

CHAPTER 1550
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FOOD; GENERAL RULES

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Subpart 1 **Standards.** Bottled water must be from an approved source and must not contain anything in a quantity that may be injurious to health. Bottled water must meet the standards in Minnesota Statutes, section 31 101, subdivision 8, and other rules adopted by the department.

Subp 2 **Microbiological quality.** Bottled water must meet the standard of microbiological quality in item A or B if a sample of analytical units of equal volume is examined by the methods described in applicable sections of "Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater," 20th edition (1998), published by the American Public Health Association. The commissioner may accept other official methods of analysis when published in "Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater." That publication is incorporated by reference, is not subject to frequent change, and is available through the Minitex interlibrary loan system or from

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the American Public Health Association, 1015 Fifteenth Street NW, Washington, D C 20005.

[For text of items A and B, see MR]

Subp 3. **Physical quality.** Bottled water must meet the standards of physical quality in items A to C if a composite of analytical units of equal volume from a sample is examined by the method described in applicable sections of "Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater," 20th edition (1998), which is incorporated by reference in subpart 2.

A. The turbidity must not exceed five units

B The color must not exceed 15 units *

C. The odor must not exceed threshold odor No 3 *

* Mineral water is exempt from the standard.

Subp 4 **Chemical quality.**

[For text of item A, see MR]

B Analyses conducted to determine compliance with this subpart must be made in accordance with the methods described in the applicable sections of "Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater," 20th edition (1998), which is incorporated by reference in subpart 2, or "Methods for Chemical Analysis of Water and Wastes," Environmental Monitoring and Support Laboratory, EPA-600/4-82-055, March 1983, United States Environmental Protection Agency Analyses for organic substances must be determined by appropriate methods described in "Methods for Organochlorine Pesticides in Industrial Effluents" and "Methods for Chlorinate Phenoxy Acid Herbicides in Industrial Effluents," November 28, 1973, and "Part I: The Analysis of Trihalomethanes in Finished Waters by the Purge and Trap Method," Method 501.1 and "Part II The Analysis of Trihalomethanes in Drinking Water by Liquid/Liquid Extraction," Method 501.2 in Code of Federal Regulations, title 40, part 141, Appendix C.

[For text of subps 5 and 6, see MR]

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1550.3250 LABELING REQUIREMENTS.

Bottled water must conform to Minnesota Statutes, section 31 101, subdivision 8, and be labeled in compliance with items A to L

[For text of items A to L, see MR]

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