

282.

Any person, individual, organization, group association, partnership, co-partnership, or OF any combination thereof, who solicits funds, money or other goods and services, for any charitable organization for any remuneration from anyone in this State, shall apply to the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation for an annual license. Each licensee shall receive an identifying number. The fee charged for this license is one hundred dollars per annum.

283.

Each licensee shall file with the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation an annual report setting forth the number of organizations it has collected for, the total amounts collected and the amount of funds turned over to the charitable organization.

284.

Every licensee shall have a written contract with the charitable organization it is to collect for, and shall file a copy of this contract with the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation within ten (10) days after it is signed by the charitable organization. It shall be the responsibility of the licensee to ascertain that the contract is filed within the ten-day period. The licensee shall not solicit or attempt to solicit until the contract is filed. If ~~every~~ ANY solicitation is done before the contract is signed or if the contract is not filed within the ten-day period, the licensee shall pay a penalty of one hundred dollars per day, payable to the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation.

285.

No licensee, by contract or otherwise, shall substitute his interest with that of the charitable organization for the purposes of collecting any funds, money, or other goods and services.

286.

No licensee shall enter into any contract or agreement with any charitable organization for any commission or other remuneration that exceeds (ten percentum) 10% of the total funds, money or other goods and services collected.

ANY COMMISSION OR OTHER REMUNERATION SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE REGULATION OF THE SECRETARY OF LICENSING AND REGULATION.

287.

Any licensee in violation of this subtitle is guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars (\$1000) or by imprisonment for not more than eighteen (18) months or both fine and imprisonment.

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