



MEMORANDUM

TO: CANNABIS REGULATORY COMMISSION BOARD
FROM: CHRISTOPHER RIGGS, ACTING EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
SUBJECT: ANNUAL LICENSE RENEWALS FOR FEBRUARY 2026 THROUGH MAY 2026
DATE: FEBRUARY 12, 2026

BACKGROUND: Adult Use cannabis business licenses are effective for a period of one year from the date of license issuance and are required to be renewed annually. This applies to licenses issued through the normal adult-use licensing process, such as conversions and/or annual licenses, as well as licenses that have been issued to Alternative Treatment Centers to allow for the expansion of those businesses into the Adult Use market.

The annual renewal application consists of submission of the Adult Use Cannabis License Renewal Certification as well as the requisite fee (the fee is dependent on the number and class of licenses up for renewal by each entity – *see below*).

Notably, if the renewal is submitted by an expanded Alternative Treatment Center renewing after its first year of Adult Use operations, the following documents must be submitted:

- Certification as to the continued material accuracy of the expanded ATC’s previously approved ATC license application and its compliance with the provisions of the Act regarding its operations concerning cannabis and cannabis items.
- Updated written approval from the municipalities in which the expanded ATC is located, approving the continued operations as a cannabis business.

If the renewal is submitted by an expanded Alternative Treatment Center renewing after its second year of operations or thereafter, the license renewal process pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:30–7.16 shall be followed.

If the renewal is submitted by an adult-use cannabis business licensee, the license renewal process pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:30–7.16 shall be followed.

It is the obligation of each business to notify the New Jersey Cannabis Regulatory Commission throughout the year of any material changes to their business, including but not limited to the addition/subtraction of owners, onboarding of new employees, and execution of additional contracts. Any changes occurring toward the end of the license year may be submitted with the renewal documentation.

AUTHORITY:

N.J. Admin. Code § 17:30-9.4 (*for Expanded ATCs*)

...(m) An expanded ATC issued cannabis business licenses pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:30–7.1 shall be authorized to use the premises for all activities under the Act and the Jake Honig Compassionate Use Medical Cannabis Act, P.L. 2009, c. 307 (N.J.S.A. 24:6I–1 et seq.), without being required to establish or maintain any physical barriers



or separations between operations related to the medical use of cannabis and operations related to personal use of cannabis items...

...3. Not fewer than 90 days prior to the date on which the expanded ATC's cannabis business license is set to expire after its first year of operations, in order to renew its cannabis business license pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:30–7.16, an expanded ATC shall:

- i. Certify to the Commission as to the continued material accuracy of the expanded ATC's previously approved ATC license application and its compliance with the provisions of the Act regarding its operations concerning cannabis or cannabis items; and
- ii. Submit a new written approval from the municipality in which the expanded ATC is located, approving the continued operations as a cannabis business.

4. After the end of the second year of expanded ATC's licensure, the license renewal process pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:30–7.16 shall be followed.

N.J. Admin. Code § 17:30-7.16 (*for Expanded ATCs in their second year of operations and Adult Use cannabis business licenses*)

(a) A license holder holding an annual license, including an annual license converted from a conditional license, shall renew such annual license annually.

(b) The Commission may renew a license subject to conditions set forth in this chapter.

(c) A license holder shall submit a renewal application and the annual licensing fee pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:30–7.17 no later than 90 days prior to the expiration of the current cannabis business license. Submission within 90 days of expiration of the current cannabis business license may result in a lapse in the cannabis business's licensure and subject the cannabis business to enforcement action.

(d) Pursuant to (c) above, the following may be grounds for denial of a license renewal application:

1. Failure to provide truthful, correct, and current information;
2. Failure to maintain compliance with the Act or this chapter;
3. Failure to maintain its diversely owned business, impact zone business, social equity business, or microbusiness status;
4. The inclusion of a person or entity not deemed qualified to hold a license; or
5. The commission of three or more major violations within the preceding 12 months.

(e) Renewal materials submitted to the Commission pursuant to N.J.S.A. 24:6I–7.2 or this section shall not be considered a public record pursuant to N.J.S.A. 47:1A–1 et seq., or the common law concerning access to government records.



