

Former Art. 56, § 148(a)(2), which defined "operator" to mean "a person in actual physical control of a vehicle or vessel", is deleted as unnecessary because it did not add to the meaning of "operator" as it is commonly understood.

Former Art. 56, § 148(a)(5), which defined "pipeline" to mean "a line of pipes used for transporting petroleum products by a person ... operating under authority of the Interstate Commerce Commission", is deleted as surplusage.

Former Art. 56, § 148(a)(6), which defined "tank car" to mean "a railroad conveyance used in transporting bulk petroleum products", is deleted as unnecessary because it did not add to the meaning of "tank car" as it is commonly understood.

Former Art. 56, § 148(a)(8), which defined "vessel" to mean "a boat, ship, tanker, or barge, self-propelled or otherwise, used for transporting petroleum products on the waters of this State", is deleted as unnecessary because it did not add to the meaning of "vessel" as it is commonly understood.

The first clause of former Art. 56, § 157A(3), which defined "sale" to include "any exchange, gift or other disposition", is deleted as misleading because the word "sale", when used in the substantive provisions from which this title was derived, appeared to have only the commonly understood meaning of the word "sale". Similarly, the second clause of former Art. 56, § 157A(3), which defined "purchase" to include "any acquisition of ownership", is deleted as misleading.

Former Art. 56, § 157A(9) defined "major brand" to mean "the primary trade name or trademark most commonly associated with and identified with a producer or refiner's retail service station". Former Art. 56, § 157A(10) defined "secondary brand" to mean "a trade name or trademark, other than a major brand, used to identify a producer or refiner's retail service station". Former Art. 56, § 157A(11) defined "unbranded" to mean "a brand, other than the primary or secondary brand ...". These three defined terms are deleted as unnecessary because the words "any brand" encompass "major brand", "secondary brand" and "unbranded", which are the only types of retail service station dealers in the State.

Former Art. 56, § 157A(12), which defined "marina" to mean "any person, firm, or corporation maintaining a place of business where motor vehicle fuel is sold primarily to watercraft", is deleted as unnecessary because the term "marina" is not used in this title.

Former Art. 56, § 157A(14), which defined "special fuel retailer" to mean a person acquiring fuel in bulk, to be sold at retail for use other than as a motor fuel, is deleted as unnecessary because the term "special fuel retailer" is not used in this title.