

## State of California—Health and Human Services Agency California Department of Public Health



## May 18, 2018 NOTICE OF PROPOSED READOPT OF EMERGENCY REGULATIONS Emergency Cannabis Regulations - Cannabis Manufacturing Licensing DPH-17-010E

Pursuant to Government Code section 11346.1(a)(2), notice is hereby given that the California Department of Public Health (Department) intends to file a request for readopt of the Emergency Rulemaking with Office of Administrative Law (OAL) that addresses the licensing of cannabis product manufacturers, establishes safety standards for cannabis products, and establishes minimum standards for packaging and labeling of cannabis products. Specifically, Chapter 13 in Title 17, California Code of Regulations, Division 1.

This notice is being provided at least five (5) working days prior to the filing of the proposed readopt of the emergency regulatory action with OAL. If you would like to make comments on the Finding of Emergency, comments must be received by both the Department and OAL within five calendar days of the Department's filing with OAL. Responding to these comments is strictly at the Department's discretion.

A copy of the text of the proposed emergency regulations and a finding of the emergency are enclosed. You may also review the proposed regulatory language and Finding of Emergency, including the specific sections to be readopted, amended, and repealed, on the Department's website at:

https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/OLS/Pages/DPH-17-010E-Emergency-Cannabis-Regulations.aspx.

Upon filing, OAL will have ten (10) calendar days within which to review and make a decision on the proposed readopt of the emergency rulemaking. If approved, OAL will file the regulations with the Secretary of State, and the emergency regulations will become effective on the day of filing. Please note, this advance notice and comment period is not intended to replace the public's ability to comment during the subsequent certification period during the permanent rulemaking process. The Department will hold a 45-day comment period after it has published its notice to make these regulations permanent.

Inquiries concerning this notice may be directed to Linda M. Cortez of the Office of Regulations at (916) 440-7807. In any inquiry, please identify the action by using the Department regulation control number, DPH-17-010E.

