

# Law No. 1 of 2024

## Amending some provisions of the Criminal Procedure Code

In the name of the people

President of the Republic

The House of Representatives approved the following law, and we  
have issued it: (Article One)

The phrase "criminal court of first instance" shall be replaced with the phrase "criminal court" contained

Second, 210, 211 Yes in Articles 11, 156, 158, 159/167, first paragraphs. Yes F

529, 397, 384, 394, 536), and the phrase "court", 216, 214, 276 repeated.

"Criminal Court" mentioned in Articles (13/167, Paragraph of Two-Level Felony) with the phrase "Fifth, 524,"  
and the phrase "for the Criminal Court of Appeal, and for the Criminal Chamber of the Criminal Court."

Article 12 and the phrase Yes Cassation" with the phrase "for the Criminal Chamber of the Court of Cassation" mentioned in F

"Criminal Court of Appeal" with the phrase "competent circuit" mentioned in Article 167, first paragraph, and

the phrase "criminal court of first instance in the Cairo Court of Appeal circuit" with the phrase "Cairo Criminal  
Court" mentioned in Article 219 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

The text of the second paragraph of Article 151 of the Code of Criminal Procedure shall be replaced with as

the following text:

In the event of referral to the Criminal Court of First Instance or appeal before the Criminal Court of  
Appeal, the matter shall fall outside the jurisdiction of the Misdemeanor Court of Appeal, which is held in the  
consultation room.

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Code of Criminal Procedure shall be Chapters One and Two of Chapter Three of Book Two of the

replaced by the following chapters:

Chapter One

Forming criminal courts and determining their convening roles

Article (366):

In each court of appeal, one or more courts shall be formed to hear criminal cases. Each court shall consist of three of its judges, headed by at least one of the deputy presidents of the court of appeals. the Criminal Court, the head of each of which shall be of the One or more chambers of rank of chief of the Court of Appeals, shall examine the felonies stipulated in Chapters One, Two, Three, and Four of Book Two of the Penal Code, and the crimes related to those felonies, and these cases shall be decided expeditiously.

Article (367):

In each court of appeal, one or more courts shall be formed before which judgments issued by the first-degree criminal circuits shall be appealed. Each court shall be composed of three of its judges, at least one of whom shall have the rank of president of the court of appeals, and the presidency of the court shall be the most senior among them.

Article (368):

on the request of its president, shall be appointed by the Courts of Appeal in each court, who is entrusted by its judges to work in the criminal courts at both levels. Sessions of the Criminal Court. If an impediment arises for one of the judges appointed for a session of the another of the same rank the judges are delegated by the President of the Court of Appeal same rank, he shall be replaced by

Article (369):

Criminal courts shall be held at both levels in every district that has a court of first instance, and their jurisdiction shall include what is included in the court of first instance. If a case requires, the criminal court may be held in another place designated by the Minister of Justice upon the request of the President of the Court of Appeal.

Whoever you delegate may, when necessary, by a decision of the General Assembly of the Court of a court of first Appeal, or the jurisdiction of the Court of Appeal may include more than one circuit of instance, and the decision in this case shall indicate the place where it is held.

#### Article (370):

A decision shall be issued by the president of a court. Criminal courts shall convene at both levels every month

The appeal contradicts this.

#### Article (371):

Sessions shall be held at least one month before, by a Presidential decision specifying the opening date of each session of the Court of Appeal.

#### Article (372):

In each session, there is a docket for the cases to be heard, and the Criminal Court, with its two levels, continues its sessions until the cases registered on the docket are finished.

#### Article (373):

In the cases heard by the Criminal Court of Appeal, all the provisions and conditions established before the Criminal Court of First Instance shall be followed.

### Chapter II

#### Procedures before criminal courts

#### Article (374):

The accused and witnesses shall be required to appear before the Criminal Court of First Instance before

The session will last for at least ten full days.

In cases where the ruling is to be appealed by the Public Prosecution, the accused Yes Wf

shall be notified of the appeal and his appearance before the Criminal Court of Appeal at least ten

full days before the session.

The court shall not contact the case except by notifying the accused of the referral order.

## Article (375):

Except in the case of an excuse or impediment that proves its validity, the lawyer must, whether represented by the Public Prosecution or the investigating judge, or And he said before he died M  
The President of the Criminal Court, at both levels, may defend the accused at the session or appoint a lawyer  
The Criminal Court, at both levels, shall impose a fine not exceeding three hundred pounds on anyone else,  
otherwise he shall be sentenced, without prejudice to the disciplinary trial, if necessary.  
The court may exempt him from the fine if it is proven that he was unable to attend the session  
himself or to have someone else act on his behalf.

## Article (376):

To defend him, the Circumstances in which the accused is unable to appoint a lawyer Yes F  
court will appoint a lawyer assigned by the Public Prosecution, the investigating judge, or the president of a court  
The public treasury shall determine it in its ruling Conditions, fees Felonies of both degrees, I feel  
Issued in the case.  
This estimate may not be challenged in any way.

## Article (377):

Primary school M Lawyers accepted to plead before courts of appeal or trial  
Only those who are competent to plead before the Criminal Court shall be admitted  
to the Court of Appeal, except for lawyers who are accepted to plead before the  
Courts of Appeal.

