TO BE RESCINDED

901:3-5-01 **Definitions: soft drinks.**

- (A) Ginger Ale Flavor, Ginger Ale Concentrate, is the flavoring product in which ginger is the essential constituent, with or without aromatic and pungent ingredients, citrus oils, fruit juices and caramel color.
- (B) Ginger Ale is the carbonated beverage prepared from ginger ale flavor, sugar (sucrose) syrup, harmless organic acid, potable water, and with or without caramel color.
- (C) Sarsaparilla is the carbonated beverage prepared with potable water, sugar (sucrose) syrup, sarsaparilla flavor, with or without harmless organic acid, and with or without caramel color.
- (D) Sarsaparilla flavor is the beverage flavor prepared from oil of sassafras and methyl salicylate (or oil of wintergreen or oil of sweet birch), with or without other aromatic and flavoring substances and caramel color. It derives its characteristic flavor from oil of sassafras and methyl salicylate.
- (E) Root beer is the carbonated beverage prepared from root beer flavor, potable water, sugar (sucrose) syrup, with or without harmless organic acid, and with or without the addition of caramel color.
- (F) Root beer flavor, root beer concentrate is the beverage flavor in which oil of sassafras and methyl salicylate (or oil of wintergreen or oil of sweet birch) are the principal flavoring constituents, and contains other flavoring substances, with or without the addition of caramel color.
- (G) Birch beer is the carbonated beverage prepared from birch beer flavor, potable water, sugar (sucrose) syrup, with or without harmless organic acid and with or without the addition of caramel color.
- (H) Birch beer flavor, birch beer concentrate, is the beverage flavor in which methyl salicylate (or oil of sweet birch or oil of wintergreen) and oil of sassafras are the principal flavoring constituents, with or without other flavoring substances, and with or without caramel color. The flavor of methyl salicylate predominates.
- (I) Cream soda water, "cream soda," is the carbonated beverage prepared from cream soda water flavor, potable water, sugar (sucrose) syrup with or without harmless organic acid, and with or without the addition of caramel color.

(J) Cream soda water flavor, cream soda water concentrate, is the beverage flavor prepared from vanilla, tonka, vanillin or coumarin, singly or in combination, together with other flavoring substances, with or without the addition of caramel color.

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