

**170.6 Disciplinary proceedings.**

1. The department of agriculture and land stewardship may suspend or revoke a certification issued pursuant to [section 170.4](#) if the department determines that a landowner has done any of the following:

- a. Provided false information to the department in an application for certification pursuant to [section 170.4](#).
- b. Failed to provide notice or access to the department of natural resources and the department of agriculture and land stewardship as required by [section 170.5](#).
- c. Failed to maintain a fence enclosing the land where a whitetail is kept as required in [section 170.4](#).
- d. Forces or lures a whitetail that is property of the state onto the enclosed land.
- e. Restrains or inhibits a whitetail that is property of the state from leaving the enclosed land.
- f. Takes a whitetail that is property of the state which is enclosed on the property in violation of a chapter in [Title XI, subtitle 6](#).

2. If the department suspends a landowner's certification, the landowner shall not release additional whitetail onto the enclosed land, unless otherwise provided in the department's order for suspension. If the department revokes a landowner's certification under [this section](#), the landowner shall provide for the disposition of the enclosed whitetail by any lawful means.

[2003 Acts, ch 149, §9, 23](#); [2003 Acts, ch 179, §66](#)