- (1) the Fund finds that the FUND producer has engaged in the practice of binding coverage in the Fund in violation of regulations adopted by the Board of Trustees; or
- (2) after demand has been made by the Fund, the FUND producer fails to pay money owed the Fund as a result of:
 - (i) the binding or change of coverage; or
- (ii) a commission paid to the FUND producer on a policy that is canceled after the effective date of coverage.

20-514.

- (a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, the Fund shall give prior written notice to a FUND producer of its intended action under § 20-513 of this subtitle and give the FUND producer an opportunity for a hearing before taking the action.
- (b) (2) After taking an action under § 20-513 of this subtitle, the Fund promptly shall give notice to the FUND producer and hold a hearing within 10 working days before a member of the Board of Trustees.

20-515.

(a) The Fund may use the Maryland Tax Refund Intercept Program to recover money owed to the Fund by a FUND producer if the Fund makes a demand for the money and the FUND producer does not make payment.

20-520.

(d) (2) The notice shall:

(ii) advise the person to contact the FUND producer that bound the person's coverage with the Fund during the most recent coverage period;23-101.

(b) (1) "Premium finance agreement" means an agreement:

- (i) by which an insured or prospective insured promises to pay a premium finance company the amount advanced or to be advanced under the agreement, together with interest and a service fee, to an insurer[, the insurer's agent, or a broker] OR AN INSURANCE PRODUCER in payment of premiums; and
- (ii) that contains an assignment of or is otherwise secured by the unearned premium or refund obtainable from the insurer on cancellation of the insurance contract.
- (2) "Premium finance agreement" does not include a premium financed in connection with a time sale of goods or services or an extension of credit without charge by an [agent or broker] INSURANCE PRODUCER.