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PREFACE

The promise of the casebook was that students would be studying “real” California criminal law, *i.e.*, that the law set forth in the casebook was the law actually applied in the California courts. Law, and particularly criminal law, is constantly changing, and in the five years since the publication of the second edition of the casebook, there have been significant developments in California criminal law. The present Supplement brings the law of the casebook up-to-date with a new United States Supreme Court decision and six recent California Supreme Court decisions, along with additional notes and problems. As was true of the casebook, citations and footnotes have been eliminated from the judicial opinions without so specifying, and, where citations are included, often they are simplified, with page cites omitted.

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