Also in subsection (a)(1) of this section, the former authority "to receive not less than 1,200 hours of theory and practical instruction" is deleted as misleading. Registration as a student authorizes an individual to enroll in a barber school and participate in a training program. While a student must complete at least 1,200 hours of training to qualify for a journey barber license, registration authorizes an individual to be a student, not to receive a certain number of hours of training.

Defined terms: "Barber" § 4-101
"Practice barbering" § 4-101
"School permit" § 4-101

4-405. DENIALS, REPRIMANDS, SUSPENSIONS, AND REVOCATIONS -- GROUNDS.

SUBJECT TO THE HEARING PROVISIONS OF § 4-406 OF THIS SUBTITLE, THE BOARD MAY DENY REGISTRATION AS A STUDENT TO ANY APPLICANT, REPRIMAND ANY INDIVIDUAL REGISTERED AS A STUDENT, OR SUSPEND OR REVOKE THE REGISTRATION OF ANY INDIVIDUAL:

- (1) FOR ANY APPLICABLE GROUND UNDER § 4-316 OF THIS TITLE;
- (2) IF THE APPLICANT OR INDIVIDUAL FRAUDULENTLY OR DECEPTIVELY OBTAINS OR ATTEMPTS TO OBTAIN REGISTRATION FOR THE APPLICANT OR INDIVIDUAL OR FOR ANOTHER; OR
- (3) IF THE APPLICANT OR INDIVIDUAL FRAUDULENTLY OR DECEPTIVELY USES A CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language added to state expressly that the Board may take disciplinary action against a student. Under former Art. 56, § 433, a barber student held a "permit" and former Art. 56, § 440(a) provided for disciplinary action against "a licensee or an applicant". Thus, a literal interpretation of former Art. 56, § 440(a) would not include students. The Business Occupations Article Review Committee understands, however, that the former reference to licensees and applicants was intended to be interpreted broadly to include any part of permission that, by law, must be obtained from the Board, regardless of form, including, e.g., a permit under the former law -- now a registration. This interpretation is consistent with the understanding of the Board and the Department.

Defined term: "Board" § 4-101

4-406. SAME -- HEARINGS.