

(1) THE TRUSTEE RECEIVES A WRITTEN REQUEST FROM A BENEFICIARY TO EXERCISE THE POWER CONFERRED BY THIS SUBSECTION TO CONVERT TO A UNITRUST;

(2) THE TRUSTEE INVESTS AND MANAGES THE TRUST ASSETS IN THE MANNER SET FORTH IN § 15-114 (B) AND (C) OF THIS TITLE;

(3) THE TRUSTEE DETERMINES THAT THE CONVERSION WILL ENABLE THE TRUSTEE TO BETTER CARRY OUT THE INTENT OF THE PERSON WHO CREATED THE TRUST AND THE PURPOSES OF THE TRUST; AND

(4) (I) THE TRUSTEE COMPLIES WITH THE NOTICE REQUIREMENTS OF § 15-502.3 OF THIS SUBTITLE AND ALL QUALIFIED BENEFICIARIES CONSENT; OR

(II) A COURT REVIEWS A PETITION FILED UNDER § 15-502.3 OF THIS SUBTITLE AND APPROVES THE PROPOSED DECISION ~~TO RELEASE THE POWER TO ADJUST AND~~ TO CONVERT TO A UNITRUST.

(B) IN DECIDING WHETHER TO EXERCISE THE POWER CONFERRED BY SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION, A TRUSTEE SHALL CONSIDER ALL FACTORS RELEVANT TO THE TRUST AND ITS BENEFICIARIES, INCLUDING THE FOLLOWING FACTORS TO THE EXTENT THEY ARE RELEVANT:

(1) THE NATURE, PURPOSE, AND EXPECTED DURATION OF THE TRUST;

(2) THE INTENT OF THE CREATOR OF THE TRUST;

(3) THE IDENTITY AND CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE BENEFICIARIES;

(4) THE NEEDS FOR LIQUIDITY, REGULARITY OF INCOME, AND PRESERVATION AND APPRECIATION OF CAPITAL;

(5) THE ASSETS HELD IN THE TRUST AND:

(I) THE EXTENT TO WHICH THEY CONSIST OF FINANCIAL ASSETS, INTERESTS IN CLOSELY HELD ENTERPRISES, TANGIBLE AND INTANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY, OR REAL PROPERTY;

(II) THE EXTENT TO WHICH AN ASSET IS USED BY A BENEFICIARY;
AND

(III) WHETHER AN ASSET WAS ACQUIRED BY THE TRUSTEE OR RECEIVED FROM THE CREATOR OF THE TRUST;

(6) WHETHER AND TO WHAT EXTENT THE TERMS OF THE TRUST GIVE THE TRUSTEE THE POWER TO INVADE PRINCIPAL OR ACCUMULATE INCOME AND THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE TRUSTEE HAS EXERCISED A POWER FROM TIME TO TIME TO INVADE PRINCIPAL OR ACCUMULATE INCOME;

(7) THE ACTUAL AND ANTICIPATED EFFECT OF ECONOMIC CONDITIONS ON PRINCIPAL AND INCOME AND THE EFFECTS OF INFLATION AND DEFLATION; AND

(8) THE ANTICIPATED TAX CONSEQUENCES OF ~~AN ADJUSTMENT~~ A UNITRUST CONVERSION.