

(II) THE PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS OF THE OFFICIAL CUSTODIAN IS LOCATED.

(3) THE PETITION SHALL BE SERVED ON THE APPLICANT, AS PROVIDED IN THE MARYLAND RULES.

(C) RIGHTS OF APPLICANT.

THE APPLICANT IS ENTITLED TO APPEAR AND TO BE HEARD ON THE PETITION.

(D) HEARING.

IF, AFTER THE HEARING, THE COURT FINDS THAT INSPECTION OF THE PUBLIC RECORD WOULD CAUSE SUBSTANTIAL INJURY TO THE PUBLIC INTEREST, THE COURT MAY PASS AN APPROPRIATE ORDER PERMITTING THE CONTINUED DENIAL OF INSPECTION.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from the first, third, and fourth sentences of former Art. 76A, § 3(e).

Defined terms: "Applicant" § 10-611  
"County" § 1-101 "Official custodian" § 10-611  
"Public record" § 10-611

10-620. COPIES.

(A) IN GENERAL.

(1) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SUBSECTION, AN APPLICANT WHO IS AUTHORIZED TO INSPECT A PUBLIC RECORD MAY HAVE:

(I) A COPY, PRINTOUT, OR PHOTOGRAPH OF THE PUBLIC RECORD; OR

(II) IF THE CUSTODIAN DOES NOT HAVE FACILITIES TO REPRODUCE THE PUBLIC RECORD, ACCESS TO THE PUBLIC RECORD TO MAKE THE COPY, PRINTOUT, OR PHOTOGRAPH.

(2) AN APPLICANT MAY NOT HAVE A COPY OF A JUDGMENT UNTIL:

(I) THE TIME FOR APPEAL EXPIRES; OR

(II) IF AN APPEAL IS NOTED, THE APPEAL IS DISMISSED OR ADJUDICATED.

(B) CONDITIONS.

(1) THE COPY, PRINTOUT, OR PHOTOGRAPH SHALL BE MADE:

(I) WHILE THE PUBLIC RECORD IS IN THE CUSTODY OF THE CUSTODIAN; AND