

Item Approval Application

The Division of Cannabis Regulation (DCR) requires a full and complete Item Approval Application submission for items to be reviewed for compliance with 19 CSR 100-1.120(2). Licensees are required to submit in Metrc and follow-up with the additional required information through email at CannabisProductCompliance@health.mo.gov. If all required information is not submitted the same day, the application may be denied as an incomplete submission. An Item Approval Application is required for new Template, Approved Template-based, and Non-Template-based item submissions.

Licensee Number:

Licensee Name:

Select one based on the type of item(s):

New Template Item Name:
(Skip to Section 2)

Non Template-based Item Name:
(Skip to Section 2)

Approved Template-based
Approved Template Name:
Approved Template Number:

1. TEMPLATE-BASED ITEM SUBMISSION (Section reserved for Approved Template-based items only)

Instructions: A licensee will use this section when submitting final marijuana product(s) based on a previously approved template item.

Attestation: The Licensee attests that the differentiation between the approved template item and the new template-based item(s) submitted here only includes changes to the **strain** or **flavor**, or changes based on a different strain or flavor which are indicated through placeholders or other means on the approved template submission.

2. DECLARATION TO UPLOAD PHYSICAL PACKAGING PHOTO (Section reserved for all item submissions)

Instructions: If Licensee **has** uploaded a photo of the physical packaging into Metrc, see 2A. If Licensee **has not** uploaded a photo of the physical packaging in to METRC, see 2B. **Only select one option below.**

2A. Check here if the licensee **has** uploaded a photo of the physical packaging in the Packaging Photo field within Metrc.

- 2B. Attestation:** The Licensee attests they will upload into Metrc a PDF or JPEG of the approved final marijuana product packaging prior to distributing the approved final marijuana product to a dispensary or end user.

3. REQUEST FOR ALTERNATIVE LABEL PLACEMENT (Section reserved for New Template and Non Template-based items only)

Instructions: A licensee may request approval for alternative placement of “Marijuana”, the universal symbol, and/or the label by completing this application section.

For which labeling requirement(s) is the Licensee requesting alternative placement? (Check all that apply.)

- “Marijuana”
- Universal Symbol
- Label required by Rule

Provide detail about the alternative placement. Details must include:

- Why the licensee cannot meet the rule requirement:
- How the label placement will differ from rule:
- How the proposed alternative label placement maintains and promotes safe use of the marijuana product:

- Attestation:** The Licensee attests the alternative label placement cannot be easily removed or separated from the packaging and will meet all other requirements as put forth in rule.

4. IDENTIFICATION OF LOGOS OR SYMBOLS (Section reserved for New Template and Non Template-based items only)

Instructions: A licensee will use this section to identify all logos and/or symbols on the package's design by uploading a PDF or JPEG file for each logo and/or symbol utilized and providing the file name.

- **Logo 1:**
- **Logo 2:**

5. IDENTIFICATION OF SIDE EFFECTS OR BEHAVIORAL EFFECTS OF USAGE (Section reserved for New Template and Non Template- based items only)

Instructions: A licensee will use this section to identify any text indicating side effects or behavioral effects of usage.

- **Text:**

Attestation: The Licensee attests the text indicating side effects or behavioral effect of usage will not obstruct any other required information on the packaging and labeling; will not make any unfounded nutritional, health, structure/function, and/or implied claims; is not a slogan or statement of aspirational or ambiguous meaning; and will meet all other requirements as put forth in rule.

6. IDENTIFICATION OF QR CODE (Section reserved for New Template and Non Template- based items only)

Instructions: A licensee will complete this section if utilizing a QR Code.

Attestation: The Licensee attests the QR Code will not make any unfounded nutritional, health, structure/ function, and/or implied claims, and will meet all other requirements as put forth in rule.

7. REQUIRED ATTESTATIONS (Section required for ALL item submissions)

The Licensee attests the word "Marijuana" is at least as large as any other words used on the packaging for items referenced by this application.

The Licensee attests that the word "Marijuana" is at least as wide or tall as the widest part of all logos and/or symbols on the packaging for item(s) reference by this application.

- The Licensee attests to retain a current and valid copy of the Child Resistant Certification for the packaging submitted for item(s) reference by this application.
- The Licensee attests to retain a current and valid copy of the Food Grade Statement for the packaging submitted for item(s) reference by this application.
- The Licensee attests this final marijuana product originated from marijuana grown and cultivated in a licensed cultivation facility located in Missouri pursuant to 19 CSR 100-1.100(4)(I). For manufacturing facility licensees only: additionally, the Licensee attests any tetrahydrocannabinol (THC), such as THC-A, Delta-8, or Delta-10, in this final marijuana product, as defined in 19 CSR 100-1.010(33), shall only be derived from marijuana cultivated in Missouri by a licensed cultivator pursuant to 19 CSR 100-1.170(2) (E).
- The Licensee attests this final marijuana product, as defined in 19 CSR 100-1.010(33), is intended for human use; and the label required by 19 CSR 100-1.120(1)(C)2 includes all ingredients, whether or not the ingredients contain cannabinoids.
- The Licensee attests this final marijuana product does not contain chemical modification, conversion, or synthetic derivation of cannabinoids to produce intoxicating cannabinoid isomers, including those created by heat or other process during use by a patient or consumer, and all cannabinoids acquired from entities other than marijuana facilities for purpose of inclusion in marijuana product were accompanied by a Certificate of Analysis at time of acquisition that identified the testing lab that tested the product and listed the product's ingredients, pursuant to 19 CSR 100-1.170(2)(F).
- The Licensee attests the information provided for item(s) reference by this application are true and accurate.
- The Licensee attests that it will be responsible for ensuring compliant packaging and labeling pursuant to 19 CSR 100-1.120(2)and (3).

I hereby certify that the information provided is true and correct.

Agent Printed Name (Last, First):

Agent ID:

Agent Business Title:

Agent Signature:

Date:

Agent Email Address:

Agent Primary Phone Number: