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## *Re:* **FINAL AGENCY DECISION** *APPROVAL OF TESTING LABORATORY LICENSE APPLICATION*

Dear Vinay Kumar Mandhala:

Congratulations! The New Jersey Cannabis Regulatory Commission ("NJ-CRC") has received and reviewed your application for a Testing Laboratory license to operate in the State of New Jersey. Upon the completion of the NJ-CRC's review, your application for a Testing Laboratory license has been approved.

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 24:6I-18, the NJ-CRC shall license testing laboratories that perform testing services of cannabis and cannabis products. As required by N.J.A.C. 17:30-15.2(e), the NJ-CRC shall approve a testing laboratory license application where the applicant (1) submitted a sufficient application that provides all the requested information and presents only truthful information; (2) is qualified for a testing laboratory license pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:30-15.3; and (3) submits a testing laboratory license application fee in accordance with N.J.A.C. 17:30-7.17. The above-referenced entity has satisfied all criteria.

Following this written notice of approval, the license applicant must notify the NJ-CRC within five (5) business days whether it will accept the license, or if it will abandon the license. Acceptance or abandonment of the license can be supplied by a letter from the applicant's listed primary contact, submitted electronically to <u>crc.licensing@crc.nj.gov</u>.

If the Testing Laboratory determines to accept the license, it shall notify the NJ-CRC after any necessary construction or preparation of the testing laboratory is completed and shall then request an onsite assessment pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:30-15.2(g). Following the on-site assessment, if the NJ-CRC is satisfied that the premises, operations, and procedures are consistent with the awardee's application, and compliant with the Act, the regulations, and Laboratory Testing Guidance the NJ-CRC will issue the

Testing Laboratory license to the awarded entity.

As a Testing Laboratory license awardee, the awardee is subject to the New Jersey Cannabis Regulatory, Enforcement Assistance, and Marketplace Modernization ("CREAMM") Act as well as all regulations implementing the CREAMM Act, set forth at N.J.A.C. 17:30. Criminal History background checks shall be completed by each owner, principal, employee, or volunteer. Additionally, the NJ-CRC recommends that the awardee familiarize itself with those sections of the regulation pertaining to Testing Laboratory licenses - N.J.A.C. 17:30-15.1 through 15.5. Specifically, the awardee shall continue to satisfy the regulatory requirements of N.J.A.C. 17:30-15.5 regarding Testing laboratory inspection; authorized conduct; and ongoing material conditions. The awardee may be subject to reporting requirements as deemed necessary by the Director of the Office of Diversity and Inclusion.

Again, congratulations on your successful application and thank you for your interest in working with the NJ-CRC to establish a safe and equitable cannabis industry for the state of New Jersey. Should you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please submit your inquiry to the NJ-CRC Licensing inbox at <u>crc.licensing@crc.nj.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

Dianna Houenou Chairperson New Jersey Cannabis Regulatory Commission