

the individuals engaged in the management of the title service agency (i) had no knowledge of the wrongful conduct; or (ii) were unable to prevent the violation.

(b) [The Administration shall suspend or revoke any license issued under this part only after a hearing. At least thirty (30) days prior to the date set for the hearing, the Administration shall notify the licensee in writing of any charge made and afford the licensee an opportunity to be heard in person and by counsel in reference thereto. The written notice shall be served by delivery to the licensee by registered mail to the business address of the licensee of record with the Administration. The hearing on the charges shall be at a time and place the Administration prescribes. The Administration may subpoena and bring before it any person or documents, and take the testimony of any person under oath in the manner prescribed in judicial procedure in the courts of this State in civil cases, with the same fees and mileage as provided by law in civil cases.]

THE ADMINISTRATION MAY SUSPEND OR REVOKE ANY LICENSE ISSUED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE, AND THUS THE AUTHORITY TO DO BUSINESS THEREUNDER, ONLY AFTER A HEARING AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 2-319.

(C) IF ANY APPLICANT FOR A LICENSE UNDER THIS SUBTITLE IS REFUSED, HE MAY REQUEST A HEARING AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 2-319.

[(c) If the Administration determines that any licensee is guilty of any violation of any of the provisions of this article, the authority of the licensee to do business may be revoked or suspended for a period of time determined by the Administration. If suspended, the suspension shall be for not more than one year.

(d) If any application for a license under this part is refused, the applicant, within ten (10) days from the date of notice of refusal is mailed, may request a hearing. The hearing must be held within thirty (30) days of the date of request, and the Administration must render a decision within twenty (20) days following the hearing. The Administration may subpoena and take testimony, as provided in § 5-808 (b), in connection with the hearing.

(e) If any person fails to comply with a lawful order or subpoena issued by the Administration under this part or to appear to testify to any matter concerning which he may be lawfully interrogated, upon petition of the Administration, setting forth the facts, it is the duty of the circuit court of any county or of the Baltimore City Court, as the case may be, to compel the