

In subsection (a)(1)(ii) of this section, the former reference to "officers" of a partnership is deleted as erroneous.

In subsection (c)(1) of this section, the express reference to an "omission" is added to clarify that the former reference to "conduct or acts" encompassed the failure to act.

The first sentence of former Art. 56, § 470(a), which provided that "[a] corporation or partnership, as such, may not be licensed or registered to practice architecture", is deleted as unnecessary in light of the use of the limited word "individual" in Subtitle 3 of this title, which provides for licenses, and as misleading in light of the requirements of this subtitle for a permit.

Defined terms: "Licensed architect" § 3-101
"Practice architecture" § 3-101

3-403. PERMIT REQUIRED; EXCEPTION.

(A) IN GENERAL.

EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, A CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP SHALL HOLD A PERMIT ISSUED BY THE BOARD BEFORE THE CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP MAY OPERATE A BUSINESS THROUGH WHICH ARCHITECTURE IS PRACTICED.

(B) EXCEPTION.

A CORPORATION MAY PROVIDE ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR ITSELF OR FOR AN AFFILIATED CORPORATION WITHOUT A PERMIT ISSUED BY THE BOARD.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from the second sentence and item (iii) of the first sentence of former Art. 56, § 470(c)(1).

In subsection (a) of this section, the defined term "permit" is substituted for the former reference to a "certificate of authorization", to provide a term that describes the authority granted a partnership or corporation and is consistent with the language used to describe similar grants of authority in connection with other business occupations that are regulated under this article. See the General Revisor's Note to this article.