

**1301:3-7-07 Denial, Revocation, or Suspension of a Backflow Certificate. Amend**

(A) The superintendent or the superintendent's designee ~~shall~~ may direct the board to deny issuance or renewal or revoke or suspend a certificate if the board finds that the applicant has done any of the following:

- (1) Falsify documentation;
- (2) Violate any provision of Chapter 3703 of the Revised Code or rules adopted pursuant thereto;
- (3) Obtain a license by fraud, misrepresentation, or deception;
- (4) Engage in fraud, misrepresentation, deception, malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance in the conduct of business; or
- (5) If a person meets rule 1301:3-7-02(A)(2) of the Administrative Code and performs test and inspections on an isolation device that is not owned by the public water system.

(B) Upon a reasonable cause shown, the superintendent ~~shall~~ may direct the board to:

- (1) Suspend or revoke a holder's backflow certification for a specified period of time, from a minimum of six months to a maximum of life, which the board establishes.
- (2) Require a holder of a backflow certificate to complete additional continuing education courses within a specified time period.

(C) Upon written notification of the action of the board, the aggrieved may appeal pursuant to Chapter 119. of the Revised Code and rule 1301:3-7-08 of the Administrative Code.

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