

HOLLAND BRANDS NA, LLC

MRN283288

BACKGROUND & APPLICATION OF INTENT REVIEW

1. Name and address of the proposed Marijuana Establishment:

Holland Brands NA, LLC 1320 South Washington St, North Attleborough, MA 02760

2. Type of license sought (if cultivation, its tier level and outside/inside operation) and information regarding the application submission:

Retail

The application was reopened once (1) for additional information.

3. The applicant is a licensee or applicant for other Marijuana Establishment and/or Medical Marijuana Treatment Center license(s):

The individual associated with this application is also associated with a retail (MRN281800), cultivation (MCN281599), and product manufacturing (MPN281433) applications under the name Native Sun Wellness, Inc.

4. List of all required individuals and their business roles in the Marijuana Establishment:

Individual	Role
Timothy Caraboolad	Owner / Manager

5. List of all required entities and their roles in the Marijuana Establishment:

No other entity appears to have ownership or control over this proposed Marijuana Establishment.

6. Applicant's priority status:

General Applicant

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- 7. The applicant and municipality executed a Host Community Agreement on January 17, 2020.
- 8. The applicant conducted a community outreach meeting on January 4, 2020 and provided documentation demonstrating compliance with Commission regulations.
- 9. The Commission received a municipal response from the municipality on August 21, 2020 stating the applicant was in compliance with all local ordinances or bylaws.
- 10. The applicant proposed the following goals for its Positive Impact Plan:

#	Goal
1	The goal of the program is to provide ADI communities access to the
	following training, educational and mentorship resources, with a goal of
	attracting 25% of attendees from the PTG described above.

SUITABILITY REVIEW

- 11. There were no disclosures of any past civil or criminal actions, occupational license issues, or marijuana-related business interests in other jurisdictions.
- 12. There were no concerns arising from background checks on the individuals or entities associated with the application.

MANAGEMENT AND OPERATIONS REVIEW

- 13. The applicant states that it can be operational within nine (9) months of receiving the provisional license(s).
- 14. The applicant's proposed hours of operation are the following:

Monday – Sunday: 10:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.

- 15. The applicant submitted all applicable and required summaries of plans, policies, and procedures for the operation of the proposed establishment. The summaries were determined to be substantially compliant with the Commission's regulations.
- 16. The applicant proposed the following goals for its Diversity Plan:

#	Goal
1	To hire at least 30% of women as a percentage of all employees.
2	To hire at least 10% minorities as percentage of all employees.

17. Plan for obtaining marijuana or marijuana products (if applicable):

HBNA plans to purchase marijuana and marijuana products from those entities licensed to cultivate and manufacture marijuana and marijuana products under 935 CMR 500.000 et seq.

RECOMMENDATION

Commission staff recommend provisional licensure with the following conditions:

- 1. Final license is subject to inspection to ascertain compliance with Commission regulations;
- 2. Final license is subject to inspection to ascertain compliance with applicable state laws and local codes, ordinances, and bylaws;
- 3. The applicant shall cooperate with and provide information to Commission staff; and
- 4. Provisional licensure is subject to the payment of the appropriate license fee.

The applicant has demonstrated compliance with the laws and regulations of the Commonwealth and suitability for licensure. Therefore, the applicant is recommended for provisional licensure.