IN ADDITION TO ANY EXISTING REPORTING REQUIRED BY A SPECIFIC BOARD OR COMMISSION, EFFECTIVE APRIL 16, 2018, PURSUANT TO ACT 6 OF 2018, ANY PERSON HOLDING A LICENSE, REGISTRATION, CERTIFICATE OR PERMIT ISSUED BY A LICENSING BOARD OR COMMISSION UNDER THE BUREAU OF PROFESSIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL AFFAIRS SHALL NOTIFY THE APPROPRIATE LICENSING BOARD/COMMISSION WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE OCCURRENCE OF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

(1) A DISCIPLINARY ACTION TAKEN BY A LICENSING AGENCY OF ANOTHER JURISDICTION.

(2) A FINDING OR VERDICT OF GUILT, AN ADMISSION OF GUILT, A PLEA OF NOLO CONTENDERE, PROBATION WITHOUT VERDICT, DISPOSITION IN LIEU OF TRIAL OR AN ACCELERATED REHABILITATIVE DISPOSITION (ARD) OF ANY FELONY OR MISDEMEANOR OFFENSE.

REPORTS OF PENDING CRIMINAL CHARGES MUST ALSO BE MADE WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE OCCURRENCE UNDER SECTIONS 21.29a(a), 21.156b(a) AND 21.723a(a) OF THE BOARD’S REGULATIONS.

TO REPORT A DISCIPLINARY ACTION OR CRIMINAL MATTER AS SET FORTH ABOVE, LOG IN TO THE PENNSYLVANIA LICENSING SYSTEM (PALS) AT www.pals.pa.gov, AND SELECT “MANDATORY REPORTING BY LICENSEES” UNDER THE HEADING “LICENSING SERVICES.”

Source: The Act of February 15, 2018 (P.L. 14, No. 6) (Act 6 of 2018). Act 6 of 2018 can be viewed at the following link:

http://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/Legis/NI/uconsCheck.cfm?txtType=HTM&yr=2018&sessInd=0&smthLwInd=0&act=6

Sections 21.29a(a), 21.156b(a) and 21.723a(a) of the Board’s regulations can be viewed at the following links: