



Massachusetts Cannabis Control Commission

Public Record Request

Marijuana Cultivator

Payment Received:	\$2500	Payment Required:	\$2500
Expiration Date:	03/05/2021		
Issued Date:	03/05/2020		
Original Issued Date:	03/05/2020		
License Number:	MC281411		
General Information:			

ABOUT THE MARIJUANA ESTABLISHMENT

Mailing City: Lowell	Mailing State: MA	Mailing Zip Code: 01851		
Mailing Address 1: 181 Stedman Street		Mailing Address 2: Unit 14		
Business City: Lowell Business State: MA		Business Zip Code: 01851		
Business Address 1: 181 Stedm	an Street	Business Address 2: Unit 14		
Phone Number: 603-296-5036	Email Address: jimstatires@gmail.com			
Business Legal Name: Pure Industries, Inc.				

CERTIFIED DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISES (DBES)

Certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs): Not a DBE

PRIORITY APPLICANT

Priority Applicant: no

Priority Applicant Type: Not a Priority Applicant

Economic Empowerment Applicant Certification Number:

RMD Priority Certification Number:

RMD INFORMATION

Name of RMD: Department of Public Health RMD Registration Number: Operational and Registration Status: To your knowledge, is the existing RMD certificate of registration in good standing?: If no, describe the circumstances below:

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PERSONS WITH DIRECT OF Person with Direct or Indire				
Percentage Of Ownership:	Percentage Of Control: 33.3			
Role: Owner / Partner	Other Role: Director of Cultivation MA Holdings, Inc.	n; Director of Pure Industries,	Inc.; Shareholder and Director of PI	
First Name: Todd	Last Name: Brady		Suffix:	
Gender: Male		User Defined Gender:		
What is this person's race o	r ethnicity?: White (German, Irish, En	glish, Italian, Polish, French)		
Specify Race or Ethnicity:				
Person with Direct or Indire	ot Authority 2			
Percentage Of Ownership:	Percentage Of Control: 33.3			
Role: Owner / Partner	Other Role: Chief Operating Offic PI MA Holdings, Inc.	cer; Director of Pure Industries	, Inc.; Shareholder and Director of	
First Name: Andrew	Last Name: Statires		Suffix:	
Gender: Male		User Defined Gender:		
What is this person's race o	r ethnicity?: White (German, Irish, En	glish, Italian, Polish, French)		
Specify Race or Ethnicity:				
Person with Direct or Indire	et Authority 3			
Percentage Of Ownership:	Percentage Of Control: 33.3			
Role: Owner / Partner	Other Role: Chief Executive Officer; Shareholder and Director of PI MA H		; and Director of Pure Industries, Inc.;	
First Name: James	Last Name: Statires		Suffix:	
Gender: Male		User Defined Gender:		
What is this person's race o	r ethnicity?: White (German, Irish, En	glish, Italian, Polish, French)		
Specify Race or Ethnicity:				
ENTITIES WITH DIRECT OR	INDIRECT AUTHORITY			
Entity with Direct or Indirect		(0 ,, 1 ,00		
Percentage of Control:		f Ownership: 100		
Entity Legal Name: PI MA F	olangs, inc.		Entity DBA:	DBA City:
Entity Description: Sole sha	reholder of Pure Industries, Inc.			
Foreign Subsidiary Narrativ	e:			
Entity Phone: 603-801-527	Entity Email:	tbrady34@gmail.com	Entity Website:	
Entity Address 1: 16192 Co	stal Highway		Entity Address 2:	
Entity City: Lewes	Entity State: I	DE	Entity Zip Code: 19959	
Entity Mailing Address 1: 1	31 Stedman St		Entity Mailing Address 2: Unit 14	
Entity Mailing City: Lowell	Entity Mailing	State: MA	Entity Mailing Zip Code: 01851	
Relationship Description: P	MA Holdings, Inc. is the sole shareh	older of Pure Industries, Inc. N	Ir. Brady, Mr. A. Statires, and Mr. J. Statires are the	

Relationship Description: PI MA Holdings, Inc. is the sole shareholder of Pure Industries, Inc. Mr. Brady, Mr. A. Statires, and Mr. J. Statires are the sole Directors and Shareholders of PI MA Holdings, Inc., each owning shares equal to 33.3% of the company.

