

Tex. Code Crim. Proc. Art. 13A.263

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Art. 13A.263. Computer Offenses. [Effective January 1, 2025]

- (a) In this article, “access,” “computer,” “computer network,” “computer program,” “computer system,” and “owner” have the meanings assigned by Section 33.01, Penal Code.
- (b) An offense under Chapter 33, Penal Code, may be prosecuted in any county:
- (1) that is the principal place of business of the owner or lessee of a computer, computer network, or computer system involved in the offense;
 - (2) in which a defendant had control or possession of:
 - (A) any proceeds of the offense; or
 - (B) any books, records, documents, property, negotiable instruments, computer programs, or other material used in furtherance of the offense;
 - (3) from which, to which, or through which access to a computer, computer network, computer program, or computer system was made in violation of Chapter 33, Penal Code, whether by wires, electromagnetic waves, microwaves, or any other means of communication; or
 - (4) in which an individual who is a victim of the offense resides. (Code Crim. Proc., Art. 13.25.)

History

Acts 2023, 88th Leg., ch. 765 (H.B. 4504), § 1.001, effective January 1, 2025.