge the jury. (Res. 88-048 (part), passed July 11, 1988)
- **6.2.3.** Acquittal. If the Court finds for the defendant or the jury brings in a verdict of not guilty on all counts of the complaint, a judgment of acquittal shall be announced by the Court and entered in the official records by the clerk, along with the names of the jurors in the case, and the defendant shall be immediately discharged. (Prior code Ch. III, Art. III, §3)