

[(d)](E) A vending machine operator license authorizes the licensee to:

- (1) act as a vending machine operator; and
- (2) buy stamped cigarettes from a subwholesaler or wholesaler.

[(e)](F) A wholesaler license authorizes the licensee to:

- (1) act as a wholesaler;
- (2) buy unstamped cigarettes directly from a cigarette manufacturer;
- (3) hold unstamped cigarettes;
- (4) buy tobacco tax stamps as authorized by § 12-303 of the Tax - General

Article;

- (5) transport unstamped cigarettes in the State; and
- (6) sell unstamped cigarettes to another licensed wholesaler if the Comptroller specifically authorizes.

16-207.

(a) Unless a license is renewed for a 1-year term as provided in this section, the license expires on the first April 30 after its effective date.

(b) At least 1 month before a license issued under this subtitle expires, the issuing official shall mail to the licensee, at the last known address of the licensee, a renewal notice that states:

- (1) the date on which the current license expires;
- (2) the date by which the issuing official must receive the renewal application for the renewal to be issued and mailed before the license expires; and
- (3) the amount of the renewal fee.

(c) Before a license issued under this subtitle expires, the licensee may renew it for an additional 1-year term, if the licensee:

- (1) otherwise is entitled to be licensed;
- (2) submits to the issuing official a renewal application on the form that the issuing official requires; and
- (3) pays to the issuing official:
  - (i) the licensee fee required under § 16-204 of this subtitle; and

(ii) if the license is issued by the Comptroller, the renewal fee required under [§ 16-204(g)] § 16-204(H) of this subtitle.

(d) The issuing official shall renew the license of each licensee who meets the requirements of this section.