

CHAPTER 15 ACTIVITY
Basic Concepts

GLENCOE
STREET LAW
A Course in Practical Law

Directions: Select the term from the list below and write it in the correct space in the statements that follow. Not all terms will be used. Some terms may be used more than once.

aggravating circumstances
 cruel and unusual punishment
 death penalty
 deterrence
 electronic monitoring device
 fine
 home confinement
 imprisonment
 incapacitation
 jail
 judicial discretion
 legitimate penological interests
 lethal injection
 mitigating circumstances

parole
 presentence report
 prison
 probation
 recidivist law
 reentry
 rehabilitation
 restitution
 retribution
 suspended sentence
 The Innocence Project
 Three Strikes Law
 victim impact statement
 work release

1. Jail and prison officials may generally limit inmate rights when the limitations serve _____.
2. _____ is an example of a _____ that increases penalties for repeat offenders.
3. _____ holds persons who are awaiting trial.
4. A recent challenge to the _____ unsuccessfully claimed that the execution method of _____ violated the _____.
5. A _____ is when defendants pay a sum of money to the court as a penalty, and _____ is when defendants pay a sum of money to the victim for the harm.
6. _____ is a new program to help ex-offenders become law-abiding citizens, thus serving the _____ purpose of criminal law.
7. _____ is a sentence to community supervision after conviction, and _____ is supervision in the community after incarceration.
8. _____ is a program that helps convicted individuals show through new evidence that their original conviction was wrongly decided.
9. The Supreme Court ruled that _____ was unconstitutional in 1972 because the jury had not been allowed to consider _____ and _____.
10. Generally, a probation officer prepares a _____ and may include a _____ to help the judge impose the sentence on a convicted defendant.

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