

PART I - IN GENERAL.

8-601. DEFINITIONS.

(A) IN THIS SUBTITLE, THE FOLLOWING WORDS AND PHRASES HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as the first clause of Article 96A, section 48 of the Code. The only changes made are in style.

(B) "BOARD" MEANS MARYLAND STATE BOARD OF WELL DRILLERS.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as the fourth clause of Article 96A, section 81 of the Code. The only changes made are in style.

(C) "BUSINESS OF WELL DRILLING" INCLUDES THE CONSTRUCTION, ALTERATION, OR REPAIR OF A WATER WELL AND RELATED EQUIPMENT NECESSARY TO DRAW AND PURIFY WATER FROM THE DRILLED WELL, INCLUDING WATER PUMP, TANK, OR WATER CONDITIONING EQUIPMENT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as the fifth clause of Article 96A, section 81 of the Code. The only changes made are in style.

(D) "OWNER" IS A PERSON WHO HAS THE RIGHT TO DRILL INTO, PRODUCE, AND APPROPRIATE THE PRODUCTION OF WATER, EITHER FOR HIMSELF, ANOTHER PERSON, OR FOR BOTH OF THEM.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as the fourth clause of Article 96A, section 48 of the Code. The only changes made are in style.

(E) "UNDERGROUND WATER" MEANS ANY SUPPLY OF WATER WHICH MAY BE DEVELOPED BY ANY TYPE OF WELL OR SPRING FROM BENEATH THE SURFACE OF THE GROUND WHETHER THE WATER FLOWS FROM THE WELL OR SPRING BY NATURAL FORCE OR IS WITHDRAWN BY PUMPING, OTHER MECHANICAL DEVICE, OR ARTIFICIAL PROCESS.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as the sixth clause of Article 96A, section 48 of the Code. The only changes made are