

CHAPTER 113: PEDDLING AND SOLICITING

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§ 113.01 DEFINITIONS.

For the purpose of this chapter, the following definitions shall apply unless the context clearly indicates or requires a different meaning.

PEDDLER. Any person who travels from place to place with an inventory of goods, who sells the goods at retail or offers the goods for sale at retail, and who delivers the identical goods he carries with him.

SOLICITOR. Any person who travels from place to place taking or offering to take orders for the sale of goods for future delivery or for personal services to be performed in the future, whether or not samples *are* displayed or money is collected in advance, and any person who uses or occupies any building or premises for the sole purpose of taking or offering to take orders for the sale of goods for future delivery or for personal services to be performed in the future, whether or not samples are displayed or money is collected in advance.

ITINERANT MERCHANT. Any merchant, other than a merchant with an established retail store, who transports an inventory of goods to a building, vacant lot, or other location and who at that location displays the goods for sale and sells the goods at retail or offers the goods for sale at retail.

§ 113.02 REGISTRATION.

Each and every person doing business in the town as a peddler, solicitor, or itinerant merchant shall file with the Town Clerk, on a form to be provided for that purpose a statement setting forth the following information:

- (A) Name and address of individual filing statement;
- (B) Name and address of principal or employer if individual is an agent or employee;
- (C) Credentials showing relationship of agent or employee;

- (D) Description of individual filing statement, including height, weight, sex, age, color, and distinguishing characteristics, if any;
- (E) The goods to be sold or offered for sale or the type of services to be rendered;
- (F) The period of time during which the business will be carried on in the town; and
- (G) Description of automobile or other vehicle to be used in the business, including the make, model, body style, color and license number.

§ 113.03 DOOR-TO-DOOR ACTIVITIES PROHIBITED.

It shall be unlawful for any peddler, solicitor, itinerant merchant, or other seller of merchandise to go in, or upon, private residences or the premises thereof, unless they have been requested or invited to do so by the owner or occupant of private residences in the town, for the purpose of advertising, peddling, or selling merchandise.