

(h) (1) The provisions of this section, and the provisions of § 26-11 with respect to the filing of reports or statements, are mandatory and not directory. However, no sanctions may be imposed for failure to file a report or statement or to pay a late filing fee if the failure is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be for just cause.

(2) In addition, upon request of the person required to file, a late filing fee may be waived for just cause by the State Administrator of Election Laws subject to the approval of the State Administrative Board of Election Laws.

(3) (i) The decision of the State Administrator to waive or not to waive a late filing fee shall be in writing and shall set forth the circumstances surrounding the late filing and the reasons for the decision.

(ii) The decision to waive or not to waive may be made without notice or hearing.

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Individual applicants for qualification as to kinds of insurance other than life and health insurance and annuities shall be required to comply with the requirements of this section, as follows:

(1) (i) The applicant must successfully complete a program of studies, offered by schools, insurance company schools, or correspondence schools, which program of studies has been established or approved by the Commissioner, to the end that the applicant shall be reasonably familiar with the specific kind or kinds of insurance or subdivisions of them, for which he desires to be qualified; or

(ii) He must have been regularly employed as an employee of the insurance division, or by an insurer or an agent or broker, for a period or periods aggregating not less than one year during the three years next preceding the date of application in responsible insurance duties in connection with the specific kind or kinds of insurance or subdivisions of them for which he desires to be qualified, and, in such case, such applicant shall submit with his application the affidavit of such employer or employers stating facts which show compliance with this requirement; or

(iii) He must have been regularly employed by an insurer or an agent or a broker for a period or periods aggregating not less than one year during the three