

- (2) A promise or order is not unconditional if the instrument
- (a) states that it is subject to or governed by any other agreement; or
 - (b) states that it is to be paid only out of a particular fund or source except as provided in this section.

§ 28:3—106. Sum certain

- (1) The sum payable is a sum certain even though it is to be paid
- (a) with stated interest or by stated installments; or
 - (b) with stated different rates of interest before and after default or a specified date; or
 - (c) with a stated discount or addition if paid before or after the date fixed for payment; or
 - (d) with exchange or less exchange, whether at a fixed rate or at the current rate; or
 - (e) with costs of collection or an attorney's fee or both upon default.
- (2) Nothing in this section shall validate any term which is otherwise illegal.

§ 28:3—107. Money

(1) An instrument is payable in money if the medium of exchange in which it is payable is money at the time the instrument is made. An instrument payable in "currency" or "current funds" is payable in money.

(2) A promise or order to pay a sum stated in a foreign currency is for a sum certain in money and, unless a different medium of payment is specified in the instrument, may be satisfied by payment of that number of dollars which the stated foreign currency will purchase at the buying sight rate for that currency on the day on which the instrument is payable or, if payable on demand, on the day of demand. If such an instrument specifies a foreign currency as the medium of payment the instrument is payable in that currency.

§ 28:3—108. Payable on demand

Instruments payable on demand include those payable at sight or on presentation and those in which no time for payment is stated.

§ 28:3—109. Definite time

- (1) An instrument is payable at a definite time if by its terms it is payable
- (a) on or before a stated date or at a fixed period after a stated date; or
 - (b) at a fixed period after sight; or
 - (c) at a definite time subject to any acceleration; or
 - (d) at a definite time subject to extension at the option of the holder, or to extension to a further definite time at the option of the maker or acceptor or automatically upon or after a specified act or event.
- (2) An instrument which by its terms is otherwise payable only upon an act or event uncertain as to time of occurrence is not payable at a definite time even though the act or event has occurred.

§ 28:3—110. Payable to order

(1) An instrument is payable to order when by its terms it is payable to the order or assigns of any person therein specified with reasonable certainty, or to him or his order, or when it is conspicuously designated on its face as "exchange" or the like and names a payee. It may be payable to the order of

- (a) the maker or drawer; or
 - (b) the drawee; or
 - (c) a payee who is not maker, drawer or drawee; or
 - (d) two or more payees together or in the alternative; or
 - (e) an estate, trust or fund, in which case it is payable to the order of the representative of such estate, trust or fund or his successors; or
 - (f) an office, or an officer by his title as such in which case it is payable to the principal but the incumbent of the office or his successors may act as if he or they were the holder; or
 - (g) a partnership or unincorporated association, in which case it is payable to the partnership or association and may be indorsed or transferred by any person thereto authorized.
- (2) An instrument not payable to order is not made so payable by such words as "payable upon return of this instrument properly indorsed."
- (3) An instrument made payable both to order and to bearer is payable to order unless the bearer words are handwritten or typewritten.