

(4) RESTRICTED LICENSES

§25.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from NR § 8-610(a) and the first and third sentences of (d).

As to subsection (a)(3) of this section, while the present law states that "any person who engages or intends to engage in the business of well drilling" is required to carry bond and insurance, in practice, the Board does not require a journeyman well driller or apprentice well driller to carry a bond or insurance individually. Since journeyman and apprentice well drillers work under the supervision of a master well driller, their work is covered by the bond and insurance of the master well driller. The Commission to Revise the Annotated Code revised this provision to reflect current Board practice. For a further discussion of this issue see the General Revisor's Note to this title.

Subsection (b)(2) of this section is new language added for clarity and to conform to current Board practice.

As to subsection (b)(3)(iv) of this section, current practice is to categorize restricted licenses into the following classes: (1) well digger; (2) well driver; (3) water conditioner installer; and (4) water pump installer.

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(A) SCOPE.

EACH CLASS OF LICENSE AUTHORIZES THE LICENSEE TO PRACTICE WELL DRILLING TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE BOARD FOR THAT CLASS OF LICENSE WHILE THE LICENSE IS EFFECTIVE.

(B) PERMIT REQUISITE TO DRILLING.

A LICENSE DOES NOT PERMIT A LICENSEE TO MAKE ANY WELL FOR WHICH THE FOLLOWING PERMITS HAVE NOT BEEN OBTAINED, IF REQUIRED:

(1) A PERMIT TO DRILL A WELL FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE UNDER § 8-604 OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES ARTICLE; OR

(2) A WATER APPROPRIATION OR USE PERMIT FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES UNDER § 8-802 OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES ARTICLE.

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