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§9–410.

- (a) In this part the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (b) “Alcoholic beverage” means beer, wine, or distilled spirits.
- (c) “Contraband” means any item, material, substance, or other thing that:
  - (1) is not authorized for inmate possession by the managing official; or
  - (2) is brought into the correctional facility in a manner prohibited by the managing official.
- (d) “Controlled dangerous substance” has the meaning stated in § 5–101 of this article.
- (e) “Managing official” means the administrator, director, warden, superintendent, sheriff, or other individual responsible for the management of a place of confinement.
- (f) (1) “Place of confinement” means:
  - (i) a correctional facility;
  - (ii) a facility of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene;
  - (iii) a detention center for juveniles;
  - (iv) a facility for juveniles listed in § 9–226(b) of the Human Services Article;
  - (v) a place identified in a juvenile community detention order; or
  - (vi) any other facility in which a person is confined under color of law.(2) “Place of confinement” does not include a place identified in a home detention order or agreement.
- (g) (1) “Telecommunication device” means:
  - (i) a device that is able to transmit telephonic, electronic, digital, cellular, or radio communications; or
  - (ii) a part of a device that is able to transmit telephonic, electronic, digital, cellular, or radio communications, regardless of whether the part itself is able to transmit.

(2) “Telecommunication device” includes a cellular telephone, digital telephone, picture telephone, and modem equipped device.

(h) “Weapon” means a gun, knife, club, explosive, or other article that can be used to kill or inflict bodily injury.

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