

# **“Objects of This Code.”**

**Title 1: Code of Criminal Procedure;**

**Chapter 1: General Provisions.**

**Texas Statutes: 2019.**

[https://texas.public.law/statutes/tex.\\_code\\_of\\_crim.\\_proc.\\_article\\_1.03](https://texas.public.law/statutes/tex._code_of_crim._proc._article_1.03)

<https://codes.findlaw.com/tx/code-of-criminal-procedure/crim-ptx-crim-pro-art-1-03.html>

## **Article 1.03:**

### **This Code is intended to**

embrace rules applicable to the prevention and prosecution of offenses against the laws of this State, and to

### **make the rules of procedure**

in respect to the prevention and punishment of offenses

### **intelligible**

to the officers who are to act under them, and

### **to all persons whose rights are**

### **to be affected by them.**

#### **It seeks:**

- 1. To adopt measures for preventing the commission of crime;**
- 2. To exclude the offender from all hope of escape;**
- 3. To insure a trial with as little delay as is consistent with the ends of justice;**
- 4. To bring to the investigation of each offense on the trial all the evidence tending to produce conviction or acquittal;**
- 5. To insure a fair and impartial trial; and**
- 6. The certain execution of the sentence of the law when declared.**