**Section 100.420 Wine Maker Self-Distribution**

An in-state and out-of-state maker of wine may sell its own manufactured wine directly to retail license holders if it:

a) has been issued a federal Basic Permit to make wine by the Tax and Trade Bureau of the US Department of the Treasury;

b) has been issued a valid wine making license by a licensing authority of any state or territory of the United States;

c) does not hold any other manufacturer's license to make any other type of alcoholic liquor;

d) and its officers, managers, partners, owners who own more than 5% of the maker of wine, and any other affiliated entity or individual person annually produce less 25,000 gallons of wine;

e) and its officers, managers, partners, owners who own more than 5% of the maker of wine, and any other affiliated entity or individual person annually sell 5,000 gallons of wine or less direct to retailers;

f) pays all necessary State of Illinois excise taxes for the manufacture and importation of wine.

g) an out-of-state maker of wine must have a valid Illinois winery shipper's license prior to the issuance of a self-distribution exemption and at all times while self-distributing.

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