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13-34-106 Denial, suspension, or revocation of registration statement, registration certificate, or state authorization certificate -- Limits on registration certificate and state authorization certificate.

- (1) In accordance with Chapter 2, Division of Consumer Protection, and Title 63G, Chapter 4, Administrative Procedures Act, the division may initiate adjudicative proceedings to deny, suspend, or revoke a registration statement, registration certificate, or state authorization certificate if:
 - (a) the division finds that the denial, suspension, or revocation is in the public interest; and(b)
 - (i) the registration statement is incomplete, false, or misleading;
 - (ii) the division determines that a postsecondary school's educational credential represents undertaking or completing an educational achievement that has not been undertaken or completed; or
 - (iii) a postsecondary school or a principal of the postsecondary school has:
 - (A) violated, caused a violation, or allowed a violation of a provision of:
 - (I) this chapter;
 - (II) a rule made by the division under this chapter; or
 - (III) a commitment made in a registration statement;
 - (B) violated Chapter 11, Utah Consumer Sales Practices Act;
 - (C) been enjoined by a court, or is the subject of an administrative or judicial order issued in Utah or another state, if the injunction or order:
 - (I) includes a finding or admission of fraud, breach of fiduciary duty, or material misrepresentation; or
 - (II) was based on a finding of lack of integrity, truthfulness, or mental competence;
 - (D) been convicted of a crime involving theft, fraud, or dishonesty;
 - (E) obtained or attempted to obtain a registration certificate by misrepresenting any material fact:
 - (F) failed to timely file with the division a report required by:
 - (I) this chapter; or
 - (II) a rule made by the division under this chapter;
 - (G) failed to furnish information requested by the division;
 - (H) failed to pay an administrative fine imposed by the division under this chapter, or a fine imposed by an administrative or judicial order in Utah or another state;
 - (I) failed to demonstrate fiscal responsibility;
 - (J) failed to pay the fee required to file a registration statement;
 - (K) failed to satisfy the requirements of this chapter or rule made by the division under this chapter; or
 - (L) failed to satisfy a reasonable restriction or condition the division imposes under Subsection (2).
- (2) The division may impose reasonable restrictions and conditions on a postsecondary school's registration certificate or state authorization certificate if:
 - (a) the restriction or condition protects student interests; and
 - (b) a behavior or condition described in Subsection (1)(b) applies to the postsecondary school or the postsecondary school's principal, registration statement, or educational credential.

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