

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND ATTESATION

1. No person seeking to be a director, officer, member, incorporator, or agent of a dispensary, cultivation center, or testing laboratory who has access to the medical cannabis at the dispensary, cultivation center, or testing laboratory shall have had a felony conviction for a crime of violence, a gun offense, tax evasion, fraud, or credit card fraud within the three (3) years preceding the date the application for licensure is filed with ABCA.
2. The ABC Board shall not disqualify an employee of a dispensary, cultivation center, or testing laboratory who has access to medical cannabis at the dispensary, cultivation center, or testing laboratory from working at the dispensary, cultivation center, or testing laboratory solely because the person has been convicted of a felony before filing the application.
3. The undersigned applicant is not a person whose authority to participate in the medical cannabis program has been previously revoked by the ABC Board.
4. The undersigned applicant certifies that he/she does not owe more than \$1000.00 to the District of Columbia government as a result of:
 - a. Fines, penalties or interest assessed pursuant to the Litter Control Administration Action of 1985, effective March 25, 1986 (D.C. Code § 6-2901 et seq.).
 - b. Fines, penalties or interest assessed pursuant to the Illegal Dumping Enforcement Act of 1994, effective May 20, 1994 (D.C. Law 10-117; D.C. Code § 6-2911 et seq.).
 - c. Fines, penalties or interest assessed pursuant to the Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs Civil Infractions Act of 1985, effective October 5, 1986 (D.C. Law 6-42; D.C. Code § 6-2701 et seq.).
 - d. Past due taxes.
5. The undersigned applicant understands that if he/she knowingly falsifies this Certification, ABCA will move to revoke the license or permit for which he/she is applying, and to fine him/her \$1,000.00. He/she further understands that ABCA may conduct an investigation to ascertain the veracity of this certification. The undersigned applicant understands that this Certification is now required as documentation to accompany his/her application for a license or permit, and that by completing this Certification, he/she is not guaranteed that his/her license or permit will be approved. A false statement on this certification requires that ABCA proceed immediately to revoke the license or permit for which the undersigned applicant is not applying for and fine him/her \$1000.00. This certificate is required by the "CLEAN HANDS BEFORE RECEIVING A LICENSE OR PERMIT ACT OF 1996". (Effective May 11, 1996, D.C. Law 11-118, D.C. Code §47-2861 et seq.)
6. The undersigned applicant attests that he/she has knowledge of District and federal laws and regulations relating to cannabis and medical cannabis.
7. The undersigned applicant assumes any and all risk or liability that may result under District of Columbia and federal laws and regulations from participating in the medical cannabis program.
8. The undersigned applicant acknowledges that he/she understands that the medical cannabis laws and enforcement thereof of the District of Columbia and the Federal government are subject to change at any time and that the District of Columbia shall not be liable as a result of these changes;
9. The undersigned applicant attests to the fact that the applicant is the true and actual participant of the

business for which the registration is sought; the applicant intends to carry on the business for the entity identified in the application and not as the agent of any other individual, partnership, association, or corporation not identified in the application; and the registered establishment will be managed by the applicant in person or by a registered manager approved by the Director.

10. The undersigned attests that the applicant understands and is aware that a Director, Officer, Manager, Incorporator, Agent, Manager, and Employee registration may be revoked at any time for the convenience of the District pursuant to the regulations.
11. The undersigned specifically acknowledges receipt and advisement of the notices below. The undersigned agrees to and accepts the limitation of liability against the District, and the requirement to indemnify, hold harmless, and defend the District.

A. **Limitation of Liability** – The District of Columbia shall not be liable to registrant, its employees, agents, business invitees, licensees, customers, clients, family members or guests for any damage, injury, accident, loss, compensation or claim, based on, arising out of or resulting from registrant's participation in the District of Columbia's medical cannabis program, including but not limited to the following: arrest and seizure of persons and/or property, prosecution pursuant to federal laws by federal prosecutors, interruption in registrant's ability to conduct its business; any fire, robbery, theft, mysterious disappearance or any other casualty; the actions of any other registrants or persons. This Limitation of Liability provision shall survive expiration or the earlier termination of this registration if such registration is granted.

B. **Indemnification, Hold Harmless and Defense Obligations** – Registrant hereby indemnifies and holds the District of Columbia, its officers, directors, employees, affiliates and agents ("**Indemnified Parties**") harmless and shall defend the Indemnified Parties (with counsel satisfactory to District of Columbia) from and against any and all losses, costs, damages, liabilities, expenses, claims and judgments (including, without limitation, attorney's fees and court costs) suffered by or claimed against the Indemnified Parties, directly or indirectly, based on, arising out of or resulting from the negligence or willful misconduct of registrant or its employees, contractors, agents, licensees, guests or invitees, any breach or default by registrant in the performance or observance of its covenants or obligations under this registration, or any violations of law by of registrant or its employees, contractors, agents, licensees, guests or invitees.

C. **Federal Prosecution** - The United States Congress has determined that cannabis is a controlled substance and has placed cannabis in Schedule I of the Controlled Substance Act. The District of Columbia's law authorizing the District's medical cannabis program will not excuse any registrant from any violation of the federal laws governing cannabis or authorize any registrant to violate federal laws.

I affirm and certify that all the information provided in this Employee Application is complete, true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that any misrepresentation, falsification or omission of any facts called for in this Employee Application may render the Employee Application void and subject to denial by the ABC Board. I also understand that the making of false statements may be punishable by the imposition of a fine or may constitute the basis for a criminal offense under D.C. Official Code § 22-2514. I authorize ABCA to conduct any investigation it deems necessary and appropriate to ascertain the veracity of the information contained in this Biannual Statement.

Signature

Date

Notarization is not required.