

## Attachment 1. Excerpts from Federal Food and Drug Administration regulations

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TITLE 21--FOOD AND DRUGS  
CHAPTER I--FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES  
SUBCHAPTER B--FOOD FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION

### PART 165 -- BEVERAGES

#### Subpart B--Requirements for Specific Standardized Beverages

Sec. 165.110 Bottled water.

(2) *Nomenclature.* The name of the food is "bottled water," "drinking water," or alternatively one or more of the following terms as appropriate:

(vi) The name of water derived from an underground formation from which water flows naturally to the surface of the earth may be "**spring water**." Spring water shall be collected only at the spring or through a bore hole tapping the underground formation feeding the spring. There shall be a natural force causing the water to flow to the surface through a natural orifice. The location of the spring shall be identified. Spring water collected with the use of an external force shall be from the same underground stratum as the spring, as shown by a measurable hydraulic connection using a hydrogeologically valid method between the bore hole and the natural spring, and shall have all the physical properties, before treatment, and be of the same composition and quality, as the water that flows naturally to the surface of the earth. If spring water is collected with the use of an external force, water must continue to flow naturally to the surface of the earth through the spring's natural orifice. Plants shall demonstrate, on request, to appropriate regulatory officials, using a hydrogeologically valid method, that an appropriate hydraulic connection exists between the natural orifice of the spring and the bore hole.