

~~10-102~~ 10-102. *Liability of heir or legatee to creditor.*

*After an estate has been closed, a claim not barred may be prosecuted against one or more of the persons to whom property has been distributed. No heir or legatee shall be liable to claimants for amounts in excess of the value of his distribution, valued at the time of distribution or the time of filing suit, whichever is lower. Any such heir or legatee shall have a right of contribution against other heirs and/or legatees; and as between them each shall bear the cost of satisfaction of unbarred claims as if the claim had been satisfied before distribution.*

~~10-104~~ 10-103. *Limitations.*

(a) *Proceedings against personal representative. If no action or proceeding involving the personal representative is pending one year after the termination of the appointment of the personal representative pursuant to Section 10-101 or Section ~~10-102~~, the personal representative shall be discharged from any claim or demand of any interested person. The rights so barred do not include rights to recover from a personal representative for fraud, material mistake or substantial irregularity.*

(b) *Claims against heirs and legatees. The right of any person seeking to recover property improperly distributed, or the value thereof, from any person to whom property has been distributed shall be forever barred at the later of:*

- (1) *3 years from the decedent's death, or*
- (2) *one year from the time of distribution thereof.*

*This Section shall not bar recovery of property or the value thereof received as the result of his participation and fraudulent distribution.*

~~10-105~~ 10-104. *Subsequent administration.*

*If other property is discovered after an estate has been closed and the appointment of the personal representative has been terminated pursuant to Section 10-101 or Section ~~10-102~~, the Court, upon petition of any interested person and upon such notice as it may direct, may appoint the same or a successor personal representative and make any other appropriate order. Any further proceedings shall be conducted pursuant to such provisions of this Article as may be applicable, but no claim previously barred may be asserted in the reopened administration.*

~~10-106~~ 10-105. *Confirmatory acts.*

*Nothing in this Subtitle shall be deemed to affect the authority of a personal representative to perform ministerial or confirmatory acts after an estate is closed.*