

**172E.3 Penalties.**

1. The department, with assistance by the attorney general, shall have the same authority to enforce [this chapter](#) as it does under [chapter 165A](#). A person who violates [section 172E.2](#) is subject to the same penalties as provided in [section 165A.5](#).

2. [This section](#) does not prevent a person from commencing a civil cause of action based on any right that the person may assert under statute or common law.

[2001 Acts, ch 101, §8](#)