

8-611. Same - suspension or revocation; reissuance.

(a) Grounds for suspension or revocation. -- The Board shall revoke or suspend the license of any well driller who, upon hearing by the Board, is found guilty of fraud or deceit in obtaining his license or gross negligence, incompetence, or misconduct in the business of well drilling. The Board may suspend or revoke the license of a well driller if it finds there has been a violation of the provisions of Part III of this subtitle, any rule or regulation OF the Secretary OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE promulgates pursuant to it or any rule or regulation of any other Department adopted as applicable to the business of well drilling.

Subtitle 11. Sediment Control

8-1101. Legislative findings; criteria and procedures to implement control programs.

The General Assembly determines and finds that lands and waters comprising the watersheds of the State are great natural assets and resources. As a result of erosion and sediment deposit on lands and in waters within the watersheds of the State, these waters are being polluted and despoiled to such a degree that fish, marine life, and recreational use of the waters are being affected adversely. In addition the General Assembly finds and declares that land movement and disturbance activities on Atlantic Coast beaches east of certain natural and physical contours and elevations of the beach endangers the integrity and continuity of the beach system which includes a dunal system, prevents adequate maintenance, shore erosion and sediment control, and storm protection of these and adjacent areas, and results in the imposition of additional financial burdens on the citizens of the State. To protect the natural resources of the State, the Secretary OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE shall adopt criteria and procedures for the counties and the local soil conservation districts to implement soil and shore erosion control programs. These procedures may provide for departmental review and approval of major grading, sediment, and erosion control plans.

8-1103. Grading and building permits; grading and sediment control plan; certification by developer; authority and responsibility of Department OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE and soil conservation district; grading and building ordinances.

(a) A county or municipality may issue grading and building permits as provided by law. A grading or building permit may not be issued until the developer (1) submits a grading and sediment control plan approved by the appropriate soil conservation district, and (2) certifies that all land clearing, construction, and development will be done under the plan. Criteria for sediment control and