

limited by subsection (1) is so terminated as to leave available a remedy by another action for the same breach such other action may be commenced after the expiration of the time limited and within six months after the termination of the first action unless the termination resulted from voluntary discontinuance or from dismissal for failure or neglect to prosecute.

(4) This section does not alter the law on tolling of the statute of limitations nor does it apply to causes of action which have accrued before TITLES 1 THROUGH 10 OF this article becomes effective.

TITLE 3. COMMERCIAL PAPER.

SUBTITLE 1. SHORT TITLE, FORM AND INTERPRETATION.

3-101. Short title.

This [subtitle] TITLE shall be known and may be cited as MARYLAND Uniform Commercial Code—Commercial Paper.

3-102. Definitions and index of definitions.

(1) In this [subtitle] TITLE unless the context otherwise requires

(a) "Issue" means the first delivery of an instrument to a holder or a remitter.

(b) An "order" is a direction to pay and must be more than an authorization or request. It must identify the person to pay with reasonable certainty. It may be addressed to one or more such persons jointly or in the alternative but not in succession.

(c) A "promise" is an undertaking to pay and must be more than an acknowledgment of an obligation.

(d) "Secondary party" means a drawer or indorser.

(e) "Instrument" means a negotiable instrument.

(2) Other definitions applying to TITLES 1 THROUGH 10 OF this article and the sections in which they appear are:

"Acceptance." § 3-410.

"Accommodation party." § 3-415.

"Alteration." § 3-407.

"Certificate of deposit." § 3-104.