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May 21, 2026

VIA CERTIFIED AND ELECTRONIC MAIL *to:* [redacted]
Hashery LLC
[redacted]

Re: NOTICE OF VIOLATION –**Hashery LLC;** INV 49 2026

Dear [redacted],

This letter is a Notice of Violation ("Notice"), issued by the New Jersey Cannabis Regulatory Commission ("NJ-CRC") in accordance with N.J.A.C. 17:30-20.4 to Hashery LLC ("Hashery"). An investigation which commenced on April 20, 2026, and remains ongoing as of the date of this Notice revealed Hashery committed the following violation:

1. **Violation 1: N.J.A.C. 17:30-9.5(b)-** A medical cannabis dispensary or cannabis retailer shall not operate as a retail food establishment, as defined at N.J.A.C. 8:24-1.5, and the sale of food, beverages, alcohol, or tobacco on the premises of a cannabis business are prohibited; except that sales of food to personnel of such cannabis business on the premises in an area separated from the physical plant, such as an employee break room; or consumption of food brought by or delivered to, qualifying patients, designated caregivers, or consumers in a cannabis consumption area are permitted, where allowed by law.

Upon review of Hashery's surveillance footage, it was determined that on April 20, 2026, a coffee station was set up in the interior of the dispensary's entrance and vendor staff were actively serving coffee to consumers.

Within 20 business days of the receipt of the Notice of Violation, Hashery shall (1) Correct the violation; (2) Notify the Commission, in writing, with a postmark date that is within 20 business days of the date of receipt of the Notice of Violation, of any corrective actions taken to correct the violations, and the date of implementation of such corrective actions.

This Notice of Violation satisfies the NJ-CRC's responsibility to provide five-day notice before any enforcement action shall be taken, as required by N.J.A.C. 17:30-20.5. Hashery is notified that the above-referenced violations may result in the imposition of civil monetary penalties in accordance with the schedule set forth at N.J.A.C. 17:30- 20.7.

N.J.A.C. 17:30-20.5(a) establishes that: "In response to a violation of any provision of the Act or this chapter, the Commission is authorized to take enforcement action or impose sanctions upon a license holder. Sanctions may include, but are not limited to, civil monetary penalties; suspension, revocation, non-renewal, or denial of a license; referral to State or local law enforcement, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:30-20.6, 20.7, and 20.8; or any combination thereof." Corrective action taken by Hashery does not preclude the NJ-CRC from imposing penalties but may be taken into consideration when considering the penalty to be imposed for each violation. N.J.A.C. 17:30- 20.6(f)(4).

Hashery has acted in violation of the adult use regulations, by operating as a retail food establishment in serving beverages to consumers at its dispensary.

The NJ-CRC hereby orders Hashery to immediately cease serving beverages and conform its operations with the adult use regulations. The NJ-CRC reserves the right to impose sanctions for these violations.

The NJ-CRC appreciates your expeditious cooperation in this matter. Any questions regarding this correspondence can be sent via e-mail to your assigned Field Monitor.

Sincerely,

Marie-Alaina J. Murdza

Marie-Alaina J. Murdza, Assistant Director
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