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CriminalSource – Tips

Accessing CriminalSource

Select CriminalSource from the My Subscriptions section of the WestlawNext Canada Home page.

![Figure 1: WestlawNext Canada Home page](image1.png)

Case Law Views

Select which case law view you wish to search from the Cases section of the CriminalSource start page: CriminalSource Cases and Decisions or Canadian Criminal Cases (C.C.C.) and Weekly Criminal Bulletin (W.C.B.). After running your search, you may choose to view a case from another reporter by selecting it from the Case Views section located to the right of the decision.

![Figure 2: Case Views](image2.png)
Martin’s commentary

Martin’s Annual Criminal Code and Martin’s Related Criminal Statutes have been added to the Commentary – Texts and Annotations section of the CriminalSource start page.

Select a link and then select through to retrieve the commentary for that topic. **Note:** At any point while browsing, you can enter a plain language or Terms & Connectors query into the search box to search the topics displayed.

**Figure 3:** Martin’s Annual Criminal Code

**Note:** To retrieve the full text of the legislative provision, select its link. To retrieve the Annotations, Synopsis or Cross-references, select the applicable link from the Related Documents section located to the right of the commentary, where applicable.

**Finding Tools**

Martin’s Offence Grid

Select through to the section you want. The grid includes a link to the relevant section of the Criminal Code.

**Figure 4:** Martin’s Offence Grid
Indices

Select a link to retrieve an alphabetic listing. Select through to retrieve the index. Select the publication’s citation link (e.g. 197.1) to retrieve the commentary or select the “See” reference to jump to the related topic. You may also access the indices from the Finding Tools section of the WestlawNext Canada Home page.

Figure 5: Martin’s Legislation Topical Index

Where can I find Help?

- Contact Carswell Technical or Reference Support, 24/7 at: 1-800-387-5164.
- Access online Help and the Getting Started tutorial located at the bottom of any WestlawNext Canada page.
- Go to the Customer Learning Centre (www.carswell.com/learning) to access User Guides, Quick Reference Cards and video tutorials or to sign up for a live public Webinar facilitated by a Carswell Certified Professional Learning Consultant.
- Go to WestlawNext Canada (www.westlawnextcanada.com) to learn more about the service.