

ARTICLE VIII. - TRANSIENT MERCHANTS ^[39]

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The following words, terms and phrases, when used in this article, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

Transient merchant means any person, firm, association, or corporation engaging or intending to engage in a retail sale of goods, wares or merchandise in any place in the city and who, for the purpose of conducting such business, occupies any lot, building, room or structure of any kind for a period of less than six consecutive months.

(Code 1979, § 5.48.010)

Sec. 8-412. - Registration required.

It is unlawful for any person, either as principal or agent, to engage in business as a **transient merchant**, as defined in this article, without having first registered in the manner provided in this article.

(Code 1979, § 5.48.020)

Sec. 8-413. - Registration procedure.

Any person desiring to engage in such business shall first file with the city clerk a written registration stating the registrant's name, date of birth, residence address, business address, mailing address, the location where he intends to do business in the city, a brief description of the type or kind of business to be conducted and the duration thereof.

(Code 1979, § 5.48.030)

FOOTNOTE(S):

⁽³⁹⁾ State Law reference— **Transient merchants**, MCL 445.371 et seq. [\(Back\)](#)