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California permit types

Cultivation

Cultivation: specialty indoor (small) Type 1A

Indoor cultivation using exclusively artificial lighting of less than or equal to 5,000 square feet of total canopy size on one premises.

Cultivation; specialty mixed-light (small) - Type 1B

Cultivation using a combination of natural and supplemental artificial lighting at a maximum threshold to be determined by the licensing authority, of less than or equal to 5,000 square feet of total canopy size on one premises.

Cultivation: indoor (small) - Type 2A

Indoor cultivation using exclusively artificial lighting between 5,001 and 10,000 square feet, inclusive, of total canopy size on one premises.

Cultivation: Mixed-light (small) - Type 2B

Cultivation using a combination of natural and supplemental artificial lighting at a maximum threshold to be determined by the licensing authority, between 5,001 and 10,000 square feet, inclusive, of total canopy size on one premises.

Cultivation: indoor (medium) - Type 3A

Indoor cultivation using exclusively artificial lighting between 10,001 and 22,000 square feet, inclusive, of total canopy size on one premises. The Department of Food and Agriculture shall limit the number of licenses allowed of this type.

Cultivation: mixed-light (medium) - Type 3B

Cultivation using a combination of natural and supplemental artificial lighting at a maximum threshold to be determined by the licensing authority, between 10,001 and 22,000 square feet, inclusive, of total canopy size on one premises. The Department of Food and Agriculture shall

limit the number of licenses allowed of this type.

Cultivation: nursery - Type 4

Cultivation of medical cannabis solely as a nursery. Type 4 licensees may transport live plants.

Manufacture

Manufacturer 1: nonvolatile - Type 6

For manufacturing sites that produce medical cannabis products using nonvolatile solvents.

Manufacturer 2: volatile - Type 7

Manufacturing sites that produce medical cannabis products using volatile solvents. The State Department of Public Health shall limit the number of licenses of this type.

Testing

Testing - Type 8

Testing of medical cannabis and medical cannabis products. Testing licensees shall have their facilities licensed according to regulations set forth by the division. A testing licensee shall not hold a license in another license category of this chapter and shall not own or have ownership interest in a facility licensed pursuant to this chapter.

Delivery

Non-storefront delivery – Type 9

A non-storefront cannabis retailer sells and delivers cannabis goods to customers without a storefront.

Retail

Dispensary: general - Type 10

Facility where medical cannabis, medical cannabis products, or devices for the use of medical cannabis or medical cannabis products are offered, either individually or in any combination, for retail sale, including an establishment that delivers, pursuant to express authorization by local ordinance, medical cannabis and medical cannabis products as part of a retail sale.

Dispensary: no more than 3 retail sites - Type 10A

Dispensers who have no more than three licensed dispensary facilities. This license shall allow for delivery where expressly authorized by local ordinance.

Distribution

Distribution - Type 11

Distribution of medical cannabis and medical cannabis products from manufacturer to dispensary. A Type 11 licensee shall hold a Type 12, or transporter, license and register each location where product is stored for the purposes of distribution. A Type 11 licensee shall not hold a license in a cultivation, manufacturing, dispensing, or testing license category and shall not own, or have an ownership interest in, a facility licensed in those categories other than a security interest, lien, or encumbrance on property that is used by a licensee. A Type 11 licensee shall be bonded and insured at a minimum level established by the licensing authority.

Transportation

Transporter - Type 12

Transporters of medical cannabis or medical cannabis products between licensees. A Type 12 licensee shall be bonded and insured at a minimum level established by the licensing authority.