## Article (378):

Upon arrival of the case file, the President, in order to determine the role in which it must be  
from files and send copies to it Session sessions, e., and to prepare a schedule of issues for each session R dealt with

The cases are referred to the judges appointed for the role to which they were referred, and he orders the notification of the accused and witnesses

of Article 374 of this law if it is Which is determined for consideration of the case, taking into account the provisions and m<sup>Bali</sup>

From the Public Prosecution. The appeal is filed

If serious reasons require postponing the hearing of the case, the postponement must be for a specific day

Whether in the same role or in a future role.

Article (379):

The plaintiff in civil rights and the person responsible for them said that both the Public Prosecution and the accused

objected to hearing the testimony of witnesses whose names had not previously been announced.

Article (380):

Taking into account the provisions of Articles 142 and 143 of this law, the Criminal Court<sup>M</sup>

has the right to bring him in, and it may order the arrest of the accused on both levels, in all cases.

And to release, on bail or without bail, the accused detained in pretrial detention<sup>Detain him in custody</sup>

Article (381):

All rulings imposed on misdemeanors shall be followed before the criminal courts at both levels,

unless otherwise stated.

To issue this ruling, he The Criminal Court, at both levels, may not issue a ruling

must take the opinion of the Mufti of the Republic, send his and it must be accepted<sup>its members,</sup>

opinion to the court, and the case papers must be sent to him. In all cases, he must inform the

court of a sufficient period of time before the sentencing session. If his opinion does not reach the

court before the date Scheduled to pronounce the ruling, the court ruled on the case.

In the event that the position of the Mufti is vacant, or if he is unable to perform his duties, the Mufti of Justice shall be appointed by decision

From him, who will take his place?

In the judgments of the appealed criminal court, except by way of cassation It is not permissible

to appeal or reconsider.

**Article (382):**

If the Criminal Court of First Instance finds that the incident as stated in the referral order and before its investigation at the hearing is considered a misdemeanor, it may rule that it lacks jurisdiction and refer it to the court.

**Partial.**

That is only after the investigation and it can be judged. But if you don't see

**Article (383):**

If a misdemeanor related to a felony is referred to it and it finds, before investigating it, that there is no basis for this connection, the Criminal Court of First Instance may adjudicate the misdemeanor and refer it to the District Court.

**(Article Three)**

The title "Chapter One: On Appealing Misdemeanor Cases" is added to the title of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and is also added to Chapter Two "On Appeal" of Book Three Of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Chapter Two, Titled Part Two of Book

,1 Three, 419 bis (in resuming criminal matters) includes articles Nos. 419 bis  
,6 5 419 bis 4 419 bis 3 419 bis 2 419 bis 419 times  
9, the following texts: 8 419 bis 7 419 bis 419 bis

**Chapter II**

**In the appeal of criminal matters**

**:). Article 419 bis**

The court rulings issued by both the District Court and the Criminal Court of First Instance shall be appealed to the Criminal Court of First Instance.



## (1) Article 419 bis

First Criminal Court: Judgments issued in a civil case may be appealed from the level of the person claiming civil rights, the person responsible for them, or the accused, with regard to the rights of the quorum in which the ruling is made. Civil rights alone, if the requested compensation exceeds

- The court of first instance permanently

## 2) Article 419 bis

The Public Prosecution may appeal judgments issued in absentia in criminal cases.

## 3) Article 419 bis

All provisions stipulated for appeals in the articles shall be followed in considering and deciding the appeal

Misdemeanors, unless the law stipulates otherwise.

## :) Article 419 bis

The ruling was issued, and that Yes The appeal shall be filed with a report in the clerk's office of the court

From the date of issuance of the ruling. Within forty days

The report must be signed If the appeal is filed, it must be filed by the State Litigation Authority

Who has at least one advisor on it?

From a public defender From the Public Prosecution, the report must be signed If it is raised,

At least.

From the date of its issuance, he The Public Prosecutor may appeal the ruling within sixty days

may decide to appeal to the clerk of the court competent to hear the appeal.

5) Article 419 bis

The Registry shall submit the report on the appeal and the case file immediately after the expiry of the period specified for submitting the reasons for the ruling issued therein to the President of the Court of Appeal after listing the appeal in a docket prepared for that purpose. The President of the Court shall set a session to consider it, and shall order that the accused be notified and notified.

The rest of the opponents have it.

:6 Article 419 bis

Case files and rulings issued therein to judges photo The Court of Appeal sends

Those appointed to hear the appeal sufficiently before the hearing date.

:7 Article 419 bis

The court will hear the appellant's statements, the aspects on which he relies in his appeal, and the aspects

His defense and defenses, as you hear the rest of the opponents, provided that the accused is the last one to speak.

:8 Article 419 bis

He appealed the death penalty within the time limit, and it was not done in his presence Outgoing M If the ruling is

Article 46 of the Civil Cases Law valid, the Public Prosecution must follow the ruling decided by law

Procedures for appeal before the Court of Cassation issued by Law No. 57 of 1959.

:9 Article 419 bis

Criminal Court of First Instance Suspension Appealing the ruling issued by the Yes By the way, b

execution of the ruling, unless the Court of Appeal decided to suspend the execution, or the ruling was

By death. Outgoing



If the convicted person or his representative fails to appear at the specified session without excuse,

To defend him and explain To consider his appeal or at any subsequent session, the court shall appoint a lawyer for him

On appeal.

(Article 4)

The provisions of this law apply only to cases that have not been decided by the courts

as of the effective date of this law. Felonies as of

(Article Five)

What's next? from to 100,000, and it shall be effective Al-Rass newspaper Yes This is the law R Yensh

For the date of its publication.

This law shall be under the seal of the state and shall be implemented as one of its laws.stamping

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