

25 Multiple choice questions

Definition

To validly be placed in trust, the bequest must meet these four requirements:

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 in existence

1) physical destruction

 2) declares in one of the forms prescribed for testaments or in an authentic act

3) Identifies and clearly revokes the testament by writing that is entirely handwritten and signed by the testator

1) Must release HEMS (heath, education, maintenance, and support) annually after taking into account all other income and support received by FH

 2) No charges or conditions exception SS usufruct or income interest, spendthrift restraints, class trust, of shifting the interest in principal

3) The term of the trust does not exceed life of FH (except for SS usufruct or income interest)

4) the principal is delivered free of trust at termination

 1) identify the donor and donee AND

2) describe the things donated

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_____ is defined as "the supposed or real return to the mass of the succession which an heir makes of property which he received in advance of his share or otherwise, in order that such property may be divided together with the other effects of the succession."

 onerous **Collation** **alienated** **contribution**

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If the child was in utero at the time DIV was made or the testator's death, the child must still be _____ in order to receive.

 born alive **subrogated** **revocable** **recompense**

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A donation mortis causa is a divestiture of the totality or a portion of property in a written testament, which is _____ during life.

 recompense **domiciled** **revocable** **negotiated**

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A finding that a donation is the product of fraud, duress, or undue influence does not nullify the entire act of donation or testament. Rather, _____ that is the product of such vice is declared null.

 gratuitously **only the provision** **nature and consequences** **contribution**

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For a non-certificated security, delivery to the purchaser occurs when the purchaser is _____ as the owner.

- reconciled**
- registered**
- in utero**
- lesser**

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Intestate SP: If the deceased is survived by his maternal grandmother and his paternal grandmother and grandfather, then the maternal grandmother takes _____ and his paternal grandparents each take 1/4.

- yes**
- 1/2**
- parents**
- end**

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A revocation for ingratitude does not affect an alienation, lease, or encumbrance made by the donee _____ the action to revoke is filed.

- before**
- 5 years**
- 1 year**
- in utero**

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"To my friend, Mark, I leave my home on Maple Street. The rest of my estate, I leave to my two children." Mark, who has two children, predeceases the testator. To whom should the home pass?

- the children (children are universal)**
- the donor's diminishing capacity makes them more susceptible to influence**
- other joint legatees**
- advice, persuasion, kindness, and assistance**

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Intestate SP: If both parents survive the deceased, the usufruct shall be _____ and _____.

- parents**
- insurance proceeds**
- No (the are separate claims)**
- joint and successive**

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Can a testamentary disposition be left to the choice of a third party? (Not the same as allowing the executor authority on allocating assets in order to fulfill legacy)

- may**
- yes**
- end**
- No**

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Does a claim of undue influence have to be brought with a claim for lack of capacity?

- No (conflict with the rules of professional conduct)
- a reasonable rate of interest
- No (there are separate claims)
- joint and successive

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The remainder of the estate, after the forced portion, is called the residue and may be freely alienated.

- preponderance of the evidence
- reputed not written
- immovable is located
- disposable portions

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when the testator does not assign shares

- security
- joint
- in kind
- intent

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The husband of the mother is presumed to be the father of a child born during the marriage or within days from the date of termination of the marriage.

- yes
- 300
- Manuel
- cashed

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For a contestation and establishment action, the current husband must acknowledge the child by

- authentic act
- disposable portion
- in utero
- negotiated

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Collation is based on idea that ancestor intends to treat children equally and any gift given by an ancestor prior to death was merely an _____ of the child's inheritance.

- advancement
- most recent
- contribution
- ad infinitum

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Avowal action must be brought within _____ from child's death.

1 year

legitimate

presumed

Intestate

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A minor under the age of _____ is incapable of making donations, except in favor of his spouse or children

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2

1/2

may

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Is a check considered a valid donation even if the check is cashed after the death of the donor?

Yes (b/c donor no longer had any property right in check once he endorsed it)

siblings

preponderance of the evidence

No (must be incapable for caring for self or administering estate)

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If it cannot be ascertained whether the testator intended a greater or lesser quantity, the court must impose [greater/lesser].

lesser

Manuel

issued

1 year

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Can adopted children inherit from both their adoptive and biological family?

yes

1/2

1/4

onerous

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the donor's transfer of his own check, as the issuer, is not a valid donation until _____ by the donee,

Manuel

neither

recompense

cashed

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An unborn child, who was not *in utero* at the death of the parent, can nonetheless inherit from the deceased parent provided that: (i) the child is born to a surviving spouse; (ii) the decedent specifically authorized in writing the surviving spouse to use his or her gametes; and (iii) the child is born within _____ years from the birth of the death of the decedent.

- 3
- 1) not a child of the usufructuary or 2) Forced heir
- life
- death

Definition

Collation can be excluded if the decedent unequivocally indicates that what he gave to a descendant was intended as an _____ or an advantage

- representation
- undue influence
- martial portion
- extra portion