

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
B-ENGROSSED SENATE BILL 1531**

1 On page 1 of the printed B-engrossed bill, line 5, delete “Section 2 of this
2 2014 Act is” and insert “Sections 2 to 4 of this 2014 Act are”.

3 After line 16, insert:

4 **“SECTION 3. (1) A person employed by a medical marijuana facility
5 registered under ORS 475.314 must have a valid permit issued by the
6 Oregon Health Authority if the person participates in any way in:**

7 **“(a) The possession, securing, testing or transfer of usable
8 marijuana or immature marijuana plants at the facility;**

9 **“(b) The recording of the possession, securing, testing or transfer
10 of usable marijuana or immature marijuana plants at the facility; or**

11 **“(c) The verification of authorization forms for the receipt of usable
12 marijuana or immature marijuana plants by the facility, registry
13 identification cards, primary caregiver designations or other docu-
14 ments relevant to the transfer of usable marijuana or immature
15 marijuana plants.**

16 **“(2) A person registered as being responsible for a medical
17 marijuana facility must verify that a person has a valid permit issued
18 under section 4 of this 2014 Act before allowing the person to perform
19 any work activity described in subsection (1) of this section at the fa-
20 cility.**

21 **“SECTION 4. (1) The Oregon Health Authority may issue a permit
22 to a person engaged in employment activities described in section 3**

1 of this 2014 Act. A permit issued under this section is a purely personal
2 privilege and is valid only for employment-related activities of the
3 person at a registered medical marijuana facility.

4 “(2) The authority shall adopt rules establishing the term of a per-
5 mit issued under this section and reasonable application, issuance and
6 renewal fees for the permit.

7 “(3) The authority may require a person applying for a permit to
8 successfully complete a training course made available by or through
9 the authority regarding the laws and authority rules regulating the
10 operation of registered medical marijuana facilities. The authority or
11 other provider of the training course may charge a reasonable fee for
12 the course. A person is not required to complete the training more
13 than once except following a suspension or revocation of a permit.

14 “(4) The authority shall conduct a nationwide criminal records
15 check under ORS 181.534 of a person applying for a permit under this
16 section. The authority shall refuse to issue a permit to a person con-
17 victed of a Class A or Class B felony under ORS 475.752 to 475.920 for
18 the manufacture or delivery of a controlled substance in Schedule I
19 or Schedule II, or of an equivalent crime in another jurisdiction if is-
20 suance would occur less than five years from the date the person is
21 convicted.

22 “(5) Except as provided in subsection (4) of this section, the au-
23 thority may suspend, revoke or refuse to issue a permit if a person:

24 “(a) Is convicted of a Class A or Class B felony under ORS 475.752
25 to 475.920 for the manufacture or delivery of a controlled substance in
26 Schedule I or Schedule II, or of an equivalent crime in another juris-
27 diction;

28 “(b) Is convicted for a violation of ORS 475.300 to 475.346;

29 “(c) Violates authority rules for the administration and enforce-
30 ment of ORS 475.300 to 475.346; or

1 **“(d) Makes a false statement to the authority.**

2 **“(6) A person who is refused a permit under this section or has a**
3 **permit suspended or revoked may request a hearing within 30 days**
4 **after notification of the refusal, suspension or revocation.”.**

5 In line 17, delete “3” and insert “5”.

6 On page 4, line 6, delete “4” and insert “6”.

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