

(D) A STATEMENT OF ANY LEGAL PROCEEDINGS PENDING IN WHICH THE DECEDENT WAS A PARTY.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 93, §5-602. No change has been made.

5-603. PROCEEDINGS AFTER PETITION.

(A) DETERMINATIONS ON PETITION.

IF THE REGISTER FINDS THAT THE PETITION AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FILED IN THE PROCEEDING IS ACCURATE, HE SHALL:

(1) DIRECT THAT THE PETITIONER SERVE AS PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SMALL ESTATE;

(2) DIRECT THE IMMEDIATE PAYMENT OF THE ALLOWABLE FUNERAL EXPENSES AS PROVIDED IN §8-106 AND THE FAMILY ALLOWANCES PROVIDED IN §3-201;

(3) DIRECT SALE OF PROPERTY AS MAY BE NECESSARY TO SATISFY EXPENSES AND ALLOWANCES; AND

(4) IF IT APPEARS THAT THERE WILL BE PROPERTY REMAINING AFTER THE PAYMENTS, EXPENSES AND ALLOWANCES, ADMIT A WILL TO PROBATE AND DIRECT THAT NOTICE BE GIVEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (B).

(B) NOTICE.

IF THE REGISTER DIRECTS A PROCEEDING IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (A) (4), NOTICE SHALL BE GIVEN ONCE IN THE FORM REQUIRED BY §7-103, BUT THE PERIOD WITHIN WHICH OBJECTION MUST BE MADE TO THE ACTION OR WITHIN WHICH CLAIMS MUST BE FILED IS 30 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 93, §5-603. The only changes are in language.

5-604. BOND, COMPENSATION, AND DUTIES OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE.

(A) BOND; COMPENSATION.

ANY PERSON APPOINTED AS A PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN ACCORDANCE WITH §5-603 MAY NOT BE REQUIRED TO GIVE BOND OR BE ENTITLED TO RECEIVE COMMISSIONS FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF HIS DUTIES AS PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE.

(E) DUTIES.