

(a) Except as otherwise provided in this section, a family day care home may not operate unless it is registered.

(b) A family day care home is not required to be registered if the day care provider:

(1) is related to each child by blood or marriage;

(2) is a friend of each child's parents or legal guardian and the care is provided on an occasional basis; or

(3) has received the care of the child from a child placement agency licensed by the Administration or by a local department.

(C) A PERSON MAY NOT ADVERTISE A FAMILY DAY CARE HOME OR FAMILY DAY CARE SERVICE UNLESS THE FAMILY DAY CARE HOME IS REGISTERED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS PART V OF THIS SUBTITLE.

5-556.

A person who violates any provision of this Part V of this subtitle or any rule or regulation adopted under this Part V of this subtitle is guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction is subject to a fine not exceeding \$500.

Article - Commercial Law

11-701.

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

(b) "Advertise falsely" means to use any advertisement, including a label, which is misleading in a material respect.

(c) "Person" includes an individual, corporation, business trust, estate, trust, partnership, association, two or more persons having a joint or common interest, or any other legal or commercial entity.

11-702.

{This} ~~EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN § 11-703.1, THIS~~ subtitle does not apply to any:

(1) Television or radio broadcasting station which broadcasts an advertisement; or

(2) Publisher or printer of a newspaper, magazine, or other form of printed advertisement who publishes or prints an advertisement.