



CHAPTER 66
ARTICLE 11A - ELECTRONIC COMMERCE IN GOVERNMENT

N.C.G.S. § 66-58.7.

Civil penalty.

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The Secretary may assess a civil penalty of not more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) per violation against any certification authority that violates a provision of this Article or any rule promulgated thereunder. In determining the amount of a penalty under this section, the Secretary shall give due consideration to each of the following factors:

- The organizational size of the certification authority cited;
- The good faith of the certification authority cited;
- The gravity of the violation;
- The prior record of the violator in complying or failing to comply with this Article or a rule adopted pursuant to this Article; and
- The risk of harm caused by the violation.

Chapter 150B of the General Statutes governs the imposition of a civil penalty under this section. A civil penalty owed under this section may be recovered in a civil action brought by the Secretary or the Attorney General. (1998-127, s. 1.)

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