

PRIVATE DETECTIVE FOR THE APPLICANT OR INDIVIDUAL OR FOR ANOTHER;
OR

(3) IF THE APPLICANT OR INDIVIDUAL FAILS TO MAINTAIN THE STANDARDS SET BY THE SUPERINTENDENT FOR CERTIFICATION AS A PRIVATE DETECTIVE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section formerly appeared as Art. 56, § 574.

In item (2) of this section, the phrases "for the applicant or individual or for another" are added to clarify the scope of this ground and to conform to comparable provisions in this and in all of the other titles of this article. See, e.g., § 13-313(1) of this title.

The only other changes are in style.

Defined terms: "Private detective" § 13-101
"Superintendent" § 13-101

13-410. SAME -- COMMENCEMENT OF PROCEEDINGS.

(A) IN GENERAL.

SUBJECT TO THIS SECTION, THE SUPERINTENDENT SHALL COMMENCE PROCEEDINGS UNDER § 13-409 OF THIS SUBTITLE ON THE SUPERINTENDENT'S OWN COMPLAINT OR ON A COMPLAINT MADE TO THE SUPERINTENDENT BY ANY PERSON.

(B) FORM AND CONTENTS OF COMPLAINT.

(1) A COMPLAINT SHALL:

(I) BE IN WRITING;

(II) BE SIGNED BY THE COMPLAINANT; AND

(III) STATE SPECIFICALLY THE FACTS ON WHICH THE COMPLAINT IS BASED.

(2) IF A COMPLAINT IS MADE BY ANY PERSON OTHER THAN THE SUPERINTENDENT, THE COMPLAINT SHALL BE MADE UNDER OATH BY THE PERSON WHO SUBMITS THE COMPLAINT.

(C) INVESTIGATION.

(1) ON RECEIPT OF A COMPLAINT THAT ALLEGES FACTS THAT ARE GROUNDS FOR ACTION UNDER § 13-409 OF THIS SUBTITLE, THE SUPERINTENDENT SHALL APPOINT AN OFFICER OF THE MARYLAND STATE POLICE, WITH THE RANK OF LIEUTENANT OR ABOVE, AS THE INVESTIGATING OFFICER FOR THE COMPLAINT.