



CHAPTER 143B
ARTICLE 4 - DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

N.C.G.S. § 143B-245.13.

Retail sale of consumable products and vapor products.

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- § 143B-245.13(a)** Products Prohibited from Retail Sale. - Except as provided in subdivisions (1) and (2) of this subsection, beginning May 1, 2025, or on the date that the Department of Revenue first makes the directory available for public inspection on its public website as provided in G.S. 143B-245.12(a), whichever is later, consumable products or vapor products not included in the directory may not be sold for retail sale in North Carolina, either directly or through an importer, distributor, wholesaler, retailer, or similar intermediary or intermediaries. [The following applies:]
- (1) Each retailer shall have 60 days from the date that the Secretary first makes the directory available for inspection on its public website to sell products that were in its inventory and not included in the directory or remove those products from inventory and return them to the distributor or wholesaler from whom the products were purchased for a refund.
 - (2) Each distributor or wholesaler shall have 60 days from the date that the Secretary first makes the directory available for inspection on its public website to remove those products intended for ultimate retail sale in the State from its inventory.
 - (3) After 60 calendar days following publication of the directory, consumable products or vapor products not listed in the directory and intended for retail sale in North Carolina may not be purchased or sold for retail sale in North Carolina except as provided in G.S. 143B-245.12(c).

§ 143B-245.13(b)

Reserved for future codification purposes. (2024-31, s. 2(b).)

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2 AUTHORITIES

Authorities referenced

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REFERENCE	APPEARS IN	OPERATIVE LANGUAGE IN THIS SECTION
G.S. 143B-245.12(a)	(a)	<i>"its public website as provided in"</i>
G.S. 143B-245.12(c)	(a)(3)	<i>"North Carolina except as provided in"</i>

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

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