

(8) (i) "Well water" means bottled water from a hole drilled in the ground to tap the water of an aquifer.

(ii) "Well water" shall meet all the requirements of natural water.]

(b) The requirements of this section are in addition to any other provision of law.

(C) ARTESIAN WATER, MINERAL WATER, NATURAL WATER, PURIFIED WATER, SPRING WATER, WELL WATER, AND ANY OTHER TYPE OF BOTTLED WATER SHALL MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE STANDARD OF IDENTITY FOR BOTTLED WATER UNDER 21 C.F.R. 165.110(A).

[(c)] (D) (1) [Except as authorized under subsection (d) of this section, a] A person may not bottle water unless the person is licensed by the Department under § 21-305 of this subtitle.

(2) The Department may not issue a license if the Department determines that the water is:

(i) Not from an approved source; or

(ii) In any way injurious to the public health.

(3) To apply for a license to bottle water, a bottler shall:

(i) Submit an application to the Department on the form that the Department requires;

(ii) List on the application form the types of bottled water that the applicant proposes to bottle; and

(iii) Pay to the Department an annual fee established by the Secretary under § 2-104 of this article.

(4) While it is effective, a license to bottle water authorizes a bottler to bottle and sell in the State the types of bottled water identified in the license.

[(d)] (1) Subject to the requirements of subsection (e) of this section, a person may not sell water in this State that was bottled outside this State unless the person bottling the water has registered the water with the Department.