

**SUMMARY OF ENFORCEMENT SECTIONS OF CORRECTION LAW
PERTAINING TO SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION**

Violations are cited under Section 168-t of the Correction Law (COR) of the State of New York. The narrative portion of the accusation should include a reference to the other section of the Correction Law which contains the specifics of the violation.

Section charged in Complaint/AI and Cited in Arrest Processing	Make reference in narrative to Section	For violations of	First Conviction	Second Conviction
168-t COR	168-f(4) COR	Failure to notify of address change after 10 days	E felony	D felony
168-t COR	168-f(4) COR	Failure to notify of any change or status of enrollment, attendance, employment or residence at institution of higher education after 10 days	E felony	D felony
168-t COR	168-f(1)(a) COR	Failure to register at least ten days prior to discharge, parole, release to post-release supervision or release from any state or local correctional facility where he/she was committed (custodial scenarios)	E felony	D felony
168-t COR	168-f(1)(b) COR	Failure to register at time sentence imposed when released on probation or discharged upon payment of fine, conditional discharge or unconditional discharge (noncustodial scenarios)	E felony	D felony
168-t COR	168-f(2) (b-2) COR	Failure of Level 3 offender to personally appear at local police annually (within 20 days of anniv. date) for photograph#	E felony	D felony
168-t COR	168-f(2) (b-3) COR	Failure of Level 1 or 2 offender to appear at local police every three years (within 20 days of anniv. date) for photograph#	E felony	D felony
168-t COR	168-f(2)(a) COR	Failure of sex offender to return nonforwardable annual address verification form after 10 days	E felony*	D felony*
168-t COR	168-f(3) COR	Failure of Level 3 sex offender or sex predator to personally verify with LEA every 90 calendar days	E felony	D felony

Note – duty to appear for photograph is temporarily suspended under circumstances where offender is confined in any hospital or institution; upon release, offender must personally appear for photography no later than 90 days after release, or an alternate later date if scheduled by the LEA having jurisdiction

*Note: an offender is in violation of the sections cited unless he proves that he/she has not changed his or her residence address.

Note: If charging an offense date prior to August 17, 2007, penalties were generally a class A misdemeanor for a first conviction, and a class E felony for a subsequent conviction.

LEA: law enforcement agency

All sections above are fingerprintable offenses.