CLOSE ASSOCIATES AND MEMBERS

Close Associates or Member	1		
First Name: James	Last Name: S	Statires	Suffix:
Describe the nature of the rela	ationship this person has with the Ma	rijuana Establishment: Mr. Statire	es serves as President, Treasurer, Secretary, and
Director as well as Chief Exec	utive Officer. He is a Director and sha	reholder of PI MA Holdings, Inc.,	with shares equal to 33.3% of the company.
Close Associates or Member 2	2		
First Name: Todd	Last Name: I	Brady	Suffix:
			serves as a Director as well as Director of
Cultivation. He is a Director ar	nd shareholder of PI MA Holdings, Inc	., with shares equal to 33.3% of th	ne company.
Close Associates or Member 3	3		
First Name: Andrew	Last Name:	Statires	Suffix:
		•	es serves as a Director as well as Chief Operating
Unicel. He is a Director and Sr	hareholder of PI MA Holdings, Inc., wi	III SHALES EQUAL IO 53.3% OF THE CO	υπιραπ γ .
CAPITAL RESOURCES - INDIV	IDUALS		
Individual Contributing Capital			
First Name: Andrew	Last Name: Statires Suffix:		
Types of Capital: Monetary/Ec	quity Other Type of Capital: Total V	/alue of the Capital Provided: \$20	00000 Percentage of Initial Capital: 100
Capital Attestation: Yes			
CAPITAL RESOURCES - ENTIT No records found	ïES		
BUSINESS INTERESTS IN OTH Business Interest in Other Stat			
Business Interest of an Owner	r or the Marijuana Establishment: Bus	iness Interest of an Owner	
Owner First Name: Todd	Owner Last Name: Brady	Owner Suffix:	
Entity Legal Name: CO Develo	pment Holdings, Inc.	Entity DBA: Host Cannabis Com	pany
Entity Description: Retail Culti	vation Facility		
Entity Phone: 603-801-5275	Entity Email: tbrady34@gmail.com	Entity Website:	
Entity Address 1: 3555 Moline	Avenue	Entity Address 2: Unit A	
Entity City: Aurora	Entity State: CO	Entity Zip Code: 80010	Entity Country: USA
Entity Mailing Address 1: 355	5 Moline Avenue	Entity Mailing Address 2: Unit A	
Entity Mailing City: Aurora	Entity Mailing State: CO	Entity Mailing Zip Code: 80010	Entity Mailing Country: USA
DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL No records found	INTERESTS		

Establishment Address 2: Unit 14

Establishment City: Lowell

Establishment Zip Code: 01851

Approximate square footage of the Establishment: 14763

How many abutters does this property have?: 58

Have all property abutters have been notified of the intent to open a Marijuana Establishment at this address?: Yes

Cultivation Tier: Tier 02: 5,001 to 10,000 sq. ft.

Cultivation Environment:

FEE QUESTIONS

Cultivation Tier: Tier 02: 5,001 to 10,000 sq. ft. Cultivation Environment: Indoor

HOST COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Host Community Documentation:

Document Category	Document Name	Туре	ID	Upload Date
Community Outreach Meeting Documentation	PureIndustries_CommunityOutreach.pdf	pdf	5c09b9575c9a65176fa44bfd	12/06/2018
Certification of Host Community Agreement	Pure_HCA Certification.pdf	pdf	5c09b9b05c9a65176fa44c01	12/06/2018
Plan to Remain Compliant with Local Zoning	Pure_Plan to Remain Compliant with Local Zoning.pdf	pdf	5c09baf7c9f8321ffd06007d	12/06/2018

Total amount of financial benefits accruing to the municipality as a result of the host community agreement. If the total amount is zero, please enter zero and provide documentation explaining this number.: \$

PLAN FOR POSITIVE IMPACT

Plan to Positively Impact Areas of Disproportionate Impact:

