



CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO
LONDON BREED, MAYOR

OFFICE OF SMALL BUSINESS
REGINA DICK-ENDRIZZI, DIRECTOR

September 30, 2019

Ms. Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board
City Hall Room 244
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

RE: BOS File No. 190842: Various Codes - Renewing and Extending Waiver and Refund of Investigation Fee - Persons Registered with the Office of Cannabis - One-Year Extension of Medical Cannabis Dispensary Permits and Temporary Cannabis Business Permits

Small Business Commission Recommendation to the Board of Supervisors: **Approve.**

Dear Ms. Calvillo,

On September 23, 2019 the Small Business Commission (SBC or Commission) heard BOS File No. 190842: Various Codes - Renewing and Extending Waiver and Refund of Investigation Fee - Persons Registered with the Office of Cannabis - One-Year Extension of Medical Cannabis Dispensary Permits and Temporary Cannabis Business Permits. Mr. Tom Temprano, aide to Supervisor Mandelman provided the SBC with an overview of the legislation. He was also joined by Marisa Rodriguez, Director of the Office of Cannabis and Ray Law, Associate Director of Enforcement and Outreach for the Office of Cannabis. The Commission voted unanimously (6-0 with 1 absent) to recommend that the Board of Supervisors approve the legislation.

The Commission enthusiastically supports this proposed ordinance. Specifically, they commended the sponsor's commitment to streamlining existing legislation. Additionally, they applauded the Office of Cannabis's technical assistance and outreach efforts for prospective and existing cannabis businesses in the community.

Thank you for considering the Commission's comments. Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Regina Dick-Endrizzi".

Regina Dick-Endrizzi
Director, Office of Small Business

cc: Rafael Mandelman, Member, Board of Supervisors,

Sophia Kittler, Mayor's Liaison to the Board of Supervisors
Marisa Rodriguez, Director, Office of Cannabis
Lisa Pagan, Office of Economic and Workforce Development
John Carroll, Clerk, Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee