DRUG PETTY OFFENSES

Offense C.R.S. Citation

CRIMINAL CODE — UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT OF 1992

Offenses Related to the Uniform Controlled Substances Act of 1992

1. **Offenses relating to marijuana and marijuana concentrate.** Any person who possesses not more than two ounces of marijuana commits a drug petty offense. (maximum \$100 fine)

Any person who openly and publicly displays, consumes, or uses two ounces or less of marijuana commits a drug petty offense.

18-18-406 (5) (b) (l) (maximum \$100 fine and up to 24 hours of community service)

Any person who transfers or dispenses two ounces or less of marijuana for no consideration commits a drug petty offense.

18-18-406 (5) (c) (no penalty specified)

2. **Authorized possession of controlled substances.** Any person who possesses a prescribed controlled substances in a container other than that in which it was dispensed and who is unable to show legal ownership commits a drug petty offense.

18-18-413 (maximum \$100 fine)

3. **Possession of drug paraphernalia.** Any person who possesses drug paraphernalia and who knows or reasonably should know that the paraphernalia could be used under circumstances in violation of the laws of this state commits a drug petty offense.

18-18-428 (2) (maximum \$100 fine)

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