Document Category	Document Name	Туре	ID	Upload Date
Plan for Positive Impact	Pure Industries_ADI_RFI 9.25.19.pdf	pdf	5d8bcd8a8d8d0715f66732c3	09/25/2019
Plan for Positive Impact	Pure Industries[5].pdf	pdf	5d8bcd8ea489aa1afc3ff9e1	09/25/2019

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION NOTIFICATION

Notification: I Understand

INDIVIDUAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION Individual Background Information 1

Role: Owner / Partner	Other Role:
First Name: Andrew	Last Name: Statires Suffix:
\ensuremath{RMD} Association: Not associated with an \ensuremath{RMD}	
Background Question: no	
Individual Background Information 2	
Role: Owner / Partner	Other Role:
First Name: Todd	Last Name: Brady Suffix:
\ensuremath{RMD} Association: Not associated with an \ensuremath{RMD}	
Background Question: no	
Individual Background Information 3	
Role: Owner / Partner	Other Role:
First Name: James	Last Name: Statires Suffix:

Background Question: no

ENTITY BACKGROUND CHECK INFORMATION Entity Background Check Information 1

Role: Parent Company	Other Role:	
Entity Legal Name: PI MA Holdings, Inc.	Entity DBA:	
Entity Description: Sole shareholder of Pur	re Industries, Inc.	
Phone: 603-801-5275	Email: tbrady34@gmail.com	
Primary Business Address 1: 16192 Coast	al Highway	Primary Business Address 2:
Primary Business City: Lewes	Primary Business State: DE	Principal Business Zip Code: 19558
Additional Information:		

MASSACHUSETTS BUSINESS REGISTRATION

Required Business Documentation:

Document Category	Document Name	Туре	ID	Upload
				Date
Articles of Organization	PureIndustries_ArticlesofIncorporation.pdf	pdf	5b98634eaa953e3937b5b651	09/11/2018
Secretary of Commonwealth -	Pure Industries SoC Certificate of Good Standing	pdf	5c09c6787d12851fdf98c9d8	12/06/2018
Certificate of Good Standing	9.18.18.pdf			
Department of Revenue - Certificate of	Scan 2018-12-11 07.34.39.pdf	pdf	5c0fd72d831c7b177943e793	12/11/2018
Good standing				
Bylaws	Pure I Bylaws.pdf	pdf	5cd0590f93608d0f926bf4f8	05/06/2019

No documents uploaded

Massachusetts Business Identification Number: 001333928

Doing-Business-As Name:

DBA Registration City:

BUSINESS PLAN

Business Plan Documentation:

Document Category	Document Name	Туре	ID	Upload Date
Plan for Liability Insurance	Pure_Plan for Obtaining Liability Insurance.pdf	pdf	5c0a7b475e6ec11ff3810d73	12/07/2018
Business Plan	Pure_BusinessPlan.pdf	pdf	5c0ad923ebc94e1fcf00ec30	12/07/2018
Proposed Timeline	Pure_Proposed Timeline.pdf	pdf	5c101a06c7b066175f2ec9cc	12/11/2018

OPERATING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

Policies and Procedures Documentation:

Document Category	Document Name	Туре	ID	Upload Date
Qualifications and training	PureIndustries_QualificationsandTraining.pdf	pdf	5b9865c03f9f81395f1371db	09/11/2018
Maintaining of financial records	Pure Industries_FinancialRecords.pdf	pdf	5b9867245a6f093923e514e9	09/11/2018

