APPLICANT'S SAFETY OR THE SAFETY OF THE APPLICANT'S CHILD OR KNOWINGLY PROVIDES FALSE INFORMATION WHEN APPLYING FOR CERTIFICATION PARTICIPATION OR RENEWAL OF PARTICIPATION IN THE PROGRAM, THE APPLICANT SHALL LOSE CERTIFICATION NO LONGER BE ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PROGRAM.

- (B) THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL INVESTIGATE ANY ALLEGATION OF A VIOLATION UNDER THIS SECTION A PERSON MAY NOT KNOWINGLY MAKE A FALSE ATTESTATION OR KNOWINGLY PROVIDE FALSE INFORMATION IN AN APPLICATION IN VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION.
- (C) ON A FINDING THAT A VIOLATION HAS OCCURRED, THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL IMPOSE A CIVIL FINE AGAINST THE APPLICANT NOT EXCEEDING \$500 A PERSON WHO VIOLATES SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND ON CONVICTION IS SUBJECT TO IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING 6 MONTHS OR A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$500 OR BOTH.

4-524.

- (A) IF A PROGRAM PARTICIPANT OBTAINS A LEGAL NAME CHANGE, THE PROGRAM PARTICIPANT SHALL NOTIFY THE SECRETARY OF STATE WITHIN 30 DAYS AND PROVIDE THE SECRETARY OF STATE WITH A CERTIFIED COPY OF ANY JUDGMENT OR ORDER EVIDENCING THE CHANGE OR ANY OTHER DOCUMENTATION THE SECRETARY OF STATE CONSIDERS TO BE SUFFICIENT EVIDENCE OF THE CHANGE.
- (B) IF A PROGRAM PARTICIPANT MAKES A CHANGE IN ADDRESS OR TELEPHONE NUMBER FROM AN ADDRESS OR TELEPHONE NUMBER LISTED ON THE PROGRAM PARTICIPANT'S APPLICATION, THE PROGRAM PARTICIPANT SHALL NOTIFY THE SECRETARY OF STATE AT LEAST 7 DAYS BEFORE THE CHANGE OCCURS. 4–525.
- (A) THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL CANCEL THE $\frac{\text{CERTIFICATION}}{\text{PARTICIPATION}}$ OF A PROGRAM PARTICIPANT IF:
- (1) THE PROGRAM PARTICIPANT FAILS TO NOTIFY THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF ANY LEGAL NAME CHANGE OR CHANGE IN ADDRESS OR TELEPHONE NUMBER IN THE MANNER REQUIRED BY § 4–524 OF THIS PART;
- (2) THE PROGRAM PARTICIPANT FILES A REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL OF THE CERTIFICATION PARTICIPATION UNDER § 4–522(C)(2) OF THIS PART;
- (3) THE PROGRAM PARTICIPANT SUBMITS FALSE INFORMATION IN APPLYING FOR CERTIFICATION TO PARTICIPATION IN THE PROGRAM IN VIOLATION OF \S 4–523 OF THIS PART; OR
- (4) THE SECRETARY OF STATE FORWARDS MAIL TO THE PROGRAM PARTICIPANT AND THE MAIL IS RETURNED AS UNDELIVERABLE.
- (B) THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL SEND NOTICE OF ANY CANCELLATION OF CERTIFICATION TO PARTICIPATION IN THE PROGRAM TO THE PARTICIPANT AND SHALL SET FORTH THE REASON FOR CANCELLATION.