

previously held ... or ... to a position of equal responsibilities, qualifications, and rate of pay"; and § 11-205(b), referring to the "reinstatement" of disabled veterans "to a position that ... provides the ... pay, seniority, and status that are the same as or as similar as ... circumstances ... allow to ... the position previously held".

In this regard, the State Personnel Article Review Committee notes, for consideration by the General Assembly, that the Committee is uncertain whether and to what extent this definition was intended to apply to all other uses in this Division I of "reinstatement" or only to one or another specific use of the term. See, e.g., § 3-307(c) ("reinstatement" under the Whistleblower Law); § 4-205(b)(4) (preference for veterans upon "reemployment ... or reinstatement"); § 4-402(a) (probation when employee is "reinstated"); § 9-405(c) ("reinstatement" of suspended employee after management delay); § 11-101 (period for "reinstatement"); and § 11-102 (benefits for employee with an "authorized status of reinstatement").

Defined term: "Class" § 1-101

(L) SECRETARY.

"SECRETARY" MEANS THE SECRETARY OF PERSONNEL.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section formerly was Art. 64A, § 1(18).

There are no changes.

(M) STATE.

"STATE" MEANS:

(1) A STATE, POSSESSION, TERRITORY, OR COMMONWEALTH OF THE UNITED STATES; OR

(2) THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection is standard language added to avoid repetition of phrases such as "state, possession, territory, the District of Columbia, or the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico or the Northern Mariana Islands".

(N) STATE PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM.

"STATE PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM" MEANS THE PERSONNEL SYSTEM ESTABLISHED UNDER § 1-201 OF THIS TITLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection is new language added for clarity. See Revisor's Note to § 1-201 of this title.

(O) UNCLASSIFIED SERVICE.

(1) "UNCLASSIFIED SERVICE" MEANS ALL OF THOSE POSITIONS IN THE STATE PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM THAT ARE EXCLUDED FROM THE CLASSIFIED SERVICE BY LAW.