

**9A.106 Certificate of registration — issuance or denial — renewal.**

1. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2, the secretary of state shall issue a certificate of registration to an individual who complies with section 9A.105, subsection 1, or whose application has been accepted under section 9A.105, subsection 2.

2. The secretary of state may refuse to issue a certificate of registration if the secretary of state determines that the applicant has engaged in conduct that has a significant adverse effect on the applicant's fitness to act as an athlete agent. In making the determination, the secretary of state may consider whether the applicant has done the following:

a. Been convicted of a crime that, if committed in this state, would be a crime involving moral turpitude or a felony.

b. Made a materially false, misleading, deceptive, or fraudulent representation in the application or as an athlete agent.

c. Engaged in conduct that would disqualify the applicant from serving in a fiduciary capacity.

d. Engaged in conduct prohibited by section 9A.114.

e. Had a certificate of registration or licensure as an athlete agent suspended, revoked, or denied or been refused renewal of a certificate of registration or licensure as an athlete agent in any state.

f. Engaged in conduct which resulted in the imposition of a sanction, suspension, or declaration of ineligibility to participate in an interscholastic or intercollegiate athletic event on, of, or by a student athlete or educational institution.

g. Engaged in conduct that significantly adversely reflects on the applicant's credibility, honesty, or integrity.

3. In making a determination under subsection 2, the secretary of state shall consider the following:

a. How recently the conduct occurred.

b. The nature of the conduct and the context in which it occurred.

c. Any other relevant conduct of the applicant.

4. An athlete agent may apply to renew a certificate of registration by submitting an application for renewal in a form prescribed by the secretary of state. An application filed under this section is a public record. The application for renewal must be signed by the applicant under penalty of perjury and must contain current information on all matters required in an original application for registration.

5. An individual who has submitted an application for renewal of a certificate of registration or licensure in another state, in lieu of submitting an application for renewal in the form prescribed pursuant to subsection 4, may file a copy of the application for renewal and a valid certificate of registration or licensure from the other state. The secretary of state shall accept the application for renewal from the other state as an application for renewal in this state if the application to the other state complies with all of the following:

a. Was submitted in the other state within the six-month period immediately preceding the filing in this state and the applicant certifies the information contained in the application for renewal in the other state is current.

b. Contains information substantially similar to or more comprehensive than that required in an application for renewal submitted in this state.

c. Was signed by the applicant under penalty of perjury.

6. An original certificate of registration or a renewal of a certificate of registration is valid for two years.

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