

(3) § 12-606.

(c) Any person who knowingly and willfully violates any provision of § 12-501(a) of this title is guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction is subject to a fine not exceeding \$1,000 or imprisonment not exceeding 6 months or both.

(d) (1) In addition to any other penalties under this title, the Board may impose on a person who violates [§ 12-601] ANY PROVISION of this subtitle a penalty not exceeding [\$1,000] \$5,000 for each violation.

(2) In [determining] SETTING the [appropriate] amount of [a fine imposed under paragraph (1) of this subsection] THE PENALTY, the Board shall consider:

- (i) the gravity of the violation;
- (ii) the good faith of the violator;
- (iii) the quantity and gravity of previous violations by the same violator;
- (iv) the harm caused to the complainant, the public, and the plumbing profession;
- (v) the assets of the violator; and
- (vi) any other factors that the Board considers relevant.

14-317.

(a) (1) Subject to the hearing provisions of § 14-319 of this subtitle, the Board, on the affirmative vote of a majority of its members then serving, may deny a license to any applicant, reprimand any licensee, or suspend or revoke a license if:

[(1)](I) the applicant or licensee fraudulently or deceptively obtains or attempts to obtain a license for the applicant or licensee or for another;

[(2)](II) the applicant or licensee fraudulently or deceptively uses a license;

[(3)](III) under the laws of the United States or of any state, the applicant or licensee is convicted of:

[(i)] 1. a felony; or

[(ii)] 2. a misdemeanor that is directly related to the fitness and qualification of the applicant or licensee to practice engineering;

[(4)](IV) the applicant or licensee is guilty of gross negligence, incompetence, or misconduct while practicing engineering;

[(5)](V) the applicant or licensee has had a license to practice engineering in another state revoked or suspended by the other state for a cause that would justify revocation or suspension under this title, except for the failure to pay a license or license renewal fee;