Record Keeping procedures	Pure Industries_Recordkeeping.pdf	pdf	5b9867ea03a477392d0a468c	09/11/2018
Personnel policies including	Pure Industries_Personnel.pdf	pdf	5b98747789bc002d9918bfa4	09/11/2018
background checks				
Quality control and testing	Pure Industries_Quality Control and Testing.pdf	pdf	5b98753dcea8212d4c7b69a8	09/11/2018
Policies and Procedures for	Pure_Policies and Procedures for Cultivating.pdf	pdf	5c0a7d0a7d12851fdf98c9f6	12/07/2018
cultivating.				
Restricting Access to age 21 and	Pure_Plan for Restricting Access to Age 21 and	pdf	5c0a7d89cf55121fe9077837	12/07/2018
older	Older.pdf			
Security plan	Pure_Security Plan.pdf	pdf	5c0aa30e3f3b1b178d9cf933	12/07/2018
Prevention of diversion	Pure_Prevention of Diversion.pdf	pdf	5c0aa3bfb8b5131765719ee3	12/07/2018
Storage of marijuana	Pure_Storage of Marijuana.pdf	pdf	5c0aa44e5e6ec11ff3810dea	12/07/2018
Transportation of marijuana	Pure_Transportation of Marijuana.pdf	pdf	5c0aa4ea868cbd200705d87b	12/07/2018
Inventory procedures	Pure_Inventory Procedures.pdf	pdf	5c0aa5061fb80f201103c853	12/07/2018
Dispensing procedures	Pure_Dispensing Procedures.pdf	pdf	5c101cf64b318f178325c772	12/11/2018
Separating recreational from	Pure_Plan for Separating Recreational from Medical	pdf	5c101e3552a57c1797efdefe	12/11/2018
medical operations, if applicable	Operations.pdf			
Diversity plan	Pure Industries - Diversity - 12.18.19.pdf	pdf	5dfa8f30541f65570b94653d	12/18/2019

ATTESTATIONS

I certify that no additional entities or individuals meeting the requirement set forth in 935 CMR 500.101(1)(b)(1) or 935 CMR 500.101(2)(c)(1) have been omitted by the applicant from any marijuana establishment application(s) for licensure submitted to the Cannabis Control Commission.: I Agree

I understand that the regulations stated above require an applicant for licensure to list all executives, managers, persons or entities having direct or indirect authority over the management, policies, security operations or cultivation operations of the Marijuana Establishment; close associates and members of the applicant, if any; and a list of all persons or entities contributing 10% or more of the initial capital to operate the Marijuana Establishment including capital that is in the form of land or buildings.: I Agree

I certify that any entities who are required to be listed by the regulations above do not include any omitted individuals, who by themselves, would be required to be listed individually in any marijuana establishment application(s) for licensure submitted to the Cannabis Control Commission.: | Agree

Notification: I Understand

I certify that any changes in ownership or control, location, or name will be made pursuant to a separate process, as required under 935 CMR 500.104(1), and none of those changes have occurred in this application.:

I certify that to the best knowledge of any of the individuals listed within this application, there are no background events that have arisen since the issuance of the establishment's final license that would raise suitability issues in accordance with 935 CMR 500.801.:

I certify that all information contained within this renewal application is complete and true.:

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION NOTIFICATION

Notifcation: I Understand

COMPLIANCE WITH POSITIVE IMPACT PLAN No records found

COMPLIANCE WITH DIVERSITY PLAN No records found

HOURS OF OPERATION

Date generated: 09/28/2020

Monday From: 8:00 AM	Monday To: 6:00 PM
Tuesday From: 8:00 AM	Tuesday To: 6:00 PM
Wednesday From: 8:00 AM	Wednesday To: 6:00 PM
Thursday From: 8:00 AM	Thursday To: 6:00 PM
Friday From: 8:00 AM	Friday To: 6:00 PM
Saturday From: 8:00 AM	Saturday To: 6:00 PM
Sunday From: 8:00 AM	Sunday To: 6:00 PM

Pure Industries, Inc.

Business Plan

December 7, 2018

2. COMPANY DESCRIPTION

2.1 Structure

Pure Industries is a Massachusetts domestic for-profit corporation interested in applying for a Certificate of Registration from the Massachusetts Cannabis Control Commission (the **"Commission**") to operate a ME in the Commonwealth.

Pure Industries will file, in a form and manner specified by the Commission, an application for licensure as a ME consisting of three packets: An Application of Intent packet; a Background Check packet; and a Management and Operations Profile packet.

2.2 Facility Selection and Business Operations

Pure Industries will be located in the City of Lowell. Pure Industries has leased a facility at 181 Stedman Street in Lowell. The facility is well positioned, zoned appropriately and is located in the midst of an industrial corridor.

