record made in such hearing which shall be conducted in accordance with the provisions of subchapter II of chapter 5, and chapter 7, of title 5.

(c) Procedures applicable

The Director shall conduct all actions with respect to rulemaking or adjudication under this chapter in accordance with the provisions of chapter 5 of title 5. Notice shall be given of any adverse action or final disposition and such notice and the entry of any order shall be accompanied by a written statement of supporting facts and legal authority.

(Pub. L. 90-448, title XIV, §1416, Aug. 1, 1968, 82 Stat. 597; Pub. L. 95–251, $\S 2(a)(5)$, Mar. 27, 1978, 92 Stat. 183; Pub. L. 95-454, title VIII, §801(a)(3)(J), Oct. 13, 1978, 92 Stat. 1222; Pub. L. 96-153, title IV, §407, Dec. 21, 1979, 93 Stat. 1131; Pub. L. 98-479, title II, § 202(d), Oct. 17, 1984, 98 Stat. 2228; Pub. L. 111-203, title X, §1098A(1)-(3), (5), July 21, 2010, 124 Stat. 2105.)

Editorial Notes

AMENDMENTS

2010—Pub. L. 111-203, §1098A(1), substituted "Direc-

tor" for "Secretary" wherever appearing. Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 111-203, §1098A(5), substituted tion" for "Secretary of Housing and Urban Development". "Director of the Bureau of Consumer Financial Protec-

Pub. L. 111-203, §1098A(3), substituted "in the Bureau" for "in the Department" in two places.

Pub. L. 111-203, §1098A(2), substituted "Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection or" for "Department of Housing and Urban Development or".

1984—Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 98-479 substituted "subchapter II of chapter 5, and chapter 7, of title 5" for "the Administrative Procedure Act"

1979—Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 96-153 added subsec. (c).

1978—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 95-454 substituted "5372" for

L. 95-251 substituted "administrative law judges" for "hearing examiners" wherever appearing.

Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2010 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 111-203 effective on the designated transfer date, see section 1100H of Pub. L. 111-203, set out as a note under section 552a of Title 5. Government Organization and Employees.

Effective Date of 1979 Amendment

Amendment by Pub. L. 96-153 effective on effective date of regulations implementing such amendment, but in no case later than six months following Dec. 21, 1979, see section 410 of Pub. L. 96-153, set out as a note under section 1701 of this title.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1978 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 95-454 effective on first day of first applicable pay period beginning on or after 90th day after Oct. 13, 1978, see section 801(a)(4) of Pub. L. 95-454, set out as a note under section 5361 of Title 5, Government Organization and Employees.

EFFECTIVE DATE

Section effective upon the expiration of two hundred and seventy days after Aug. 1, 1968, see section 1423 of Pub. L. 90-448, set out as a note under section 1701 of this title.

§ 1716. Unlawful representations

The fact that a statement of record with respect to a subdivision has been filed or is in effect shall not be deemed a finding by the Director that the statement of record is true and accurate on its face, or be held to mean the Director has in any way passed upon the merits of, or given approval to, such subdivision. It shall be unlawful to make, or cause to be made, to any prospective purchaser any representation contrary to the foregoing.

(Pub. L. 90-448, title XIV, §1417, Aug. 1, 1968, 82 Stat. 598; Pub. L. 111-203, title X, §1098A(1), July 21, 2010, 124 Stat. 2105.)

Editorial Notes

AMENDMENTS

2010-Pub. L. 111-203 substituted "Director" for "Secretary" in two places.

Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2010 AMENDMENT

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EFFECTIVE DATE

Section effective upon the expiration of two hundred and seventy days after Aug. 1, 1968, see section 1423 of Pub. L. 90-448, set out as a note under section 1701 of this title.

§ 1717. Penalties for violations

Any person who willfully violates any of the provisions of this chapter, or the rules and regulations prescribed pursuant thereto, or any person who willfully, in a statement of record filed under, or in a property report issued pursuant to, this chapter, makes any untrue statement of a material fact or omits to state any material fact required to be stated therein, shall upon conviction be fined not more than \$10,000 or imprisoned not more than five years, or both.

(Pub. L. 90-448, title XIV, §1418, Aug. 1, 1968, 82 Stat. 598; Pub. L. 96-153, title IV, §408, Dec. 21, 1979, 93 Stat. 1132.)

Editorial Notes

AMENDMENTS

1979—Pub. L. 96-153 substituted "\$10,000" for "\$5,000".

Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

Effective Date of 1979 Amendment

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EFFECTIVE DATE

Section effective upon the expiration of two hundred and seventy days after Aug. 1, 1968, see section 1423 of Pub. L. 90-448, set out as a note under section 1701 of

§1717a. Civil money penalties

(a) In general

(1) Authority

Whenever any person knowingly and materially violates any of the provisions of this