Sight translation

Exercise 1

Sight translation: English to test language

Section 763 and subsections 764(1) to (4) of the Criminal Code state as follows:

763. Where a person is bound by recognizance to appear before a court, justice or provincial court judge for any purpose and the session or sittings of that court or the proceedings are adjourned or an order is made changing the place of trial, that person and his sureties continue to be bound by the recognizance in like manner as if it had been entered into with relation to the resumed proceedings or the trial at the time and place at which the proceedings are ordered to be resumed or the trial is ordered to be held.

- 764. (1) Where an accused is bound by recognizance to appear for trial, his arraignment or conviction does not discharge the recognizance, but it continues to bind him and his sureties, if any, for his appearance until he is discharged or sentenced, as the case may be.
- (2) Notwithstanding subsection (1), the court, justice or provincial court judge may commit an accused to prison or may require him to furnish new or additional sureties for his appearance until he is discharged or sentenced, as the case may be.
- (3) The sureties of an accused who is bound by recognizance to appear for trial are discharged if he is committed to prison pursuant to subsection (2).
- (4) The provisions of section 763 and subsections (1), (2) and (3) of this section shall be endorsed on any recognizance entered into pursuant to this Act. R.S., c.C-34, s.698."

256 words

Examples of scoring units in sight translation English to test language

| Scoring unit example | Type with explanation |
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| Criminal Code | Numbers and names |
| Where a person is bound by recognizance | Specialized terminology/phraseology: legal phraseology |
| Justice | Specialized terminology/phraseology |
| an order is made | Grammar passive form of verb |
| his sureties | Specialized terminology / phraseology: Legal terminology |
| his sureties continue to be bound by recognizance in like manner as if it had been entered into with relation to the resumed proceedings | Register formal level of language |
| or the trial is ordered to be held | Words or phrases likely to be omitted due to their position: last clause of a very long sentence |
| Where an accused is bound by recognizance to appear for trial, his arraignment or conviction does not discharge the recognizance, but it continues to bind him | Structure - long sentence with several clauses) |
| Appearance | General vocabulary |
| until he is discharged | General vocabulary |
| until he is discharged or sentenced, as the case may be | Words or phrases likely to be omitted due to their position: end of long sentence |
| Notwithstanding subsection (1) | Register formal level of language |
| provincial court judge | Words or phrases adding precision or emphasis |
| may commit an accused to prison | Grammar modal auxiliary + verb |
| the court, justice or provincial court judge may commit an accused to prison or may require him to furnish new or additional sureties for his appearance until he is discharged or sentenced | Structure - complex sentence) |
| new or additional sureties | Words or phrases adding precision or emphasis |
| section 763 and subsections (1), (2) and (3) of this section | Numbers and names |
| pursuant to this Act | Register formal level of language |