Pure Industries will establish inventory controls and procedures for reviewing comprehensive inventories of marijuana in the process of cultivation and finished, stored marijuana; conduct a monthly inventory of marijuana in the process of cultivation and finished, stored marijuana; conduct a comprehensive annual inventory at least once every year after the date of the previous comprehensive inventory; and promptly transcribe inventories if taken by use of an oral recording device.

Pure Industries will tag and track all marijuana seeds, clones, plants, and product using a seed-tosale methodology in a form and manner approved by the Commission.

No marijuana product, including marijuana, will be sold or otherwise marketed that is not tested by Independent Testing Laboratories, except as allowed under 935 CMR 500.000.

Pure Industries will maintain records which will be available for inspection by the Commission upon request. The records will be maintained in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Records will be maintained for at least 12 months.

Pure Industries will obtain and maintain general liability insurance coverage for no less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 in aggregate, annually, and product liability insurance coverage for no less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 in aggregate, annually, except as provided in 935 CMR 500.105(10)(b) or otherwise approved by the Commission. The deductible for each policy will be no higher than \$5,000 per occurrence.

Pure Industries will provide adequate lighting, ventilation, temperature, humidity, space, and equipment, in accordance with applicable provisions of 935 CMR 500.105 and 500.110.

All recyclables and waste, including organic waste composed of or containing finished marijuana and marijuana products, will be stored, secured, and managed in accordance with applicable state and local statutes, ordinances, and regulations. Organic material, recyclable material, solid waste, and liquid waste containing marijuana or by-products of marijuana processing will be disposed of in compliance with all applicable state and federal requirements. Pure Industries will demonstrate consideration of the factors for Energy Efficiency and Conservation outlined in 935 CMR 500.105(15) as part of its operating plan and application for licensure.

Prior to commencing operations, Pure Industries will provide proof of having obtained a surety bond in an amount equal to its licensure fee payable to the Marijuana Regulation Fund. The bond will ensure payment of the cost incurred for the destruction of cannabis goods necessitated by a violation of St. 2016, c. 334, as amended by St. 2017, c. 55 or 935 CMR 500.000 or the cessation of operation of Pure Industries.

Pure Industries and Pure Industries' agents will comply with all local rules, regulations, ordinances, and bylaws.

2.3 Security

Pure Industries will contract with a professional security and alarm company to design, implement, and monitor a comprehensive security plan to ensure that the facility is a safe and secure environment for employees and the local community.

Pure Industries' state-of-the-art security system will consist of perimeter windows, as well as duress, panic, and holdup alarms connected to local law enforcement for efficient notification and response in the event of a security threat. The system will also include a failure notification system that will immediately alert the executive management team if a system failure occurs.

A redundant alarm system will be installed to ensure that active alarms remain operational if the primary system is compromised.

Interior and exterior HD video surveillance of all areas that contain marijuana, entrances, exits, and parking lots will be operational 24/7 and available to the Lowell Police Department. These surveillance cameras will remain operational even in the event of a power outage.

The exterior of the facility and surrounding area will be sufficiently lit, and foliage will be minimized to ensure clear visibility of the area at all times.

Only Pure Industries' registered agents and other authorized visitors (e.g. contractors, vendors) will be allowed access to the facility, and a visitor log will be maintained in perpetuity. All agents and visitors will be required to visibly display an ID badge, and Pure Industries will maintain a current list of individuals with access.

On-site consumption of marijuana by Pure Industries' employees and visitors will be prohibited.

Pure Industries will have security personnel on-site during business hours.

2.4 Cultivation Operations

Pure Industries, Inc. ("Pure Industries") will cultivate, process and package marijuana, and transfer marijuana to other Marijuana Establishments, but not to consumers, in accordance with

Pure Industries' licensed cultivation tier. All phases of the cultivation, processing, and packaging of marijuana by Pure Industries will take place in a designated area that is not visible from a public place without the use of binoculars, aircraft or other optical aids.

Application of pesticides by Pure Industries will be performed in compliance with M.G.L. c. 132B and the regulations promulgated at 333 CMR 2.00 through 333 CMR 14.00. Any testing results indicating noncompliance will be immediately reported to the Commission, who may refer any such result to the Massachusetts Department of Agricultural Resources. In the event that Pure Industries sells or otherwise transfers marijuana to another Marijuana Establishment, Pure Industries will provide documentation of its compliance, or lack thereof, with the testing requirements of 935 CMR 500.160. Pure Industries will only label marijuana with the word "organic" if all cultivation is consistent with US Department of Agriculture organic requirements at 7 CFR 205. Soil for cultivation will meet federal standards identified by the Commission.

Pure Industries' cultivation process will use best practices to limit contamination including, but not limited to, mold, fungus, bacterial diseases, rot, pests, pesticides not in compliance with 500.120(5) for use on marijuana, mildew, and any other contaminant identified as posing potential harm. Any application of plant nutrient to land used for the cultivation of marijuana will comply with St. 2012, c. 262, as amended by St. 2013, c. 118, § 26, and 330 CMR 31.00: *Plant Nutrient Application Requirements for Agricultural Land and Non-agricultural Turf and Lawns*.

Pure Industries, through the use of a POS software, will assign and record a unique, sequential alphanumeric identifier to each cultivation batch for the purposes of production tracking, product labeling, and product recalls.

Cultivation Rooms and Facilities

Cultivation Rooms

- Clone Room
- Mother Room
- Vegetative Room
- Flowering Rooms

Support Rooms

- Supply Storage Room (i.e. organic pesticides, fertilizers)
- General (non-plant) Trash Room
- Plant Trash Room
- Locker Rooms
- Mechanical Room
- Electrical room
- Trim Room
- Dry Room

Technical Specifications

The Pure Industries facility utilizes a water-chilled system/heat to control temperature and humidity levels. Cultivation rooms are individually controlled and monitored through the use of

a Direct Digital Control ("DDC"), which is an automated control of a condition or process by a digital device. Adjustable environmental parameters include heat, humidity, and light control. Cultivation rooms that house plant material will be under video surveillance—as outlined in the Pure Industries Security Policies and Procedures.

Overview of Cultivation Rooms

<u>Clone Room</u>: The Clone Room is initially dedicated to the germination of seeds during ramp up, and then will be used to house clones from mother plants, which will be chosen from initial seed stock. Cloning, the act of taking a genetically identical specimen from mother stock, takes place in the clone room. The Cultivation Technician that oversees the Mother Room and Clone Room propagates plant material and is responsible for the plants' life cycle from cutting to vegetative phase.

<u>Mother Room</u>: The Mother Room houses all selected plants from initial seed stock that meet the characteristics that the Director of Cultivation is looking for in each strain of marijuana. The Mother Room consists of Metal Halide Lights that offer the proper wavelengths of light to encourage rapid growth to produce clones on a weekly basis. The Mother Room light cycle is twenty-four (24) hours of light.

<u>Vegetative Room</u>: The Vegetative Room houses all plants that are in between the Clone Room and Flowering Rooms. LED lights will be used to encourage vegetative growth and proper root establishment. Plant material will also be transitioned from low intensity lighting to high intensity to prevent transplant/light shock. The Vegetative Room light cycle varies between eighteen to twenty-four (18-24) hours of light.

Flowering Rooms: The Flowering Rooms consist of marijuana plants fed from the vegetative room. Marijuana plants are placed under a twelve/twelve (12/12) light cycle to initiate flowering. With the use of LED lights, the flowering marijuana plants receive the correct amount of red/orange wavelengths of light to promote proper flowering behavior. The Flowering Rooms are where the plants' life cycles end; this period can vary from eight to twelve (8-12) weeks.

Safety

All agents will complete mandatory safety training sessions. Pure Industries agents and Pure Industries management will have specific responsibilities to ensure health and safety at the Pure Industries facility:

Health and Safety Responsibilities for Pure Industries Management:

- Ensure the health and safety of Cultivation Technicians;
- Correct any workplace conditions that are hazardous to the health and safety of Cultivation Technicians;
- Inform Cultivation Technicians about any remaining hazards;
- Make copies of the *Workers Compensation Act* and OSHA Regulations available by posting throughout the Facility;

- Ensure agents know their rights and responsibilities under OSHA Regulations and the Act and that they comply with them;
- Provide and maintain protective devices, equipment, and clothing, and ensure that agents use them;
- Provide Cultivation Technicians with education, supervision, and training specific to the Cultivation Facility and equipment used to cultivate; and
- Perform ongoing reviews of policies and procedures and update as needed.

Health and Safety Responsibilities for Pure Industries Agents:

- Take care to protect individual health and safety and the health and safety of others who may be affected by individual's actions;
- Comply with all regulations and other legal requirements;
- Follow established safe work procedures;
- Use the required personal protective equipment;
- Refrain from horseplay or similar conduct that may endanger others;
- Ensure individual ability to work safely is not impaired by drugs or alcohol;
- Report accidents and other incidents (including near misses) to the Director of Cultivation; and
- Report the following to the Director of Cultivation:
 - A hazard that might endanger Pure Industries agents;
 - A problem with personal protective equipment or clothing; and
 - Any suggestions to improve workplace safety.

<u>Cultivation Agent Health and Safety Program</u>: Eight basic components have been identified to help prevent accidents and injuries from occurring within the Cultivation Facility, as well as to help deal effectively with any incidents that do occur. These components are:

- Hazard Identification & Risk Control—determine which hazards are present in the workplace and take steps to eliminate or minimize such hazard.
- Safe Work Procedures:
 - Dealing with wet surfaces;
 - Wearing proper personal protective equipment and clothing;
 - Handling solvents with use of protective gloves and proper ventilation; and
 - Using proper body mechanics when lifting heavy objects.
- Orientation, Education, Training & Supervision—properly prepare agents for job duties and ensure policies and procedures are consistently followed.
- Safety Inspections—regular safety inspections throughout Cultivation Facility, which will help identify workplace hazards so that they can be eliminated or controlled.
- Incident Investigation—determine cause of accident or injury and implement preventive measures.
- Health and Safety Meetings—regular meetings to provide an opportunity for agents and managers to communicate any concerns about health and safety.
- First Aid—determine what level of first aid is necessary on-site.
- Records & Statistics—maintain documentation to help identify recurring problems and ensure that hazardous conditions are corrected.

An annual Health and Safety Program review will be carried out to address current concerns. Smoking is prohibited on Pure Industries property.

Plant Care

Cultivation Technicians will be responsible for all plant maintenance in their assigned cultivation rooms. Responsibilities will include watering/irrigation, potting/re-potting, pruning and Integrated Pest Management (IPM). The IPM Program is designed to control and limit pests and other pathogens through the use of pesticides/fungicides. Cultivation Technicians will maintain appropriate levels of sanitation in all cultivation areas and keep assigned cultivation rooms clean and free from hazards. Toxic items will be labeled, identified appropriately, held, and stored in the cultivation supply room in order to protect marijuana and MIPs from being contaminated.

Irrigation: All plants will be top fed via drip irrigation from a centralized feeding system containing a concentrated two-part fertilizer that will be adjusted to the proper ppm/EC levels that are required for the different stages of the marijuana plant cycle. The irrigation water will also be adjusted to the proper pH level to ensure proper nutrient uptake. Cultivation Technicians are responsible for managing the system. Cultivation Technicians will monitor the flow of irrigation through the system to ensure that all plants are receiving adequate amounts of water. Cultivation Technicians will consult with the Cultivation Manager and Director of Cultivation with regards to irrigation frequency and duration.

<u>*Potting/Re-Potting*</u>: All plants will be using a mixture of coco fiber and perlite in nursery pots. Cultivation Technicians are responsible for potting up plants in their assigned cultivation rooms. Cultivation Technicians will consult with the Cultivation Manager/Director of Cultivation regarding the timing of re-potting in order to maximize plant potential and to ensure that plants do not become root-bound. All Cultivation Technicians will be trained by the Director of Cultivation on proper potting techniques during initial training.

<u>*Pruning*</u>: Marijuana plants will be pruned regularly to encourage adequate growth traits and to maximize flowering sites on the plant. Pruning will also be used to maximize the yield potential of individual plants and also to eliminate flowering sites that do not receive adequate light due to full canopy. Cultivation Technicians will undergo training in this procedure by the Director of Cultivation during initial training to ensure proper techniques.

