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Missouri Facility Licensees

RE: Department-initiated variance for permitted activities related to licensee authority

Licensees,

Pursuant to 19 CSR 100-1.020(1)(A), the Division of Cannabis Regulation (DCR) is granting a variance by modifying the provisions of 19 CSR 100-1.170(1)(A)2 and 19 CSR 100-1.180(1)(A)2 regarding the requirement for manufacturing and dispensary licensees acquiring and transferring marijuana product.

The **current requirement** in 19 CSR 100-1.170(1)(A)2 provides:

2. Acquire and transfer marijuana product from another manufacturing facility to further process;

DCR is **modifying** this provision to provide:

2. Acquire and transfer marijuana product from another manufacturing facility;

The **current requirement** in 19 CSR 100-1.180(1)(A)2 provides:

2. Acquire and transfer marijuana-infused products and prerolls from a manufacturing facility;

DCR is **modifying** this provision to provide:

2. Acquire and transfer marijuana product from a manufacturing facility;

DCR has determined good cause for granting this variance is to provide manufacturing licensees the same ability as cultivation and dispensary licensees to acquire and transfer final marijuana product that has been compliantly packaged and labeled; and provides dispensary licensees the ability to acquire and transfer marijuana product from a manufacturing licensee. See [Permitted Licensee Activities 8.22.24](#) for additional information on licensees permitted activities.

Thank you,

Andrea Balkenbush, Deputy Director  
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