

528.020 Promoting gambling in the first degree.

- (1) A person is guilty of promoting gambling in the first degree when he knowingly advances or profits from unlawful gambling activity by:
 - (a) Engaging in bookmaking to the extent that he employs or utilizes three or more persons in a bookmaking activity and receives or accepts in any one day bets totaling more than \$500; or
 - (b) Receiving in connection with a lottery or mutuel scheme or enterprise:
 1. Money or written records from a person other than a player whose chances or plays are represented by such money or records; or
 2. More than \$500 in any one day of money played in the scheme or enterprise; or
 - (c) Setting up and operating a gambling device.
- (2) Promoting gambling in the first degree is a Class D felony.

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