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SUMMARY

Specifies that person may petition Oregon Liquor Control Commission for privilege of designating specified area in this state as Oregon cannacultural area. Sets forth requirements for making petition.

Becomes operative January 1, 2018.

Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to cannabis; and prescribing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2017 Act is added to and made a part of ORS 475B.010 to 475B.395.

SECTION 2. (1)(a) A person may petition the Oregon Liquor Control Commission, in a form and manner prescribed by the commission, for the privilege of designating a specified area in this state as an Oregon cannacultural area.

(b) If the commission approves the petition and the area is designated as an Oregon cannacultural area, marijuana produced in the area, and usable marijuana, cannabinoid products, cannabinoid concentrates and cannabinoid extracts processed from marijuana ninety percent of which was produced in the area, may be labeled and advertised as a product of the Oregon cannacultural area.

(2) For a petition to be accepted under subsection (1) of this section, a petitioner must provide as part of the petition:

(a) The name of the proposed Oregon cannacultural area;

(b) Evidence that the name of the proposed Oregon cannacultural

1 area is a locally, regionally or nationally known referent for the area;

2 (c) A detailed explanation of the boundaries of the proposed Oregon
3 cannacultural area, using, at a minimum, the markings of a United
4 States Geological Survey map;

5 (d) A United States Geological Survey map, or other map as ap-
6 proved by the commission by rule, upon which the boundaries of the
7 proposed Oregon cannacultural area are clearly demarcated;

8 (e) A description of the features of the proposed Oregon
9 cannacultural area that make the area a distinctive area for the pro-
10 duction of marijuana, including, if applicable:

11 (A) Climatological data and information;

12 (B) Geological data and information;

13 (C) Soil data and information;

14 (D) The physical features of the area; and

15 (E) The minimum and maximum elevations of the area; and

16 (f) Any other relevant data or information required by the com-
17 mission by rule.

18 (3) An Oregon cannacultural area or a portion of an Oregon
19 cannacultural area may be separately designated as another Oregon
20 cannacultural area or as a portion of another Oregon cannacultural
21 area under this section.

22 (4) The commission may adopt by rule a fee for the purpose of off-
23 setting the costs of administering this section. A fee adopted under
24 this section must be calculated to not exceed the costs of administer-
25 ing this section. A fee adopted under this section must be collected
26 at the time that a person makes a petition under this section.

27 **SECTION 3.** (1) Section 2 of this 2017 Act becomes operative on
28 January 1, 2018.

29 (2) The Oregon Liquor Control Commission may take any action
30 before the operative date specified in subsection (1) of this section that
31 is necessary to enable the commission to exercise, on and after the

1 **operative date specified in subsection (1) of this section, all the duties,**
2 **powers and functions conferred on the commission by section 2 of this**
3 **2017 Act.**

4 **SECTION 4. This 2017 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date**
5 **on which the 2017 regular session of the Seventy-ninth Legislative**
6 **Assembly adjourns sine die.**

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