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- (a) Subject to subsection (b) of this section and [§ 14-1205] §§ 14-1202.1 AND 14-1205 of this subtitle, a consumer reporting agency may furnish a consumer report under the following circumstances and no other:
- (1) In response to the order of a court having jurisdiction to issue the order;
- 42) In-accordance with the written instructions of the consumer to whom it relates; or
 - (3) To a-person-which-the-agency-has reason to believe:
- (i) Intends to use the information in connection with a credit transaction involving the consumer on whom the information is to be furnished and involving the extension of credit to, or review or collection of an account of, the consumer;
 - (ii) Intends-to use the information for employment purposes;
- (iii) Intends to use the information in connection with the underwriting of insurance involving the consumer;
- (iv) Intends to use the information in connection with a determination of the consumer's eligibility for a license or other benefit granted by a governmental instrumentality required by law to consider an applicant's financial responsibility or status; or
- (v) Otherwise has a legitimate business need for the information in connection with a business transaction involving the consumer.

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- (A) (1) IN THIS SECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.
- (2) "ACCOUNT REVIEW" INCLUDES ACTIVITIES RELATED TO ACCOUNT MAINTENANCE, ACCOUNT MONITORING, CREDIT LINE INCREASES, AND ACCOUNT UPGRADES AND ENHANCEMENTS.
- (3) "SECURITY FREEZE" MEANS A RESTRICTION PLACED ON A CONSUMER'S CONSUMER REPORT AT THE REQUEST OF THE CONSUMER THAT