N.J. Admin. Code § 17:30-7.17

- ... 6. Annual microbusiness cannabis cultivator initial or renewal licensing fee
\$1,000
- 7. Annual standard cannabis cultivator initial or renewal licensing fee
 - i. Tier I
\$5,000
 - ii. Tier II
\$10,000
 - iii. Tier III
\$20,000
 - iv. Tier IV
\$30,000
 - v. Tier V
\$40,000
 - vi. Tier VI
\$50,000
- 8. Annual microbusiness cannabis manufacturer initial or renewal licensing fee
\$1,000
- 9. Annual standard cannabis manufacturer initial or renewal licensing fee:
 - i. With premises up to 10,000 square feet
\$20,000
 - ii. With premises greater than 10,000 square feet
\$30,000
- 10. Annual microbusiness cannabis retailer initial or renewal licensing fee
\$1,000
- 11. Annual standard cannabis retailer initial or renewal licensing fee
\$10,000
- 12. Annual microbusiness cannabis wholesaler initial or renewal licensing fee
\$1,000
- 13. Annual standard cannabis wholesaler initial or renewal licensing fee



\$10,000

14. Annual microbusiness cannabis distributor initial or renewal licensing fee

\$1,000

15. Annual standard cannabis distributor initial or renewal licensing fee

\$3,000

16. Annual microbusiness cannabis delivery service initial or renewal licensing fee

\$1,000

17. Annual standard cannabis delivery service initial or renewal licensing fee

\$3,000...

(g) An expanded ATC shall pay initial or renewal licensing fees in accordance with the license(s) it holds, pursuant to (d) above...

ADULT USE CANNABIS BUSINESS LICENSES:

Business Name	License Number	Location	License Expiration	Renewal Fee
Docanna LLC	RE000427	751 Irvington Ave. Maplewood, NJ07040	2/17/2026	\$10,000
Xena NJ LLC	RE000052	759A Bergen Ave. Jersey City, NJ07306	2/19/2026	\$10,000
Bango New Jersey Inc.	M000248	4801 Lake Rd. Newfield, NJ08344	2/23/2026	\$20,000
Legal Distribution LLC	RE000796	3112 Atlantic Ave. Atlantic City, NJ08401	2/23/2026	\$1,000
Canna Caviar LLC	M000088	190 William St. STE2B South River, NJ08882	2/27/2026	\$1,000
Curaleaf NJ II**	RE000009	191 Route 130 Bordentown, NJ08505	2/27/2026	\$10,000
Green Lightning Cultivation LLC	M000251	1503 Taylors Ln. Cinnaminson, NJ08077	2/27/2026	\$20,000
CannaBoy TreeHouse LLC	RE000130	57 South Orange Ave. West South Orange, NJ07079	2/28/2026	\$1,000
Fresh Grow LLC	C000186	15 Worlds Fair Dr. Somerset, NJ08873	2/28/2026	\$20,000
FullTilt Labs LLC	C000107	374 Eggerts Crossing Rd. Ewing, NJ08638	2/28/2026	\$1,000
North Lake Supply LLC	C000143	47 Augusta Hill Rd. Augusta, NJ07822	2/28/2026	\$20,000



Business Name	License Number	Location	License Expiration	Renewal Fee
Timber 5 LLC	RE000149	695 Hamilton St. Somerset, NJ 08873	2/28/2026	\$1,000
G2 Dispensary LLC	RE000160	350 Route 46 STE 121 Rockaway, NJ 07866	3/1/2026	\$10,000
Illicit Gardens NJ LLC	C000329	144 Route 94 Lafayette, NJ 07848	3/4/2026	\$10,000
Illicit Gardens NJ LLC	M000219	144 Route 94 Lafayette, NJ 07848	3/4/2026	\$20,000
Flower & Flame, LLC	RE000219	601 College Dr. Blackwood, NJ 08012	3/5/2026	\$10,000
The Dispensary of Somerset	RE000589	920 Hamilton St #950 Somerset, NJ 08873	3/5/2026	\$10,000
The Dispensary of Union	RE000373	1603 Route 22 W Union, NJ 07083	3/5/2026	\$10,000
Botera Harrison LLC	RE000269	701 Frank E Rodgers Blvd. N Harrison, NJ 07029	3/6/2026	\$10,000
Emunio Logistics Inc	W000016	141 Lanza Ave. #16E-2 Garfield, NJ 07026	3/6/2026	\$10,000
Happy Leaf LLC	RE000091	200 N White Horse Pike Somerdale, NJ 08083	3/6/2026	\$1,000
BLOC (JG New Jersey LLC)	RE000384	1075 Easton Ave. Somerset, NJ 08873	3/7/2026	\$10,000
BLOC (JG New Jersey LLC)	RE000385	1761 N Olden Ave. Ewing, NJ 08638	3/7/2026	\$10,000
BLOC (JG New Jersey LLC)	C000202	1474 Prospect St. Ewing, NJ 08638	3/7/2026	\$20,000
HarvestWorks Farm Corporation*	M000012	34-38 Industrial Way East Eatontown, NJ 07724	3/7/2026	\$20,000
Township Green LLC	RE000814	15-17 E Scott Street Riverside, NJ 08075	3/7/2026	\$10,000
Garden State Natural Green Inc	RE000347	4597 Route 27 Kingston, NJ 08528	3/10/2026	\$10,000
The Cannabis Philosophy LLC	M000144	463 E 1st Ave Rear Roselle, NJ 07203	3/10/2026	\$1,000
Nile of NJ LLC	RE000937	5409 Bergenline Ave. #5411 West New York, NJ 07093	3/11/2026	\$10,000
Jerzey Grown LLC	C000095	1401 Bremen Ave. #2B Egg Harbor City, NJ 08215	3/12/2026	\$1,000
Sunnytien LLC	RE000290	3004 Atlantic Ave. Atlantic City, NJ 08401	3/12/2026	\$10,000



