

Subsection (a) of this section is revised to conform to the language of § 5-204 of this article, which codifies an identical provision related to the program under the Maryland Occupational Safety and Health Act.

In subsection (b)(1) of this section, the word "regulation" is substituted for the former word "rule" to conform to the language of Title 10, Subtitle 1 of the State Government Article, which governs statements adopted by a unit of State government to carry out a law that the unit administers. For the definition of "regulation", see § 10-101(g) of the State Government Article.

Defined terms: "Railroad company" § 5.5-101

"State" § 1-101

5.5-107. ENFORCEMENT BY ATTORNEY GENERAL.

ON REQUEST OF THE COMMISSIONER, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL MAY PROCEED IN A STATE OR FEDERAL COURT OR BEFORE ANY OTHER FEDERAL UNIT:

(1) TO ENFORCE A DECISION OF THE COMMISSIONER UNDER THIS TITLE;

(2) SUBJECT TO § 3-302 OF THE STATE FINANCE AND PROCUREMENT ARTICLE, TO COLLECT A CIVIL PENALTY THAT IS ASSESSED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONER UNDER THIS TITLE; OR

(3) TO ENFORCE ANY OTHER ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONER UNDER THIS TITLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Chapter 8, Acts of 1998, which enacted the Public Utility Companies Article, also enacted this section, which is derived without substantive change from former Art. 89, § 94. It is revised to conform to the language of § 5-207 of this article, which codifies a provision in the Maryland Occupational Safety and Health Act that is substantively identical.

In item (2) of this section, the phrase "subject to § 3-302 of the State Finance and Procurement Article", is added as a general reference to the responsibility of the Central Collection Unit of the Department of Budget and Management for recovery of debts. The Central Collection Unit may collect a civil penalty up to \$10,000 in the District Court under this title.

Defined terms: "Commissioner" § 5.5-101

"State" § 1-101

5.5-108. REGULATIONS.

(A) ADOPTION BY COMMISSIONER

AS NECESSARY, THE COMMISSIONER SHALL ADOPT APPROPRIATE HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDARDS AND OTHER REGULATIONS RELATING TO:

(1) SANITATION ON RAILROAD PROPERTY AS IT AFFECTS THE HEALTH OF RAILROAD EMPLOYEES, INCLUDING CLERICAL EMPLOYEES, ENGINE WORKERS,