

the law, as the same stood at the time of such registration" for clarity and brevity.

In subsection (b) of this section and throughout this subtitle, the references to a "person" are substituted for the former references to an "owner or dealer" because any person may register a returnable container or returnable textiles.

In subsections (b)(4) and (c) of this section, the references to requiring a person "fil[ing]" a comprehensive description and a certificate of publication or a copy of a transfer with the Secretary of State are substituted for the former references requiring the documents to "be recorded" by a person for consistency with subsection (d) of this section, which requires the Secretary of State to record these documents "filed" by a person.

In the introductory language of subsection (b) of this section, the former reference to a person "desiring" registration is deleted as implicit in the reference to "register[ing]".

In subsection (b)(1)(ii) of this section, the reference to a name, mark, or device "woven, or produced" is added for consistency within this section, in that the requirement for a comprehensive description also applies to the registration of returnable textiles.

Also in subsection (b)(1)(ii) of this section, the requirement to "prepare" a statement is substituted for the former reference to a person "caus[ing] to be prepared" a statement for clarity and brevity.

Also in subsection (b)(1)(ii) of this section, the reference to an "identifying" name is substituted for the former reference to a "distinguishing" name for consistency within this section.

In subsection (b)(2) of this section, the references to a person "sign[ing]" a comprehensive description are substituted for the former archaic references to a comprehensive description being "subscribed" by a person for clarity and consistency.

Also in subsection (b)(2) of this section, the former reference to an officer "thereof, should such owner or dealer be a body corporate" is deleted as included in the reference to an "officer".

Also in subsection (b)(2) of this section, the former redundant reference to the requirement for a "subscription and acknowledgment to be made" before certain persons is deleted as surplusage.

In subsection (b)(3) of this section, the reference to the requirement that a person publish a "signed and acknowledged" comprehensive description is substituted for the former language requiring publication "[a]fter such description shall have been so made, subscribed and acknowledged" for clarity, brevity, and consistency.