

7C Member selecting a new authorized designated body for licensure

- (1) An authorized designated body shall grant a licence to any member in good standing who is also a member in good standing of another authorized designated body and who holds a licence granted by that authorized designated body in accordance with Section 7C(3) below.
- (2) To the extent permitted by the legislation applicable to the authorized designated body and its members, an authorized designated body shall grant a certificate of authorization to a professional corporation that is in good standing with that authorized designated body and that is also in good standing with another authorized designated body and that holds a certificate of authorization granted by that authorized designated body in accordance with Section 7C(3) below.
- (3) Prior to granting a new licence, or a new certificate of authorization in accordance with Sections 7C(1) or (2) above, the authorized designated body shall:
 - (a) have received confirmation from the other authorized designated body that the member or professional corporation is in good standing with the other authorized designated body, which shall include, but is not limited to:
 - (i) confirming that the member is a member and is licensed, or the professional corporation is registered and holds a certificate of authorization, granted by the other authorized designated body;
 - (ii) confirming that the member is compliant with all continuing professional development requirements;
 - (iii) confirming the date of the member's last successful practice inspection and the date of his/her next scheduled practice inspection; and
 - (iv) confirming that the member or professional corporation is not the subject of a complaint, investigation, disciplinary proceeding, disciplinary finding, order or settlement in respect of a disciplinary matter;
 - (b) advise the other authorized designated body of the member's or professional corporation's application for a new licence or a new certificate of authorization, as applicable, which shall cancel the existing licence or certificate of authorization effective as of the date of issuance of the new licence or new certificate of authorization.
- (4) Nothing in Section 7C(1), (2) or (3) above limits the ability of an authorized designated body to:
 - (a) refuse to licence or grant a certificate of authorization, as applicable, to a member or professional corporation, or impose terms, conditions or restrictions on the licence, or certificate of authorization granted by the authorized designated body to such member or professional corporation where such action is considered necessary to protect the public interest as a result of complaints or disciplinary or criminal proceedings in any jurisdiction relating to the competency, conduct or character of the member or professional corporation;

- (b) assess the equivalency of a licence or certificate of authorization limitation, restriction or condition imposed upon such a member or professional corporation by the other authorized designated body to any licence limitation, restriction or condition that may be applied by the authorized designated body to a licensee or professional corporation, and apply an equivalent limitation, restriction or condition to the licence or certificate of authorization granted by the authorized designated body to such a member or professional corporation;
- (c) refuse a licence to a member or a certificate of authorization to a professional corporation that does not consent to the disclosure of the information required under Section 7C(3) above.