

(2) A violation of the law of any other jurisdiction if the prohibited conduct would be a violation of Article 27, §§ 277 through 303 of the Code if committed in this State.

(c) (1) "License" means a license, permit, certification, registration, or other legal authorization:

- (i) Issued to or granted to an individual by a licensing authority; and
- (ii) Required for engaging in employment or an occupation or profession.

(2) "License" includes a commercial driver's license issued under Title 16, Subtitle 8 of the Transportation Article.

(3) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, "license" does not include:

(i) A license to drive a motor vehicle issued by the Motor Vehicle Administration under Title 16 of the Transportation Article; or

(ii) The registration of an agent, issuer agent, or investment advisor representative under the Maryland Securities Act (Title 11 of the Corporations and Associations Article) and regulations adopted under that Act.

(d) "Licensee" means a holder of a license issued by a licensing authority.

(e) (1) "Licensing authority" means an agency of the State which issues a license.

(2) "Licensing authority" includes the Motor Vehicle Administration for purposes of issuing a commercial driver's license.

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(a) Except as provided in subsection (d) of this section, as a condition to issuance of a license or renewal of a license, a licensing authority may require an individual applying for a license to disclose whether the individual has ever been convicted of a controlled dangerous substance offense committed on or after January 1, 1991.

(b) Subject to the provisions of § [1-407] 1-505 of this subtitle, if an individual applying for a license has been convicted of a controlled dangerous substance offense committed on or after January 1, 1991, a licensing authority may:

(1) Refuse to issue a license to the individual; or

(2) Issue a license subject to any terms and conditions that the licensing authority deems appropriate under § [1-406] 1-504 of this subtitle.

(c) Unless a licensee shows good cause for a failure to disclose any information that a licensing authority may require under subsection (a) of this section, a licensing authority may suspend or revoke a licensee's license if a licensee fails to disclose the information that a licensing authority may require under subsection (a) of this section.