

The term "protest" is substituted, as the defined term, for the former word "complaints" to conform to practice.

Defined term: "Procurement contract" § 11-101

15-216. APPLICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT.

(A) DISPOSITION BEFORE FILING APPEAL WITH APPEALS BOARD.

TITLE 10, SUBTITLE 2 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE DOES NOT APPLY TO THE DISPOSITION OF A PROTEST OR A CONTRACT CLAIM BY:

- (1) A PRIMARY PROCUREMENT UNIT;
- (2) A PROCUREMENT OFFICER; OR
- (3) A UNIT.

(B) PROCEEDINGS OF APPEALS BOARD.

THE APPEALS BOARD SHALL CONDUCT ITS PROCEEDINGS IN ACCORDANCE WITH TITLE 10, SUBTITLE 2 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Subsection (a) of this section is new language derived without substantive change from former SF § 11-137(b)(4).

Subsection (b) of this section is new language derived without substantive change from former SF § 11-138(c)(2)(i).

In subsection (a) of this section, the specific references to a "procurement officer", "unit", and "primary procurement unit" are substituted for the former reference to "this section", for clarity, since the referenced section, former SF § 11-137, related to the procedures that a primary procurement unit, a procurement officer, and a unit must follow after a person files a protest or contract claim.

Defined terms: "Contract claim" § 15-215  
 "Primary procurement units" § 11-101  
 "Procurement officer" § 11-101 "Protest" § 15-215  
 "Unit" § 11-101

15-217. INITIATION OF PROTEST OR CONTRACT CLAIM.

(A) IN GENERAL.