

(6) A change, without the prior written approval of the supplier, in the location of the dealer's principal place of business;

(7) The withdrawal of an individual proprietor, partner, major shareholder, or manager of the dealership, or a substantial reduction in interest of a partner or major shareholder, without the prior written consent of the supplier; or

(8) The revocation or discontinuance of any guarantee of the dealer's present or future obligations to the supplier.]

[19-303.

Notwithstanding any agreement to the contrary, a dealer who plans to terminate a contract with a supplier shall notify the supplier, in accordance with § 19-305 of this title, of the planned termination not less than 6 months prior to the effective date of the termination.]

[19-304.

The contract may be terminated by the mutual written consent of the parties, on any effective date mutually agreed on.]

[19-305.

(a) Notification under this subtitle shall be in writing and shall be by certified mail or personal delivery to the supplier or dealer.

(b) A notice shall contain:

- (1) A statement of intention to terminate the contract;
- (2) A statement of the reasons for the termination; and
- (3) The date on which the termination takes effect.]

SUBTITLE 3. TERMINATION AND AMENDMENT, CANCELLATION, AND NONRENEWAL OF CONTRACTS AND NOTICE REQUIRED.

PART I. RULES OF TERMINATION AND AMENDMENT, CANCELLATION, AND NONRENEWAL OF CONTRACTS.

19-301.

(A) (1) ~~IN THIS SUBTITLE, "GOOD CAUSE" MEANS:~~

~~(I) THE WITHDRAWAL BY THE SUPPLIER AND THE SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS OF THE SUPPLIER OF THE SALE OF ITS PRODUCTS IN THE STATE; OR~~

~~(II) A DEFICIENCY IN DEALER PERFORMANCE, INCLUDING A FAILURE OF THE DEALER TO:~~

~~1. COMPLY SUBSTANTIALLY, WITHOUT REASONABLE EXCUSE OR JUSTIFICATION, WITH A REASONABLE AND MATERIAL WRITTEN REQUIREMENT OF THE SUPPLIER;~~