1-404.

- (b) This section does not prohibit:
- (1) A limited partnership from using the term "limited partnership" in its name: [or]
- (2) A limited liability company from using the terms "limited liability company" or "L.L.C." in its name; OR
- (3) A LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP FROM USING THE TERMS "LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP" OR "L.L.P." IN ITS NAME.

 1–406.
- (b) (1) Except as provided under paragraph (2) of this subsection, the name, title, or designation under which a business is conducted may not be the same as or misleadingly similar to:
- (i) The name of any Maryland corporation, limited partnership, LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP, or limited liability company;
- (ii) The name of any foreign corporation, limited partnership, LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP, or limited liability company registered or qualified to do business in the State; or
- (iii) Any name which is recorded under this section or reserved under § 2–107, § 4A–209, or § 10–103 of this article or registered under § 4A–1002, § 7–101 or § 10–904 of this article.

2-106.

- (b) The name of a corporation may not:
 - (2) Be the same as or misleadingly similar to:
- (i) The name of any Maryland corporation, limited partnership, LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP, or limited liability company;
- (ii) The name of any foreign corporation, limited partnership, LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP, or limited liability company registered or qualified to do business in this State;
- (iii) Any name which is recorded under 1-406 or reserved under 2-107, 4A-209, 9-804, or 10-103 or registered under 4A-1002, 7-101, or 10-904 of this article; or
- (iv) A name that a foreign corporation has assumed under subsection (c) of this section.

7-101.

(a) Any foreign corporation may register its name in this State if the name is not the same as or misleadingly similar to: