

THE BOARD MAY ADMINISTER OATHS IN CONNECTION WITH ANY PROCEEDING UNDER THIS SECTION.

(D) SPECIFIC NOTICE REQUIREMENTS.

AT LEAST 30 DAYS BEFORE THE HEARING, THE HEARING NOTICE AND A COPY OF THE COMPLAINT SHALL BE:

(1) SERVED PERSONALLY ON THE INDIVIDUAL; OR

(2) MAILED TO THE LAST KNOWN ADDRESS OF THE INDIVIDUAL.

(E) RIGHT TO COUNSEL.

THE INDIVIDUAL MAY BE REPRESENTED AT THE HEARING BY COUNSEL.

(F) FAILURE OR REFUSAL TO APPEAR.

IF, AFTER DUE NOTICE, THE INDIVIDUAL AGAINST WHOM THE ACTION IS CONTEMPLATED FAILS OR REFUSES TO APPEAR, NEVERTHELESS THE BOARD MAY HEAR AND DETERMINE THE MATTER.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Subsections (a), (d), (e), and (f) of this section are new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 56, § 341(d) and, except as it related to the dismissal of charges, (c).

Subsection (b) of this section is standard language added to demonstrate clearly the intended application of the referenced subtitle to administrative hearings under this section.

Subsection (c) of this section is new language added to state expressly a power of the Board that is inherent under its authority to conduct a formal administrative hearing under this section.

In subsections (a)(1), (d), (e), and (f) of this section, the word "individual" is substituted for the former words "registrant" and "person", since § 15-318 of this subtitle contemplates action against applicants for licenses as well as licensees but only individuals may apply for or hold licenses.

The introductory language of subsection (a)(1) of this section, "[e]xcept as otherwise provided in Title 10, Subtitle 4 of the State Government Article", is added to clarify that the Board may act summarily under certain circumstances. See SG § 10-405(b).

In subsection (a)(2) of this section, the former requirement that the hearing be conducted "in