

(B)-(1)--IN-A-JOINT-INVESTIGATION,-THE-CHIEF-OFFICERS-OF-THE-PARTICIPATING--LAW--ENFORCEMENT-AGENCIES-MAY-DESIGNATE-IN-WRITING-TO-THE-FORFEITING-AUTHORITY-ONE-AGENCY-AS-THE-SEIZING-AGENCY.

(2)--THE-PARTICIPATING-LAW--ENFORCEMENT--AGENCIES--MAY-ENTER--INTO--A-STIPULATION-THAT-ANY-FORFEITED-PROPERTY-BE-DIVIDED-PROPORTIONATELY-ACCORDING-TO-THE-DEGREE-OF-PARTICIPATION-OF--EACH-AGENCY.

(C)--UPON--WRITTEN-REQUEST-TO-THE-MARYLAND-STATE-POLICE-FROM-THE-CHIEF-OFFICER-OF-A-LAW-ENFORCEMENT-AGENCY-IN-ANOTHER-STATE-OR-COUNTY-FOREIGN-JURISDICTION,-THE-MARYLAND-STATE-POLICE-MAY-ACT-AS-THE-SEIZING-AGENCY-OF-PROPERTY-WITHIN-THIS-STATE.

(D)-(1)--IF-THE-VIOLATION-OF-THE-ENUMERATED-OFFENSE-THAT--IS-THE--BASIS--FOR--THE--FORFEITURE--RESULTS--IN-THE-COMMENCEMENT-OF-CRIMINAL-PROCEEDINGS,-THE-FORFEITURE-ACTION-MAY-BE-BROUGHT-IN-THE-JURISDICTION-IN-WHICH-THE-CRIMINAL--OFFENSE--IS--CHARGED--OR--THE-JURISDICTION--WHERE--THE--PROPERTY--WAS--LOCATED--AT--THE-TIME-OF-SEIZURE.

(2)--IF-NO-CRIMINAL-OFFENSE-IS-CHARGED,-THE-FORFEITURE-ACTION-SHALL-BE-BROUGHT-IN-THE-JURISDICTION-IN-WHICH-THE-PROPERTY-WAS-LOCATED-WHEN-SEIZED.

(3)--WHERE--REAL--PROPERTY--IS--THE---SUBJECT---OF---A-FORFEITURE---PROCEEDING,-LIS--PENDENS--SHALL--BE--FILED--IN--THE-JURISDICTION-WHERE-THE-PROPERTY--IS--LOCATED--IF--THE--FORFEITURE-ACTION-IS-NOT-BROUGHT-IN-THAT-JURISDICTION.

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(A)--OTHER--THAN-MONEYS-AND-PROCEEDS,-AN-OWNER'S-INTEREST-IN-PROPERTY-MAY-NOT-BE-FORFEITED-UNDER-THIS-SUBTITLE--IF--THE--OWNER-DID-NOT-KNOW-OR-HAVE-REASON-TO-KNOW-THAT-THE-PROPERTY-WAS-USED-OR-WAS--LIKELY--TO-BE-USED-IN-CONNECTION-WITH-ACTIVITY-PROSCRIBED-BY-AN-ENUMERATED-OFFENSE.

(B)--AN-INTEREST-OF-A-BONA-FIDE-PURCHASER-FOR-VALUE-MAY--NOT-BE-FORFEITED-UNDER-THIS-SUBTITLE-IF:

(1)-(i)--THE--PURCHASER-DID-NOT-KNOW-OR-HAVE-REASON-TO-KNOW-THAT-THE-PROPERTY-WAS-USED-OR--WAS--LIKELY--TO--BE--USED--IN-CONNECTION-WITH-THE-ACTIVITY-WHICH-GIVES-RISE-TO-FORFEITURE,-AND

(ii)--SUCH---USE--WAS--WITHOUT--THE--PURCHASER'S-CONSENT,-EXPRESS-OR-IMPLIED,-OR

(2)-(i)--THE-PURCHASER-DID-NOT-KNOW-OR-HAVE-REASON--TO-KNOW--THAT--THE-PROPERTY-WAS-PROCEEDS-OR-DERIVED-FROM-PROCEEDS-OF-ACTIVITY-WHICH-GIVES-RISE-TO-FORFEITURE,-AND