

(3) A CERTIFICATION UNDER THIS SECTION IS PRIMA FACIE EVIDENCE OF THE CONTENTS, EXECUTION, AND DELIVERY OF PAYMENT SECURITY.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former SF § 12-201(c) and (g) and, as it related to the persons protected by payment security, (a)(1)(ii).

In subsection (b)(2) of this section, the former reference to "registered" mail is deleted in light of Art. 1, § 20 of the Code, which makes the terms "registered mail" and "certified mail" interchangeable. The reference to "certified mail" conforms to the language used throughout the revised articles of the Code.

In subsection (c)(3) of this section, the word "certification" is substituted for the former word "copy", to encompass a certified statement issued under subsection (c)(1) of this section.

Defined terms: "Payment security" § 17-101
"Person" § 11-101 "Supplier" § 17-101

17-109. VENUE; LIMITATIONS; COSTS.

(A) VENUE.

AN ACTION UNDER THIS SUBTITLE SHALL BE FILED IN THE APPROPRIATE COURT OF THE COUNTY WHERE:

(1) THE CONTRACT WAS EXECUTED AND PERFORMED; OR

(2) THE CONTRACTOR HAS ITS PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS.

(B) LIMITATIONS PERIOD.

AN ACTION UNDER THIS SUBTITLE SHALL BE FILED WITHIN 1 YEAR AFTER THE PUBLIC BODY FINALLY ACCEPTS THE WORK PERFORMED UNDER THE CONTRACT.

(C) COSTS.

AN OBLIGEE NAMED IN A BOND OR A TRUSTEE FOR ANY OTHER SECURITY IS NOT LIABLE FOR ANY COSTS IN CONNECTION WITH AN ACTION UNDER THIS SUBTITLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former SF § 12-201(d).