

Article – Agriculture

Section 10–1202 and 10–1207

Annotated Code of Maryland

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BY adding to

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SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

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10–1201.

(a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.

(b) [“Board” means the Maryland Winery and Grape Growers’ Advisory Board] “COMMISSION” MEANS THE GOVERNOR’S ADVISORY COMMISSION ON MARYLAND WINE AND GRAPE GROWING.

[(c) “Enology” means those practices and bodies of knowledge that are involved in the producing, aging, storing, and packaging of wine.]

[(d)](C) “Grape grower” means a person who:

(1) Grows grapes for commercial purposes; and

(2) (i) Sells at least \$10,000 worth of grapes each year; or

(ii) Has planted at least 3 acres of vines of a type used for the production of wine.

[(e) “Secretary” means the Secretary of Agriculture or a designee of the Secretary.]

[(f)](D) “Viticulture” means the cultivation and study of grapes and grape vines.

[(g)](E) “Wine” has the meaning stated in Article 2B, § 1–102 of the Code.

[(h)](F) “Winery” means an establishment that has a winery license or limited winery license under Article 2B, § 2–204 or § 2–205 of the Code.

[10–1202.

There is a Maryland Winery and Grape Growers’ Advisory Board in the Department.]