

~~f-(3)-f-~~ ~~f-(4)-f-~~ ~~f5~~ Except as provided in paragraph of this subsection, the rights and duties provided by law to the [secured party] LIENHOLDER for the sale of collateral securing an obligation in default shall govern the repossession and sale of the [motor vehicle] PROPERTY.

~~f-(4)-f-~~ ~~f5~~ (i) The [secured party] LIENHOLDER may not be required to take possession of the [motor vehicle] PROPERTY prior to the sale of the [vehicle] PROPERTY.

(ii) The proceeds of the sale shall be applied first to the costs of the forfeiture proceeding, then as provided by law for distribution of proceeds of a sale by the [secured party] LIENHOLDER.

(iii) Any portion of the proceeds that would be paid to an owner of the [vehicle] PROPERTY under the applicable law relating to distribution of proceeds, shall be paid to the seizing agency and shall be property subject to forfeiture. If no order of forfeiture is entered, the State shall remit to the owner that portion of the proceeds and any costs of the forfeiture proceedings paid from the proceeds of the sale.

~~f-(5)-f-~~ ~~f6~~ (i) If the interest of the owner in the [motor vehicle] PROPERTY is redeemed, the [secured party] LIENHOLDER shall mail a notice of the redemption to the [State's Attorney] FORFEITING AUTHORITY within 10 days after the redemption.

(ii) If the [motor vehicle] PROPERTY has been repossessed OR OTHERWISE LAWFULLY TAKEN by the [secured party] LIENHOLDER, the [secured party] LIENHOLDER shall return the [motor vehicle] PROPERTY to the seizing agency within 21 days after the redemption.

(iii) The seizing agency and the [State's Attorney] FORFEITING AUTHORITY may then proceed with the forfeiture of the [motor vehicle] PROPERTY or proceeds, and all time limitations required under this [subtitle] SECTION for notice and filing of the [petition] COMPLAINT for forfeiture shall run from the date of the redemption or purchase of the [motor vehicle] PROPERTY.

~~f~~ (S) IN A PROCEEDING UNDER THIS SECTION, A COURT MAY:

(1) GRANT REQUESTS FOR MITIGATION OR REMISSION OF FORFEITURE, OR TAKE ANY OTHER ACTION TO PROTECT THE RIGHTS OF INNOCENT PERSONS WHICH IS IN THE INTEREST OF JUSTICE AND WHICH IS NOT INCONSISTENT WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION;

(2) RESOLVE CLAIMS ARISING UNDER THIS SECTION; OR