

405. (Fees; Accounting). Every applicant shall pay to the Commission, at the time of making his application, a fee of ~~Four Dollars (\$10.00)~~ ~~Fifty Dollars (\$50.00)~~ FIFTEEN DOLLARS (\$15.00); in addition, any applicant who fails to pass any examination, shall pay a fee of Five Dollars (\$5.00) for each re-examination or subsequent examination given to him. Every person to whom a Certified Tree Expert ~~[certificate]~~ *license* has been issued shall pay an annual renewal fee of ~~Five Dollars (\$5.00)~~ ~~Ten Dollars (\$10.00)~~. From the fees collected under this sub-title the Commission shall pay all expenses of issuing ~~[certificates]~~ *licenses* and traveling expenses of its members in the performance of their duties under this sub-heading, and if any surplus ~~[remain]~~ *remains* on the thirtieth day of June of each year, this shall be paid into the Treasury of the State, for the use of the Department of Forests and Parks, to the extent that such surplus exceeds One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) which will be retained by the Commission of Forests and Parks as a working fund; provided, that no expenses incurred under this sub-title shall be charged against the funds of the State of Maryland. The Commission shall annually report to the Governor the number of ~~[certificates]~~ *licenses* issued and the receipts and expenses under this sub-title during each fiscal year.

406. (Revocation and Suspension of ~~[Certificates]~~ *Licenses*.) The Commission of Forests and Parks, by majority vote thereof, may permanently revoke or temporarily suspend any ~~[certificate]~~ *license*, of any *Licensed Certified Tree Expert* who has been guilty of any fraud or deceit in obtaining such ~~[certificate]~~ *license*, or who has been guilty of negligence or wrongful conduct in the practice of ~~[professional]~~ tree culture or care. The Commission may promulgate, and may amend, from time to time, rules of ~~[professional]~~ ethics and may temporarily suspend for a period not to exceed two years the ~~[certificate]~~ *license* of any *Licensed Certified Tree Expert* who violates such rules of ~~[professional]~~ ethics, this power of suspension being in addition to and not in limitation of the power to revoke or suspend heretofore provided in this section. No ~~[certificate]~~ *license* issued under this sub-heading shall be revoked or the effect thereof suspended until the holder shall have had a hearing before the Commission. Notice of the cause for suspension or revocation under this section and the date of hearing thereon by the Commission shall be mailed to the holder of such certificate at his or her last known address at least twenty days before said hearing. The non-appearance of the holder of such ~~[certificate]~~ *license* after notice as herein provided shall not prevent such hearing. By majority vote the Commission may re-issue any *certified tree expert's* ~~[certificate]~~ *license* previously revoked. Any person not a citizen of the United States when he or she receives a ~~[certificate]~~ *license* issued under this sub-heading shall have such ~~[certificate]~~ *license* revoked unless within six years from the receipt thereof he or she has become a citizen of the United States.

407. (False Representations; Penalties.) If any person shall *solicit, advertise, or represent himself or herself to the public as qualified to do any type of tree culture or care and as having received a* ~~[certificate]~~ *license* as provided for in this sub-heading, or shall assume to practice as a *Licensed Certified Tree Expert* without