

(H) (F) PUBLIC NOTICE OF AWARD.

A UNIT SHALL PUBLISH IN THE MARYLAND REGISTER NOTICE OF A PROCUREMENT CONTRACT AWARDED UNDER THIS SECTION.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Subsections (a)(1) and (2)(ii) through (iv) and (b) through (f) of this section are new language derived without substantive change from former SF § 11-110(b)(1), (2)(ii) through (vi), and (3) through (6), (c)(1), (2), (3)(ii), and (4) through (7), and (d) and the third sentence of § 11-140(d).

Subsection (a)(2)(i) of this section is new language added for clarity.

Subsections (b)(1) and (4), (c)(1)(ii), (d)(1) and (3), (e)(1), (2), and (3)(i) and (iii) of this section are revised, in the active voice, to clarify that the "procurement officer" is responsible for the actions under these subsections, since these actions seem to fall within the powers contemplated for a "procurement officer", as defined in § 11-101(n) of this article. On the other hand, subsections (b)(1)(ii)2., (c)(1)(i), and (f) of this section are revised to refer to the amorphous "unit" since the duties under these subsections do not fall clearly within the responsibilities of any single individual. The revision of subsections (c)(1)(i) and (f) of this section is consistent with SG § 7-206(c), which refers to a "unit" publishing a document and reimbursing the Division of State Documents for the cost of publication.

In subsection (b)(1)(ii) of this section, the authority to "direct" is substituted for the former words "at the procurement agency's option", for clarity and brevity.

The introductory language of subsection (c)(4) of this section, "[i]n addition to any notice required under this subsection," is substituted for the former, ambiguous word "also" to clarify that publishing notice on a bid board or in a newspaper, periodical, or trade journal is "in addition to" and not in substitution for publishing notice in the Maryland Register. In light of this substitution, in subsection (c)(4)(i) of this section, the former reference to bids "not required to be published in the Maryland Register" is deleted.

In subsection (d)(3)(ii) of this section, the reference to "the Office of the Attorney General" is substituted for the former obsolete reference to "the