

REVIEW QUIZ

The exercises below are designed to give you a quick refresher of some of the words and material you learned about and used in Legal Research I.

(1)

The three branches of our government, the Legislature, the Executive, and the Judiciary, create three types of law. Which of the branches creates the type of law indicated?

- Regulations _____
- Cases _____
- Statutes _____
- Rules of Procedure _____

(2)

Which statement below describes the difference between a statute and a code?

- a. A statute is a piece of art. A code is a piece of law.
- b. A statute is what is passed by the General Assembly. The Code is those statutes, reorganized by subject.
- c. A statute is the law. A code is an index to the law.

(3)

What is the best definition of **annotations** below?

- a. Notes added by a publisher to sources of law, describing cases and other materials that help interpret or describe how those laws have been used.
- b. An index to help you find case law.
- c. A textbook about the law in a particular subject area.

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(4)

Circle those of the following materials that, in their **print** form (i.e., in the books), include indexes.

Annotated Code of Maryland

Maryland Reports

COMAR

Maryland Rules

(5)

Match the type of law with the print publication in which those laws appear.

Regulations

Annotated Code of Maryland

Cases

COMAR

Statutes

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Rules of Procedure

Maryland Reports