

The Passionate Shepherd

That all the woods may answer, and your eccho ring.

I. Fill the gaps.

What is a void contract?



A void contract is a contract that has no legal force from the moment of **(1)** making. Void contracts occur when there is **(2)** of capacity to contract and by the operation **(3)** some instances of the doctrine of mistake . An illegal contract is void. In addition, certain contracts (e.g. gaming and wagering contracts) are declared void but **(4)** illegal by statute, and certain contracts that are **(5)** common law contrary to public policy are merely void but not illegal. Under UK and EU competition law **(6)** restrictive trade practices, clauses infringing those laws are void but usually the rest of the contract continues. Contracts that are void or, in certain cases, illegal may be saved **(7)** severance .

What is a voidable contract?

A voidable contract is a contract that, **(8)** valid when made, is liable to be subsequently set **(9)** Voidable contracts may arise **(10)** misrepresentation , some instances of mistake, nondisclosure , and duress (economic duress; undue influence). Certain proprietary contracts entered **(11)** by minors are also voidable. The setting aside of a voidable contract is effected **(12)** rescission .