

**THE CODE OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE (EXCERPT)**  
**Act 175 of 1927**

**777.34 Psychological injury to victim.**

Sec. 34.

(1) Offense variable 4 is psychological injury to a victim. Score offense variable 4 by determining which of the following apply and by assigning the number of points attributable to the one that has the highest number of points:

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| (a) Serious psychological injury requiring professional treatment occurred to a victim   | 10<br>points |
| (b) For a conviction under section 50b of the Michigan penal code, 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.50b, serious psychological injury requiring professional treatment occurred to the owner of a companion animal | 5<br>points  |
| (c) No serious psychological injury requiring professional treatment occurred to a victim  | 0<br>points  |

(2) Score 10 points if the serious psychological injury may require professional treatment. In making this determination, the fact that treatment has not been sought is not conclusive.

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