- (c) A disqualification under this section shall:
- (1) begin with the first week for which unemployment is caused by discharge or suspension for gross misconduct as determined under this section; and
- (2) continue until the individual is reemployed and has earned wages in covered employment that equal at least [10] 20 times the weekly benefit amount of the individual.

## 8-1002.1.

- (A) (1) IN THIS SECTION, "INTENTIONAL AND DESTRUCTIVE AGGRAVATED MISCONDUCT" MEANS INTENTIONAL AND MALICIOUS CONDUCT BY AN EMPLOYEE IN THE WORKPLACE THAT RESULTS IN:
- (I) A PHYSICAL ASSAULT UPON OR BODILY INJURY TO THE EMPLOYER, FELLOW EMPLOYEES, SUBCONTRACTORS, INVITEES TO THE WORKPLACE OF THE EMPLOYER, MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC IN THE VICINITY OF THE WORKPLACE, OR THE EVENTUAL ULTIMATE CONSUMER OF THE EMPLOYER'S PRODUCT OR SERVICES; OR
- (II) PROPERTY LOSS OR DAMAGE TO THE PROPERTY OF THE EMPLOYER, FELLOW EMPLOYEES, SUBCONTRACTORS, INVITEES TO THE WORKPLACE OF THE EMPLOYER, MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC IN THE VICINITY OF THE WORKPLACE, OR THE EVENTUAL ULTIMATE CONSUMER OF THE EMPLOYER'S PRODUCT OR SERVICES.
- (2) IN THIS SECTION "INTENTIONAL AND DESTRUCTIVE AGGRAVATED MISCONDUCT" DOES NOT INCLUDE:
- (I) GROSS MISCONDUCT, AS DEFINED UNDER \$ 8–1002 OF THIS TITLE; OR
- (II) MISCONDUCT, AS DEFINED UNDER § 8–1003 OF THIS TITLE.
- (B) AN INDIVIDUAL WHO OTHERWISE IS ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE BENEFITS IS DISQUALIFIED FROM RECEIVING BENEFITS IF UNEMPLOYMENT RESULTS FROM DISCHARGE OR SUSPENSION AS A DISCIPLINARY MEASURE FOR BEHAVIOR THAT THE SECRETARY FINDS IS INTENTIONAL AND DESTRUCTIVE AGGRAVATED MISCONDUCT IN CONNECTION WITH EMPLOYMENT.
  - (C) A DISQUALIFICATION UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL:
- (1) BEGIN WITH THE FIRST WEEK FOR WHICH UNEMPLOYMENT IS CAUSED BY DISCHARGE OR SUSPENSION FOR GROSS AGGRAVATED MISCONDUCT AS DETERMINED UNDER THIS SECTION; AND
- (2) CONTINUE UNTIL THE INDIVIDUAL IS REEMPLOYED AND HAS EARNED WAGES IN COVERED EMPLOYMENT THAT EQUAL AT LEAST 20 TIMES THE WEEKLY BENEFIT AMOUNT OF THE INDIVIDUAL; AND