

(e) A temporary support order issued ex parte or pending resolution of a jurisdictional conflict does not create continuing, exclusive jurisdiction in the issuing tribunal.

[(f) A tribunal of this State issuing a support order consistent with the law of this State has continuing, exclusive jurisdiction over a spousal support order throughout the existence of the support obligation. A tribunal of this State may not modify a spousal support order issued by a tribunal of another state having continuing, exclusive jurisdiction over that order under the law of that state.]

10-309.

(a) A tribunal of this State **THAT HAS ISSUED A CHILD SUPPORT ORDER CONSISTENT WITH THE LAW OF THIS STATE** may serve as an initiating tribunal to request a tribunal of another state to enforce [or modify a support order issued in that state]:

(1) THE ORDER IF THE ORDER IS THE CONTROLLING ORDER AND HAS NOT BEEN MODIFIED BY A TRIBUNAL OF ANOTHER STATE THAT ASSUMED JURISDICTION PURSUANT TO THIS SUBTITLE; OR

(2) A MONEY JUDGMENT FOR ARREARS OF SUPPORT AND INTEREST ON THE ORDER ACCRUED BEFORE A DETERMINATION THAT AN ORDER OF ANOTHER STATE IS THE CONTROLLING ORDER.

(b) A tribunal of this State having continuing[, exclusive] jurisdiction over a support order may act as a responding tribunal to enforce [or modify] the order. [If a party subject to the continuing, exclusive jurisdiction of the tribunal no longer resides in the issuing state, in subsequent proceedings the tribunal may apply § 10-328 of this subtitle (Special rules of evidence and procedure) to receive evidence from another state and § 10-330 of this subtitle (Assistance with discovery) to obtain discovery through a tribunal of another state.

(c) A tribunal of this State which lacks continuing, exclusive jurisdiction over a spousal support order may not serve as a responding tribunal to modify a spousal support order of another state.]

[Subpart C. Reconciliation of Multiple Orders.]

10-310.

(a) If a proceeding is brought under this subtitle and only one tribunal has issued a child support order, the order of that tribunal controls and must be so recognized.