**Section 693.35 Fines and Penalties**

a) The Department, after notice and an opportunity for a hearing, may fine any health care professional, laboratory or blood bank that violates Section 693.30 of this Part or Section 4 of the Act. The fine shall be $500 for each violation. Based upon the evidence presented at the hearing, fines shall be imposed based upon malicious intent, negligence and incompetence. Following service of a Notice of Violation by the Department, the respondent health care professional, laboratory or blood bank shall have 10 business days in which to request a hearing. All proceedings under this subsection shall be governed by the Department's Practice and Procedure in Administrative Hearings.

b) *The Department shall report each violation of* Section 4 of the Act or Section 693.30 of this Part *to the regulatory agency responsible for licensing a health care professional or a laboratory to which these provisions apply.* (Section 4(d) of the Act)

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