

Subject Licensing board actions against licensees; theft or fraud offenses

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Overview

Chapter 214 regulates the operation of health-related licensing boards and non-health-related licensing boards, as defined in section 214.01, subdivisions 2 and 3. Under current law these licensing boards must take action to suspend or revoke an occupational license, and refuse to renew an occupational license, if a licensee is convicted of certain crimes. This bill adds certain theft or fraud crimes to the crimes for which a licensing board must take action to suspend or revoke an occupational license and refuse to renew an occupational license.

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Amends § 214.10, subd. 2a. Requires a licensing board to take action to suspend or revoke an occupational license, and to refuse to renew an occupational license, of an individual convicted of:

- section 256.98 (wrongfully obtaining assistance under the WIC program, MFIP, the child care assistance program, medical assistance, general assistance, the housing support program, programs serving homeless individuals, and MinnesotaCare);
- section 609.496 (concealing criminal proceeds; using proceeds of \$5,000 or more gained from a felony to conduct a transaction);
- section 609.497 (engaging in a business that has a purpose of concealing money or property gained from a felony); and
- section 609.542 (soliciting, receiving, offering, or providing kickbacks for referring an individual to a provider who will be paid under a federal health care program, a behavioral health program, or the child care assistance program; for purchasing or recommending the purchase of an item or service that will be paid for under one of these programs; or for

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applying for or receiving an item or service that will be paid for under one of these programs).

Effective date: day following final enactment.



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