

## **WEST VIRGINIA CODE: §30-27-23**

### **§30-27-23. Criminal proceedings; penalties.**

(a) When, as a result of an investigation under this article or otherwise, the board has reason to believe that a licensee, permittee, registrant or certificate holder has committed a criminal offense under this article, the board may bring its information to the attention of an appropriate law-enforcement official.

(b) Effective July 15, 2009, a person violating a provision of this article is guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined not less than \$500 nor more than \$1,000 or confined in jail not more than six months, or both fined and confined.