

§ 4775.09. Disciplinary actions; injunctive relief; investigations; lien dependent on registration; prohibition.

(A) In accordance with Chapter 119 of the Revised Code, the board of motor vehicle collision repair registration may refuse to issue or renew a registration certificate or may determine whether to waive a suspension of a registration certificate as provided in division (D) of section 4775.07 of the Revised Code.

(B) The court of common pleas for the county in which any person conducts, or attempts to conduct, business as a motor vehicle collision repair operator in violation of this chapter or any rule adopted under this chapter may, on application of the board, issue an injunction, a cease and desist order, or other appropriate order restraining the person from continuing the violation. This section shall operate in addition to and shall not prohibit the enforcement of any other law.

(C) Upon the request of the executive director or as a result of complaints, the board shall investigate the alleged violation.

(D) No person required to be registered under this chapter shall have the benefit of any lien for labor or materials unless the person is registered under this chapter.

(E) No person whose application for registration under this chapter is denied shall open or operate a facility for business as a motor vehicle collision repair facility under the name of the person designated in the application for a registration certificate or under any other name prior to registering as a motor vehicle collision repair operator in accordance with this chapter.

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