

701—233.7(421B) Sanctions for violations.

233.7(1) *Civil penalties.* Violations of Iowa Code chapter 421B and this chapter will result in penalties as identified in Iowa Code section 421B.3.

233.7(2) *Permit revocation or suspension generally.* The department may revoke or suspend any permit issued under Iowa Code chapter 453A, subchapter I, for any violation of Iowa Code chapter 421B. The authority to revoke or suspend a retail cigarette permit for a violation of Iowa Code chapter 421B rests in the department even though the permit was issued by a city or county. The revocation or suspension shall be effectuated under the provisions of the “contested case proceedings” and “licenses” rules contained in 701—Chapter 7.

233.7(3) *Waiting period.* Once the permit is revoked or suspended, the permittee cannot obtain another cigarette permit, nor may a permit be issued for the location covered by the revoked or suspended permit, regardless of the identity of the applicant, for a period of at least six months.

This rule is intended to implement Iowa Code section 421B.11.

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