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Corporate Responsibility--Act Of Agent

A corporation is legally responsible for conduct which an agent of the corporation performs while acting within the scope of his office or employment and on behalf of the corporation.

The word “agent” means any director, officer, servant, employee, or other person who is authorized to act on behalf of the corporation.

Committee Note

This instruction is based upon Section 5-4. It is applicable to misdemeanors and prosecutions under Chapter 720, Section 24-1 (Weapons) or any other statute which clearly indicates a legislative purpose to impose liability on a corporation.