

WEST VIRGINIA CODE: §46-3-105

§46-3-105. Issue of instrument.

- (a) "Issue" means the first delivery of an instrument by the maker or drawer, whether to a holder or nonholder, for the purpose of giving rights on the instrument to any person.
- (b) An unissued instrument, or an unissued incomplete instrument that is completed, is binding on the maker or drawer, but nonissuance is a defense. An instrument that is conditionally issued or is issued for a special purpose is binding on the maker or drawer, but failure of the condition or special purpose to be fulfilled is a defense.
- (c) "Issuer" applies to issued and unissued instruments and means a maker or drawer of an instrument.