16.6 Third party sponsors.

- (a) Only Principal Instructors or Instructors designated by the Principal Instructor and approved by the Executive Director may contract with a third party sponsor to offer a continuing education course.
- (b) Time committed to product or service promotion shall not be considered instructional time.
- (c) Students must be notified in advance of the time during which the third party sponsor will be presenting product or service promotion to the class. Attendance will be neither monitored nor required during that time by this subchapter.
- (d) Third party sponsors must sign a statement affirming that their sponsorship of the course is not in violation of RESPA. This statement must accompany the monitoring plan filed with the Commission.
- (e) The Principal Instructor should obtain the signature of an authorized representative of the third party sponsor on the monitoring plan filed with the Commission.