BLKB RN LLC	RE000946	176 Woodbridge Ave. Highland Park, NJ08904	3/13/2026	\$10,000
Business Name	License Number	Location	License Expiration	Renewal Fee
GreenStop Wellness LLC	RE000221	516 Tonnelle Avenue Jersey City, NJ07307	3/13/2026	\$10,000
Emunio Logistics Inc	DI000011	141 Lanza Ave. #16E-2 Garfield, NJ07026	3/17/2026	\$3,000
Green Village Services LLC	DI000012	1930 Heck Ave. STE2 Neptune, NJ07753	3/17/2026	\$3,000
J&J Cannabis LLC	RE000167	3055 Route 23 Oak Ridge, NJ07438	3/17/2026	\$10,000
West Orange Wellness LLC	RE000054	300 William Dalton Drive Glassboro, NJ08028	3/17/2026	\$10,000
Sanctuary Cannabis LLC	RE000816	2581 Route 22 Scotch Plains, NJ07076	3/18/2026	\$10,000
Blue Violets LLC	RE000817	628 Washington St. Hoboken, NJ07030	3/19/2026	\$1,000
OHM Theory LLC	RE000177	213 US Highway 46 Elmwood Park, NJ07407	3/21/2026	\$10,000
High Rollers Dispensary	RE000164	120 S Indiana Ave. Atlantic City, NJ08401	3/24/2026	\$10,000
Urge New Jersey	RE000074	941 Elizabeth Ave. Elizabeth, NJ07201	3/24/2026	\$1,000
Roots Dispensary LLC	RE000819	4402 Route 130 Willingboro, NJ08046	3/26/2026	\$10,000
Garden Society NJ LLC	M000127	35-95 Eight Street Passaic, NJ07055	3/31/2026	\$20,000
Nirvana Dispensary	RE000823	1134 Route 73 Mount Laurel, NJ08054	3/31/2026	\$10,000
FullTilt Labs LLC	M000047	374 Eggerts Crossing Rd. Ewing, NJ08638	5/16/2026	\$1,000

*Please note that currently, the recommendation for HarvestWorks Farm Corporation is an administrative extension.

** Please note that currently, the recommendation for Curaleaf is an administrative extension, due to ongoing litigation.

COMPLETENESS REVIEW: The Commission requires that each renewal application be submitted on the Adult Use Cannabis License Renewal Certification form. Any material changes or business updates are supplied either via Entity Disclosure Form for the business or submission of contracts, as appropriate. An expanded ATC must submit a new written municipal approval after its first year of operations only. After its second year of operations, the license renewal process pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:30–7.16 shall be followed. Further, all adult-use cannabis business licensees follow the renewal process under N.J.A.C. 17:30–7.16.



All of the above adult-use cannabis business licensees are all compliant with the renewal application requirements under N.J.A.C. 17:30-7.16.

Pursuant to the terms of the FADs, each ATC is required to submit quarterly progress reports that include specifics on good faith efforts being made to ensure business's social equity plan presented in its application or certification to the Commission is being achieved. N.J.A.C. 17:30-9.4(e) A license holder shall make a good faith effort to recruit and employ, or contract with, as vendor-contractors, persons who would otherwise qualify for the provisions at N.J.A.C. 17:30-6.6(a)1 or 2. (Social Equity Business).

A "good faith effort" means that the license applicant or license holder shall demonstrate that it took all necessary and reasonable steps to achieve employee and vendor-contractor participation by the persons who are among the qualifying groups, which by their scope, quality, quantity, intensity, and appropriateness to the objective, could reasonably be expected to obtain sufficient participation from such persons.

The above expanded ATCs have provided the required documentation to satisfy the statutory and regulatory criteria and has made good faith social equity efforts to recruit and employ, or contract with, as vendor-contractors, persons who would otherwise qualify for the provisions at N.J.A.C. 17:30-6.6(a)1 or 2. (Social Equity Business).

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommend renewal of the above licenses and authorization to continue operations for the next license year. The applicants have submitted all the requisite information and documentation to support their application for renewal, have satisfied the requirements of the Commission and have satisfied the requirements of the applicable regulations. As noted above, the only exceptions are HarvestWorks Farm Corporation and Curaleaf NJ II, for which Staff recommends administrative extensions. All submitted documentation has been provided to and reviewed by staff of the Office of Licensing and the Office of Compliance and Investigations, as well as the Directors of those Offices.

CRC staff have determined that these license renewal applications are eligible for approval by the CRC. Therefore, CRC staff recommends the CRC Board approve these renewals.