

exempting property from execution, see Maryland Constitution, Art. III, § 44. As to exemption of wages from attachment, see Art. 9, § 31, of this Code. As to exemption of proceeds of insurance policies, see Art. 48A, §§ 328 and 385. As to exemption of money payable under Workmen's Compensation Act, see Art. 101, §50. As to exemption of property owned by an estate, see Art. 93, §8-114.

SEC. 11-505. EXEMPTIONS IN ALTERNATIVE.

(A) IN GENERAL.

IN LIEU OF THE EXEMPTION GRANTED IN § 11-504(A) (1) AND (2), THE DEFENDANT MAY ELECT TO HAVE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS EXEMPT FROM EXECUTION: ONE STOVE, ONE WASHING MACHINE, ONE REFRIGERATOR, KITCHEN UTENSILS AND DISHES, ONE BED AND MATTRESS FOR EACH MEMBER OF THE DEFENDANT'S FAMILY, BLANKETS, SHEETS, PILLOWS AND PILLOW CASES, CHEST OF DRAWERS, ONE KITCHEN TABLE AND CHAIRS, AND FOOD TO BE CONSUMED BY THE DEFENDANT AND HIS FAMILY.

(B) PRESUMPTION OF ELECTION.

FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, THE DEBTOR IS PRESUMED TO HAVE MADE HIS ELECTION UNDER SUBSECTION (A) UNLESS HE AFFIRMATIVELY CLAIMS THE EXEMPTION UNDER § 11-504.

(C) PROHIBITION ON SHERIFF.

A SHERIFF MAY NOT EXECUTE ON THE ITEMS DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (A) UNLESS THE DEBTOR HAS AFFIRMATIVELY CLAIMED THE EXEMPTION UNDER § 11-504.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived from Art. 83, § 8A, as enacted by Ch. 591, H.B. 986, Acts of 1973.

SEC. 11-506. WAIVER OF EXEMPTIONS.

(A) IN GENERAL.

IF THE DEFENDANT HAS WAIVED HIS EXEMPTIONS, THE COURT SHALL ENTER THE WAIVER ON THE DOCKET AND ON THE WRIT, BUT FAILURE TO MAKE THE ENTRY DOES NOT AFFECT THE VALIDITY OF THE WAIVER.

(B) WAIVER MAY BE STRICKEN.