

CHANGES MADE FOR GEORGE M. DERY III'S CRIMINAL LAW, SECOND EDITION

1. THE SECOND EDITION PROMOTES SKILLS STUDENTS WILL NEED AS THEY PURSUE THEIR CAREERS IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE. THE SKILLS SECTIONS INCLUDE:

— A **“HOW TO BRIEF A CASE”** SECTION FOR STUDENTS OF LAW AND FUTURE ATTORNEYS.

— **“TIPS FOR SUCCESS FOR FUTURE LAW ENFORCEMENT.”**

— **“TIPS FOR SUCCESS FOR FUTURE LAW STUDENTS AND LAWYERS.”**

— **“DO’S AND DON’TS FOR HEARINGS, TRIALS, AND APPEALS.”**

— **“LEGAL SKILLS”** (FOR SUCH PRACTICAL TASKS AS “HOW TO MAKE A FILING DECISION”).

— **“LEARN FROM MY (AND OTHERS’) MISTAKES.”**

— **“WHAT IS THE PROBLEM? TRUE MOTIVES UNDERLYING TENSIONS BETWEEN COURTROOM ACTORS,”** WHICH IS MEANT TO ALERT STUDENTS TO THE SOMETIMES DIFFERING GOALS OF VARIOUS PROFESSIONALS OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM.

2. THE SECOND EDITION OFFERS PRACTICAL RESOURCES FOR STUDENTS PURSUING CRIMINAL JUSTICE CAREERS.

— THE SECOND EDITION INCLUDES, IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER, A **“SELECTIVE LIST OF STATE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES.”** STUDENTS SEEKING CAREERS AS POLICE OR SHERIFFS WILL FIND CONTACT INFORMATION FOR JURISDICTIONS CHOSEN BY POPULATION OR PROMINENCE.

— THE SECOND EDITION ALSO OFFERS, IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER, A **“SELECTIVE LIST OF FEDERAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AND INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES”** FOR STUDENTS INTERESTED IN CAREERS WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

3. THE SECOND EDITION **INCREASES STUDENT INTERACTIVITY** BY INCLUDING LINKS TO VIDEOS ON A VARIETY OF TOPICAL AND CONTROVERSIAL SUBJECTS, SUCH AS POLICE SHOOTINGS.

4. THE SECOND EDITION HAS **“BULLET BIOGRAPHIES”** PROFILING FAMOUS LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS, ATTORNEYS, CRIMINALS, JUDGES, AND JUSTICES. THESE BRIEF BIOGRAPHIES EXPLORE PROMINENT PERSONS WHO HAVE SIGNIFICANTLY AFFECTED CRIMINAL JUSTICE OR SOCIETY.

5. THE SECOND EDITION OFFERS **NEW LAW**, IN THE FORM OF CASES OR STATUTES. SOME OF THE AREAS OFFERING NEW LAW ARE:

- THE DOUBLE JEOPARDY IMPLICATIONS OF INCONSISTENT JURY VERDICTS.
- MANDATORY REPORTERS IN CRIMINAL OMISSIONS.
- CAUSATION.
- CAPITAL MURDER.
- SEXUAL ASSAULT OF THE DISABLED.
- SEXUAL PENETRATION BY MEDICAL FRAUD.
- BURGLARY OF THE HOME OF AN EX-WIFE.
- SEXTORTION.
- HAZING.

6. THE SECOND EDITION INCLUDES A “**SEAMLESS WEB CONNECTION**” SECTION THAT SHOWS THE IMPORTANT LINKS BETWEEN DIFFERENT ISSUES IN VARIOUS BOOK CHAPTERS.

7. THE SECOND EDITION SHORTENS CASES TO **MAXIMIZE THE EASE OF READING** AND **HIGHLIGHTS PARTICULARLY IMPORTANT RULES** OF LAW AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE CONCEPTS. THIS EDITION ALSO UPDATES CRIMINAL LAW CASES IN THE NEWS.

8. THE SECOND EDITION HAS ADDED PHOTOS AND POLITICAL CARTOONS AS A MEANS OF BRINGING CRIMINAL LAW STUDY TO LIFE.