

Sec. 13b-96-7. Suitability requirement

(a) In addition to meeting the suitability criteria as defined in section 13b-97 of the Connecticut General Statutes, no certificate shall be issued to any person or members of an association or limited liability company or officer of a corporation, who has a conviction for a serious criminal offense as follows:

Conviction of a felony involving drugs, firearms, sexual misconduct or a potential threat of harm to persons pursuant to section 53a-1 to 53a-296, inclusive, of the Connecticut General Statutes, within a ten (10) year period, shall be considered conviction of a serious criminal offense, except that the commissioner may waive the provisions of this paragraph for good cause shown.

(b) No certificate holder shall allow a driver under his certificate to operate a taxicab if the driver has been convicted of a serious criminal offense as follows:

Conviction of a felony involving drugs, firearms, sexual misconduct or a potential threat of harm to persons pursuant to sections 53a-1 to 53a-296, inclusive, of the Connecticut General Statutes, within a ten (10) year period, shall be considered conviction of a serious criminal offense, except that the commissioner may waive the provisions of this paragraph for good cause shown.

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