

(a) a "disabled person" is (a) one who, for reasons listed in Section 201 other than minority, has been judged by a Court to be unable to manage his property effectively, and (b) for whose estate a guardian has been appointed;

(b) "Court" means the Court having jurisdiction under Section 105;

(c) "estate" is the property of a disabled person or minor which is subject to a protective proceeding;

(d) a "guardian" (unless succeeded by the words "of the person") is one appointed by a court under Subtitle 2 to manage the property of a disabled person or a minor;

(e) "heirs" denotes those persons who would be entitled under the laws of Maryland to the property of protected persons as if, at the applicable time, he had died intestate;

(f) "interested persons" shall mean the guardian, the heirs of the minor or disabled person, the minor or disabled person, and any governmental agency paying benefits to the minor or disabled person; if any interested person is also a minor or disabled person, "interested persons" shall also include any judicially appointed guardian, committee, conservator, or trustee for such person, if any, and if none, then the parent or other person having assumed responsibility for such person;

(g) "Maryland Rules" means the Rules promulgated by the Court of Appeals of Maryland under the authority of the Constitution and Laws of Maryland;

(h) a "minor" is a person who has not reached his twenty-first birthday;

(i) "property" includes both real and personal property;

(j) a "protective proceeding" is a proceeding in accordance with Subtitle 2.

102. Verification under this Article.

When a writing is required by this Article to be verified, verification shall be sufficient if the writing is signed by the person required to make the verification and contains the following representation:

I do solemnly declare and affirm under the penalties of perjury that the contents of the foregoing document are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

103. Notice.

Unless personal service or notice by publication is expressly required in this Article or by the Maryland Rules, the first notice required or permitted to be given to any person under this Article shall be sufficient if deposited as registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, addressed to the addressee at the address last known to the sender, with delivery restricted to the addressee. Any subsequent notice to such person in accordance with this Article shall be sufficient if deposited as ordinary mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the same address at which the first notice was