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RESOLUTION 2026-08-06-06
REGULATION WAIVER REQUEST – DOCKET NO. WR064

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Cannabis Regulatory Commission (“the Commission”), established pursuant to P.L. 2019, c.153, known and cited as the “Jake Honig Compassionate Use Medical Cannabis Act,” is charged with implementing the provisions of that Act as well as P.L.2021, c.16, known and cited as the “New Jersey Cannabis Regulatory, Enforcement Assistance, and Marketplace Modernization Act”; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:30-3.7(a), The Commission, in accordance with the general purposes and intent of the Act and this chapter, may waive a regulatory requirement regarding the operations of a cannabis business, to the extent such waiver does not conflict with any other State law, if in the Commission's determination, such a waiver: (1) is necessary to achieve the purpose of the Act; (2) is necessary to provide access to cannabis items to consumers; and (3) does not create a danger to the public health, safety, or welfare; and

WHEREAS, under Docket Number WR064, Sussex Cultivation LLC requested a waiver of the regulatory requirement that when the cannabis cultivator or cannabis manufacturer receives a written report confirming that the test results of the representative sample do not meet specifications, the cannabis cultivator or cannabis manufacturer shall not sell the batch or lot to another cannabis business and shall destroy the batch or lot or dispose of it by rendering it unrecoverable and unrecognizable, with the following exception: 2. The cannabis business may retest and remediate pursuant to N.J.S.A. 24:6I-35.a(13)(c) as set forth in N.J.A.C. 17:30-16.1(f); and

WHEREAS, the Commission has reviewed the entity’s waiver request and determined that the facts and circumstances as articulated in the entity’s request *does not* meet the requirements of N.J.A.C. 17:30-3.7(a);

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the New Jersey Cannabis Regulatory Commission, that the above waiver request is **DENIED**. The Commission’s reasons for denying this waiver request shall be set forth in the Final Agency Decision sent to the entity.

Submitted by:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "H. Laufer".

Harris Laufer, 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 6th day of August 2026.



Arundhati Mohankumar, Chief Counsel

Vote on the Approval of This Resolution	Motion	Second	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent	Recused
Chair Laufer			X				
Vice Chair Ferraro			X				
Commissioner Mapp			X				
Commissioner Nash	X		X				
Commissioner Kennedy		X	X				