**§6351. Suspension based on criminal conviction or civil adjudication**

**1. Grounds for suspension.**  Any of the following is grounds for suspension of a license, the right to obtain a license or a certificate issued under this Part:

A. A conviction for a violation of a marine resources law; [PL 2001, c. 421, Pt. B, §15 (NEW); PL 2001, c. 421, Pt. C, §1 (AFF).]

B. A conviction for a violation of Title 17‑A, chapter 31; [PL 2001, c. 421, Pt. B, §15 (NEW); PL 2001, c. 421, Pt. C, §1 (AFF).]

B-1. A conviction for a violation of Title 17‑A, chapter 15; [PL 2009, c. 394, §1 (NEW).]

B-2. A conviction for a violation of Title 17‑A, section 802 that is directly related to an activity for which a lobster and crab fishing license is required; [PL 2017, c. 197, §1 (NEW).]

B-3. A conviction for a violation of Title 17‑A, section 805 that is directly related to an activity for which a lobster and crab fishing license is required; [PL 2017, c. 197, §1 (NEW).]

C. A conviction for a criminal offense against a marine patrol officer while that officer is engaged in the performance of official duty; [PL 2009, c. 394, §1 (AMD).]

D. A civil adjudication of having violated a marine resources law; or [PL 2009, c. 394, §1 (AMD).]

E. A suspension authorized under section 6409 or 6410. [PL 2009, c. 394, §1 (NEW).]

[PL 2017, c. 197, §1 (AMD).]

**2. Suspension procedure.**  In order to suspend a license or certificate because of a conviction or adjudication, the commissioner shall follow the procedures of this article.

[PL 2001, c. 421, Pt. B, §15 (NEW); PL 2001, c. 421, Pt. C, §1 (AFF).]

**3. Denial of license.**  An applicant for any license or certificate as set out in this chapter may be denied a license or certificate in the same manner as provided for in this section.

[PL 2009, c. 394, §2 (NEW).]

SECTION HISTORY

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