- (1) THE NATURE OF THE CRIME;
- $\hspace{0.1in}$ (2) THE RELATIONSHIP OF THE CRIME TO THE ACTIVITIES AUTHORIZED BY THE LICENSE;
- (3) WITH RESPECT TO A FELONY, THE RELEVANCE OF THE CONVICTION TO THE FITNESS AND QUALIFICATION OF THE APPLICANT OR LICENSEE TO PROVIDE DEBT MANAGEMENT SERVICES;
 - (4) THE LENGTH OF TIME SINCE THE CONVICTION; AND
- (5) THE BEHAVIOR AND ACTIVITIES OF THE APPLICANT OR LICENSEE SINCE THE CONVICTION.
- (C) SUBJECT TO THE HEARING PROVISIONS OF § 12–927 OF THIS SUBTITLE, THE COMMISSIONER SHALL DENY A LICENSE TO AN APPLICANT AND SUSPEND OR REVOKE THE LICENSE OF A LICENSEE IF THE APPLICANT OR LICENSEE OR AN OWNER, OFFICER, DIRECTOR, OR PRINCIPAL OF THE APPLICANT OR LICENSEE HAS:
- (1) COMMITTED A VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION THAT DIRECTLY RESULTS IN PROPERTY DAMAGE OR MONETARY LOSS BY ANY OTHER PERSON; AND
- (2) HAS NOT RESTORED THE PROPERTY OR MONEY TO THE PERSON OR PAID THE VALUE OF THE PROPERTY TO THE PERSON.

12-927.

- (A) BEFORE THE COMMISSIONER DENIES AN APPLICATION FOR A LICENSE UNDER \S 12–910 OF THIS SUBTITLE OR TAKES ANY ACTION UNDER \S 12–926 OF THIS SUBTITLE, THE COMMISSIONER SHALL GIVE THE APPLICANT OR LICENSEE AN OPPORTUNITY FOR A HEARING.
- (B) NOTICE OF THE HEARING SHALL BE GIVEN AND THE HEARING SHALL BE HELD IN ACCORDANCE WITH TITLE 10, SUBTITLE 2 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE.

12 - 928.

- (A) THE COMMISSIONER MAY ENFORCE THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE BY ISSUING AN ORDER REQUIRING THE VIOLATOR TO:
- (1) CEASE AND DESIST FROM THE VIOLATION AND ANY FURTHER SIMILAR VIOLATIONS; AND
- (2) TAKE AFFIRMATIVE ACTION TO CORRECT THE VIOLATION, INCLUDING THE RESTITUTION OF MONEY OR PROPERTY TO ANY PERSON ACCRIEVED BY THE VIOLATION.
- (B) IF A VIOLATOR FAILS TO COMPLY WITH AN ORDER ISSUED UNDER SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION, THE COMMISSIONER MAY IMPOSE A CIVIL PENALTY NOT EXCEEDING \$1,000 FOR THE FIRST VIOLATION AND NOT EXCEEDING