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305. <u>Effect of Substantial Compliance on Penalties and Other Sanctions.</u>

Notwithstanding any other provision in the Regulation, no penalty or other sanction shall be assessed against a landlord for noncompliance with a provision of the Ordinance or Regulations if the landlord is in substantial compliance with the provision. As used in this Regulation, substantial compliance means:

- (A) The landlord has made a good faith effort to comply with the provision of the Ordinance or Regulation sufficient to carry out the intent and purpose of the Ordinance or Regulation; and
- (B) The landlord has cured any defect in compliance with the provision of the Ordinance or Regulation in a timely manner after receiving notice of a deficiency from the Board.

Nothing in this Regulation shall prohibit the Board from ordering a landlord who is in substantial compliance with the Ordinance or Regulation to pay restitution to tenants or registration fees to the Board.

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