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RESOLUTION 2023-104
**MODIFICATION OF NOTICE OF APPLICATION ACCEPTANCE TO
INCORPORATE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLASS 3, CLASS 4, AND CLASS 6 LICENSE
APPLICATIONS AND TO UPDATE APPLICATION TIMELINE AND SCORING**

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 24:6I-31 through 59 and N.J.A.C. 17:30, the New Jersey Cannabis Regulatory Commission (“Commission” or “NJ-CRC”) is responsible for accepting, reviewing, and making determinations on applications for personal-use cannabis business licenses and for the expansion of Alternative Treatment Center permits to allow for entry into the personal-use cannabis industry; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:30-6.1(b), the NJ-CRC shall accept new license applications and issue additional licenses, as it deems necessary to meet market demands; and

WHEREAS, on November 9, 2021, the Commission approved a Notice of Application Acceptance, which served as public notice and provided guidance to interested parties about the process and procedures for applying for certain personal-use cannabis business licenses and testing laboratory licenses under Resolution 2021-17; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 2021-17 stated that NJ-CRC reserves the right to update the Notice of Application Acceptance, and that any update will be announced at a public meeting, posted on the NJ-CRC website, published in the New Jersey Register, and sent to the NJ-CRC’s e-mail list; and

WHEREAS, the Notice of Application must be updated to be consistent with the Commission’s recent readoption of rules with amendments, specifically the incorporation of Class 3 Wholesaler, Class 4 Distributor, and Class 6 Delivery Service license application requirements and the revised application timelines and scoring; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners and NJ-CRC staff have reviewed the proposed modification of the Notice of Application Acceptance and have determined that it meets the requirements of N.J.S.A. 24:6I-31 through 59 and N.J.A.C. 17:30, and is structured to address anticipated market needs for the personal-use cannabis market without negatively impacting the medicinal cannabis market;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the New Jersey Cannabis Regulatory Commission that the attached modification of the Notice of Application Acceptance to accept

and review applications is hereby approved. The Commission shall review and course correct the process, if needed, no more than 180 days from the date of this Resolution.

Submitted by:



Dianna Houenou, Chair

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Resolution adopted by the Cannabis Regulatory Commission at its meeting held on the 1st day of June, 2023.



Christopher Riggs, Chief Counsel

Vote on the Approval of This Resolution	Motion	Second	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
Commissioner Barker	X		X			
Commissioner Del Cid-Kosso					X	
Vice Chair Delgado			X			
Chairwoman Houenou			X			
Commissioner Nash		X	X			