

[9-208.

After a hearing, the Commissioner may order an employment agency to:

- (1) reimburse a client for all ordinary and necessary travel expenses that the client incurred as a result of a referral by the employment agency in violation of this title;
- (2) refund any money that the employment agency took from the client in violation of this title; or
- (3) do both.]

[9-209.

(a) A party to a proceeding before the Commissioner who is aggrieved by a final decision of the Commissioner in a contested case, as defined in § 10-202 of the State Government Article, may take an appeal as allowed in §§ 10-222 and 10-223 of the State Government Article.

(b) An applicant for a license to do business as an employment agency or a license to act as an employment counselor whose application was denied by the Commissioner may file an order for appeal within 60 days after a final decision of the Commissioner.]

[9-301.

In this subtitle, "license" means a license issued by the Commissioner under this subtitle to do business as an employment agency.]

[9-302.

(a) Except as otherwise provided in this title, a person must have a license whenever the person does business as an employment agency in the State.

(b) A separate license is required for each location where a person does business as an employment agency.]

[9-303.] 9-301.

[(a) An applicant for a license shall:

- (1) submit to the Commissioner:
  - (i) an application on the form that the Commissioner provides;
  - (ii) at least 3 letters of character reference from individuals who are of reputed business or professional integrity and reside in the State;
  - (iii) a schedule of fees that the applicant expects to charge; and
  - (iv) a copy of each contract or form that the applicant will use; and
- (2) pay to the Commissioner an application fee of: