

SALISBURY CULTIVATION AND PRODUCTION MANUFACTURING, LLC MCN282530 MPN281819

BACKGROUND & APPLICATION OF INTENT REVIEW

1. Name and address of the proposed Marijuana Establishment:

Salisbury Cultivation and Product Manufacturing LLC D/B/A Root and Bloom 187 Lafayette Road, Salisbury, MA 01952

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

Cultivation – Tier 3/ Indoor (10,001 to 20,000 sq. ft) Product Manufacturing

The application was reopened once for additional information.

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

The applicant is not an applicant or licensee for any other license type.

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

Individual	Role
George Haseltine	Owner / Partner
Bradley Kutcher	Owner / Partner

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

Entity	Role
GBH, Inc.	Entity with Direct or Indirect
	Authority
The Haseltine Family Revocable Trust	Entity with Direct or Indirect Authority



6. Applicant's priority status:

General Applicant

- 7. The applicant and municipality executed a Host Community Agreement on July 15, 2019.
- 8. The applicant conducted a community outreach meeting on August 22, 2019 and provided documentation demonstrating compliance with Commission regulations.
- 9. The Commission sent the municipal notice to the City/Town of Salisbury on April 15, 2020. To date, the Commission has not received a response.
- 10. The applicant proposed the following goals for its Positive Impact Plan:

#	Goal
1	Donate money and time (\$1000.00 and 100 hours) to help nonprofits and
	social service programs in areas of disproportionate impact.
2	Give hiring preference to individuals who are residents of Haverhill,
	Commission-designated Economic Empowerment Priority applicants,
	Commission-designated Social Equity Program participants, Massachusetts
	residents who have past drug convictions, and Massachusetts residents with
	parents or spouses who have drug convictions.

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 one (1) month of receiving the provisional license(s).
- 14. The applicant's proposed hours of operation are the following:

Monday - Sunday: 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 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	Give hiring preference to individuals who are minorities, women, veterans,
	people with disabilities, and people who are LGBTQ+.
2	Contract with suppliers and contractors who are owned by minorities, women,
	veterans, people who are LBGTQ+, and persons with disabilities.

17. Summary of cultivation plan (if applicable):

The applicant submitted a cultivation plan that demonstrates the ability to comply with the Commission's regulations.

18. Summary of products to be produced and/or sold (if applicable):

#	Product
1	Extractions (Rosin, Ice Water Hash, Shatter,
	Wax)
2	Vaporizer Cartridges
3	Chocolate Bars
4	Hard Lozenges (Lemon, Grape, and Cherry
	flavored)
5	Gummy Squares (Lemon, Grape, and Cherry)
6	Baked Goods (Chocolate cookies and Brownies)

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

Not applicable.

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;
- 4. Provisional licensure is subject to the payment of the appropriate license fee; and

5. Final licensure is subject to the applicant providing Commission staff, upon inspection, with a detailed list of all proposed products to be produced with specific information as to types, forms, shapes, colors, and flavors.

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.

