

In light of this definition, phrases such as "but not limited to" are deleted throughout this Division I of this article as superfluous.

The Commission to Revise the Annotated Code emphasizes, however, that the absence of a like definition in a previously revised article of the Code does not mean that "includes" or "including" is used there in any different sense or that a different legislative intent is implied by the absence of phrases such as "but not limited to". In these revised articles of the Code, the maxim expressio unius est exclusio alterius and doctrines of similar implication are not intended in any way to be made applicable by reason of the deletion of such phrases.

(D) PERSON.

"PERSON" MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL, RECEIVER, TRUSTEE, GUARDIAN, PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE, FIDUCIARY, OR REPRESENTATIVE OF ANY KIND AND ANY PARTNERSHIP, FIRM, ASSOCIATION, CORPORATION, OR OTHER ENTITY.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection is new language added to set forth a broad definition of the word "person" as used in this Division I of this article.

As to the term "personal representative", see Art. 1, § 5 of the Code.

(E) STATE.

"STATE" MEANS:

- STATES;
- (1) A STATE, POSSESSION, OR TERRITORY OF THE UNITED STATES;
 - (2) THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA; OR
 - (3) THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection is new language added to avoid repetition of phrases such as "state, possession, territory, the District of Columbia, or the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico" and to standardize similar references throughout this Division I of this article.

The Commission to Revise the Annotated Code, in revising this Division I of this article, found in the former law many different descriptions of other jurisdictions outside of the State. On examination, the Commission determined that these apparent differences did not reflect legislative intent. Therefore, the Commission uniformly applied this