

HB 3400 -8 Amendment (Draft) (Changes)

Reiteration of opposition: HB 3400 -1, “Section 112 (1) (b); of this subsection, **a person may not breed** the seeds of the plant Cannabis family Cannabaceae **or propagate immature marijuana plants unless the person is certified** under this section.”

- The propagation of a producers’ own plants, is imperative to cost effectiveness as well as keeping the price to the consumer, low. We (Oregon) are stated as having the lowest priced marijuana in the country, by the media.
 - The cost of purchasing hundreds or thousands of clones for a single crop, will raise cost of the end product to the consumer, significantly.
 - **Recommend; Delete;** “Section 112 (1) (b)”
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Section 20. (Page 27, line 20): ‘...the commission may suspend, revoke or refuse to issue or renew a permit if the individual...’ ‘(a) Is convicted of a felony, except that the commission may not consider a conviction for the manufacture or delivery of marijuana if the date of conviction is more than two years before the date on which the individual applied under this section;...’

- **Unclear;** this is worded that **any** conviction **other** than the ‘**manufacture or delivery of marijuana**’ that’s more than two years old, is grounds for refusal or termination of a license. (Example: A marijuana manufacturer/distributor convicted two years and 1 day ago, is ok for licensing to manufacture and distribute, but a felony traffic ticket is not?)
 - **Recommend; Clarify** unacceptable felonies, felonies that will be considered for licensing depending on circumstances.
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Section 23. (Page 29, line 22); describes the propagation of immature plants by producers!

- **Contradictory** to HB 3400 -1, Section 112 (1) (b).
- **Recommend, Deletion** of; HB 3400 -1, Section 112 (1) (b)

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Information true and accurate per their respective web addresses, as of the date of this letter.

References/Links:

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Ann Lininger, Co-Chair: Oregon Measure 91 Committee
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Jeff Mapes, Oregonian Media Group
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