

13-203.

The Secretary and all members of the Department of State Police:

(1) shall treat as confidential any information obtained through an investigation of an applicant for a license or for certification under this title; and

(2) unless required by a court order, may not divulge to a person who is not a member of the Department of State Police any information obtained through an investigation of an applicant for a license or for certification under this title.

13-301.

(a) Except as otherwise provided in this title, a person shall be licensed by the Secretary as a private detective agency before the person may:

(1) conduct a business that provides private detective services in the State; and

(2) solicit to engage in a business that provides private detective services in the State.

(b) An individual or a firm may qualify for a license as a private detective agency.

13-304.

(a) (1) An applicant for a license shall:

(i) submit to the Secretary an application on the form that the Secretary provides;

(ii) submit the documents required under this section; and

(iii) pay to the Secretary the fees required under subsection (b) of this section.

(2) If the applicant is a firm, the representative member shall complete the application form and otherwise be responsible for the firm's compliance with this section.

(b) (1) An applicant for a license shall pay to the Secretary an application fee of:

(i) \$200, if the applicant is an individual; or

(ii) \$375, if the applicant is a firm; AND

(III) THE FEES AUTHORIZED UNDER SUBSECTION (C)(2) OF THIS SECTION.

(2) (i) As part of the application for a license, the applicant shall submit to the Secretary THE FINGERPRINTS REQUIRED UNDER SUBSECTION (C)(2)(I) OF THIS SECTION[: