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[Police and Health Codes - Regulation of Cannabis Businesses]

Ordinance amending the Police Code to extend by one year the possible duration of a Temporary Cannabis Business Permit; and amending the Health Code to increase. from 90 days to 120 days, the time period that the Director of the Office of Cannabis may extend a medical cannabis dispensary's authorization to Sell Adult Use Cannabis. and extending by one year to December 31, 2019 the date on which Article 33 (Medical Cannabis Act) expires. Ordinance amending the Police Code by making a number of changes in the regulation of commercial cannabis activity, including, among other things: 1) defining ownership interest for purposes of the Equity Program in a Cannabis Business; 2) modifying the Cannabis Equity Incubator Program requirements; 3) extending by one year the possible duration of a Temporary Cannabis Business Permit: 4) authorizing the Director of the Office of Cannabis to issue Cannabis Business Permits to Medical Cannabis Dispensaries forced to discontinue operations due to a no-fault lease termination before December 31, 2018; 5) modifying the order in which the Director may review and process Cannabis Business Permit applications; 6) revising requirements associated with a Cannabis Business' change in ownership and structure requiring Cannabis Business permit amendments when a change in ownership results in a decrease in an Equity Applicant's Ownership Interest or role in the Cannabis Business; 7) revising Cannabis Business Permit application requirements: 8) requiring Cannabis Businesses to comply with all permit conditions whether or not they are currently engaging in the permitted activity; 9) modifying the amount of Cannabis that may be delivered or sold to a customer; and 10) authorizing Cannabis Microbusinesses to conduct either storefront or delivery sales, but not both, and reducing from four to three the categories of Commercial activity required to

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operate as a Cannabis Microbusiness; and amending the Health Code by revising eligibility requirements for medical cannabis dispensaries seeking authorization to Sell Adult Use Cannabis, and extending by one year to December 31, 2019 the date on which Article 33 (Medical Cannabis Act) expires.

Unchanged Code text and uncodified text are in plain Arial font.
Additions to Codes are in single-underline italics Times New Roman font.
Deletions to Codes are in strikethrough italics Times New Roman font.
Board amendment additions are in double-underlined Arial font.
Board amendment deletions are in strikethrough Arial font.
Asterisks (* * * *) indicate the omission of unchanged Code subsections or parts of tables.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

Section 1. As introduced, this ordinance proposed revising Administrative Code

Sections 1602, 1604, 1605, 1606, 1608, 1609, 1613, 1615, 1618, 1622, 1627, 1628, 1629,
and 1634 and Health Code Sections 3322 and 3323. At its regular meeting on October 24,
2018, the Board of Supervisors Rules Committee duplicated the file, and amended this
ordinance to remove the amendments to Administrative Code Sections 1602, 1604, 1606,
1608, 1609, 1613, 1615, 1618, 1622, 1627, 1628, 1629, and 1634 such that this ordinance
amends only Administrative Code Sections 1605 and Health Code Sections 3322 and 3323.

Section 2. Article 16 of the Police Code is hereby amended by revising Section 1605, to read as follows:

SEC. 1605. TRANSITION PROVISION.

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(h) **Duration.** A Temporary Cannabis Business Permit issued under this Section 1605 shall be valid for a period of 120 days and may be extended for additional <u>120</u>90-day periods at the discretion of the Director. Notwithstanding the prior sentence, the Director shall not issue a new temporary permit after January 1, 2019, and shall not extend the term of a Temporary Cannabis Business Permit <u>issued to an applicant for a Cannabis Business Permit under this Article 16 past January 1 December 31</u>, 2019.

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Section 3. Article 33 of the Health Code is hereby amended by revising Sections 3322 and 3323, to read as follows:

SEC. 3322. TRANSITION PROVISION.

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- (e) The Director may extend the authorization to Sell Adult Use Cannabis for additional 12090-day periods beyond the 120-day period set forth in subsection (d) of this Section 3322 upon a finding that:
- (1) The Office of Cannabis has not had sufficient time to review and process applications for Cannabis Business Permits under Article 16 of the Police Code; and
- (2) The medical cannabis dispensary has demonstrated good faith compliance with its Equity Plan to the satisfaction of the Director of the Office of Cannabis.

The Director's authority under this subsection (<u>e</u>f) to extend <u>120</u>90-day periods for authorization to sell Adult Use Cannabis may be exercised only at intervals of approximately <u>120</u>90 days, as to each distinct <u>120</u>90-day period. Thus, for example, the Director may not

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simultaneously authorize two consecutive 12090-day extensions for the same medical cannabis dispensary.

SEC. 3323. SUNSET PROVISION.

This Article 33 shall expire by operation of law on December 31, 201918, at which time aAll permits authorizing the operation of a Medical Cannabis Dispensary issued under this Article 33 shall be rendered invalid after December 31, 2018, except for those permits issued under this Article 33 where the permit holder has applied for a Police Code Article 16 permit, which shall be rendered invalid on December 31, 2019. Upon expiration of the Article, the City Attorney shall cause it to be removed from the Health Code.

Section 4. Effective Date.

This ordinance shall become effective 30 days after enactment. Enactment occurs when the Mayor signs the ordinance, the Mayor returns the ordinance unsigned or does not sign the ordinance within ten days of receiving it, or the Board of Supervisors overrides the Mayor's veto of the ordinance.

Section 5. Scope of Ordinance. In enacting this ordinance, the Board of Supervisors intends to amend only those words, phrases, paragraphs, subsections, sections, articles, numbers, punctuation marks, charts, diagrams, or any other constituent parts of the Municipal Code that are explicitly shown in this ordinance as additions, deletions, Board amendment additions, and Board amendment deletions in accordance with the "Note" that appears under the official title of the ordinance.

APPROVED AS TO FORM: DENNIS J. HERRERA, City Attorney

Ву:

JANA CLARK Deputy City Attorney

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LEGISLATIVE DIGEST

[Police and Health Codes - Regulation of Cannabis Businesses]

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Existing Law

Police Code Article 16 and Health Code Article 33 govern the regulation of commercial cannabis. Existing law authorizes the Director of the Office of Cannabis ("Director") to issue Temporary Cannabis Permits and to extend the time that a medical cannabis dispensary may sell Adult Use Cannabis for 90 days. Finally, existing law defines the date on which Article 33, which regulates Medicinal Cannabis, expires.

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Amendments to Current Law

This ordinance amends the Police and Health Codes by extending by one year the possible duration of a Temporary Cannabis Permit and permitting the Director to increase from 90 days to 120 days the time during which a medical cannabis dispensary may sell Adult Use Cannabis. Finally, this ordinance extends by one year the date on which Article 33 expires by law.

Background

As first introduced, this ordinance proposed amending the Police and Health Codes by making a number of changes in the regulation of commercial cannabis activity. At its regular meeting on October 24, 2018, the Board of Supervisors Rules Committee duplicated the file, and amended this ordinance to remove all but three of the amendments.

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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Regina Dick-Endrizzi, Director

Small Business Commission, City Hall, Room 448

FROM:

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Alisa Somera, Legislative Deputy Director

Rules Committee

DATE:

September 25, 2018

SUBJECT:

REFERRAL FROM BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Rules Committee

The Board of Supervisors' Rules Committee has received the following legislation, which is being referred to the Small Business Commission for comment and recommendation. The Commission may provide any response it deems appropriate within 12 days from the date of this referral.

File No. 180912

Ordinance amending the Police Code by making a number of changes in the regulation of commercial cannabis activity, including, among other things: 1) defining ownership interest in a Cannabis Business; 2) modifying the Cannabis Equity Incubator Program requirements; 3) extending by one year the possible duration of a Temporary Cannabis Business Permit: 4) authorizing the Director of the Office of Cannabis to issue Cannabis Business Permits to Medical Cannabis Dispensaries forced to discontinue operations due to a no-fault lease termination before December 31, 2018; 5) modifying the order in which the Director may review and process Cannabis Business Permit applications; 6) requiring Cannabis Business permit amendments when a change in ownership results in a decrease in an Equity Applicant's Ownership Interest or role in the Cannabis Business; 7) revising Cannabis Business Permit application requirements: 8) requiring Cannabis Businesses to comply with all permit conditions whether or not they are currently engaging in the permitted activity; 9) modifying the amount of Cannabis that may be delivered or sold to a customer; and 10) authorizing Cannabis Microbusinesses to conduct either storefront or delivery sales, but not both, and reducing from four to three the categories of Commercial activity required to operate as a Cannabis Microbusiness; and amending the Health Code by extending by one year the date on which Article 33 (Medical Cannabis Act) expires by law.

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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Nicole Elliott, Director, Office of Cannabis

Greg Wagner, Acting Director, Department of Public Health

William Scott, Police Chief, Police Department

Alisa Somera, Legislative Deputy Director Rules Committee

DATE:

September 25, 2018

SUBJECT: LEGISLATION INTRODUCED

The Board of Supervisors' Rules Committee has received the following proposed legislation, introduced by Mayor Breed on September 18, 2018:

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If you have comments or reports to be included with the file, please forward them to me at the Board of Supervisors, City Hall, Room 244, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102 or by email at: alisa.somera@sfgov.org.

c: Ray Law, Office of Cannabis
Naveena Bobba, Department of Public Health
Sneha Patil, Department of Public Health
Rowena Carr, Police Department
Asja Steeves, Police Department

Office of the Mayor San Francisco



LONDON N. BREED MAYOR

TO:

Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

FROM:

Mayor London Breed

RE:

Police and Health Codes - Regulation of Cannabis Businesses

DATE:

September 18, 2018

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Please note that Supervisor Mandelman and Supervisor Cohen are co-sponsors of this ordinance.

Should you have any questions, please contact Kanishka Karunaratne Cheng at 415-269-1819.