

AT THE DIRECTION OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, THE DIVISION MAY:

(1) IN ACCORDANCE WITH §13-205 OF THIS ARTICLE, ADOPT REASONABLE RULES AND REGULATIONS APPROPRIATE TO EFFECTUATE ANY PROVISION OF THIS SUBTITLE, WHICH RULES AND REGULATIONS, HOWEVER, MAY NOT EXTEND, MODIFY, OR CONFLICT WITH THIS SUBTITLE OR ITS REASONABLE IMPLICATIONS; AND

(2) GRANT TO A SALES AGENCY AN EXEMPTION FROM ANY REQUIREMENT OF THIS SUBTITLE IF THE SALES AGENCY USES A PROGRAM WHICH IS APPROXIMATELY AS OR MORE COMPREHENSIVE THAN THE PROGRAM OF UNIT PRICING REQUIRED BY THIS SUBTITLE.

(B) VIOLATION OF RULES OR REGULATIONS.

A PERSON WHO WILLFULLY VIOLATES ANY RULE OR REGULATION OF THE DIVISION, IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER PENALTY PROVIDED, IS SUBJECT TO THE SAME PENALTY APPLICABLE TO VIOLATION OF THE PROVISION OF THIS SUBTITLE TO WHICH THE RULE OR REGULATION RELATES.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 83, §21E(e).

In subsection (a)(1) of this section, a reference to the specific procedures of present Art. 83, §20E - now contained in §13-205 of this article - is added. Since the unit pricing provisions are presently a part of the Consumer Protection Act they are subject to these rule-making provisions. The incorporation by reference is necessitated, therefore, by reason of the transfer to this title of the otherwise generally independent unit pricing provisions. See, also, revisor's note to §14-107 and general revisor's note to this subtitle.

Also, in subsection (a)(1) of this section, the word "necessary" is deleted as unnecessary in light of the disjunctive reference to "appropriate."

The only other changes are in style.

14-106. COMPLIANCE.

(A) COMMENCEMENT OF PROCEEDING.

IF 25 OR MORE RESIDENTS OF THE STATE, WITHIN A