ESTATES AND PROTECTED INDIVIDUALS CODE (EXCERPT) Act 386 of 1998

700.5102 Payment or delivery.

Sec. 5102.

- (1) A person under a duty to pay or deliver money or personal property to a minor may perform this duty by paying or delivering the money or property, in an aggregate value that does not exceed \$50,000.00 each year, to any of the following:
 - (a) The minor if the minor is married.
 - (b) An individual having the care and custody of the minor with whom the minor resides.
 - (c) A guardian of the minor.
- (d) A financial institution incident to a deposit in a state or federally insured savings account in the sole name of the minor with notice of the deposit to the minor.
- (2) This section does not apply if the person making payment or delivery knows that a conservator has been appointed or a proceeding for appointment of a conservator of the minor's estate is pending.
- (3) Other than the minor or a financial institution, an individual receiving money or property for a minor is obligated to apply the money to the minor's support and education, but shall not pay himself or herself except by way of reimbursement for out-of-pocket expenses for goods and services necessary for the minor's support. An excess amount must be preserved for the minor's future support and education. A balance not used for those purposes and property received for the minor must be turned over to the minor when majority is attained. A person who pays or delivers money or property in accordance with this section is not responsible for the proper application of the money or property.
 - (4) The dollar amount described in this section must be adjusted as provided in section 1210.

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