Pest Control Prevention

Pests and pathogens will be managed and controlled to the greatest extent possible. Pests include insects, diseases, or any unwanted organism that directly or indirectly damages plants. Pure Industries will implement an Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Program to manage and control pest problems. IPM is a systematic approach to managing pests that focuses on long-term prevention or suppression with minimal impact on human health, the environment, and non-target organisms. A successful IPM Program consists of five (5) main categories: sanitation, monitoring, identification of pest problems, control methods, and evaluation.

<u>Sanitation</u>: Maintaining a clean and sterile environment is the most important phase of the IPM program. Agents will be responsible for ensuring assigned cultivation rooms are properly maintained, floors remain free from debris, and that tables on which plants are being grown are clean. Between harvests, Flowering Rooms, including floors, tables and walls, will be treated

with a greenhouse disinfectant. All irrigation systems and lines will be cleaned between harvests. Cultivation Technicians will be required to wear one-piece work jumpsuits during shifts to limit the introduction of unwanted pests/pathogens.

<u>Monitoring</u>: IPM requires a thorough assessment of plants and their overall appearance. Cultivation Technicians will perform visual assessments for their dedicated areas and report any findings to the Cultivation Manager and Director of Cultivation.

<u>Identification of Pest Problems</u>: Visual inspections are the primary method for determining if pest problems exist in the Cultivation Facility. Sticky traps will be used throughout cultivation rooms to allow agents to consistently monitor pests that may be present. If and when a pest/pathogen is identified, Cultivation Technicians will immediately notify the Cultivation Manager and Director of Cultivation in order to minimize the risk of the pest/pathogen from spreading. In conjunction with the Director of Cultivation, the Cultivation Manager will create a remedial plan to eliminate the pest or pathogen.

<u>Control Methods</u>: The goal of the IPM Program is to create and maintain a well-organized and sanitized Cultivation Facility. The use of cultural control methods places a focus on proper environmental conditions and is critical to maintaining them. Biological control methods will be used throughout the Cultivation Facility. Biological agents (plant, animal, or microbe) will be used to control pests. When necessary, Cultivation Technicians will use mechanical controls (i.e. hands-on and exclusion techniques) such as handpicking and destroying pests/or pathogens or destroying plants that are heavily infected in order to prevent other plants from becoming contaminated. Cultivation Technicians will also utilize exclusion methods, such as making sure cultivation room doors remain closed, prohibiting non-essential agents from entering cultivation rooms, and requiring agents to change into uniforms when their shift begins.

Pesticides/fungicides will be applied under the supervision of the Director of Cultivation. There will be no application of any pesticide not in compliance with 500.120(5) in the cultivation of marijuana. To the extent required, the Director of Cultivation will follow all guidelines set forth in Pure Industries' IPM and cultivation will be consistent with U.S. Department of Agriculture organic requirements at 7 CFR Part 205. Pesticide/ fungicide applications by agents are to be discussed in advance with the Director of Cultivation. All applicable pesticide/fungicide label instructions and EPA Worker Protection Standards (WPS) guidelines will be followed. This includes applying the pesticide(s)/ fungicide(s) correctly, using appropriate rates, wearing proper personal protective equipment, posting warning signs, respecting restricted entry levels (REI) and documenting all pesticide/fungicide application information in the cultivation rooms where pesticide/fungicide application occurs. Toxic items will be labeled and identified appropriately, held, and stored in the cultivation supply room in order to protect marijuana from being contaminated.

Soil for cultivation will meet the U.S. Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry's Environmental Media Evaluation Guidelines for residential soil levels.

The cultivation process will use best practices to limit contamination, including but not limited to mold, fungus, bacterial diseases, rot, pests, pesticides not in compliance with 500.120(5) for use on marijuana, mildew, and any other contaminant identified as posing potential harm.

Evaluation: All aspects of the IPM Program will be thoroughly documented, including frequency, rates, methodology, and time/date when applied. Such records will be utilized to determine any necessary changes in the IPM Program and will be retained as part of Pure Industries' recordkeeping requirements.

Cultivation Agent Entrance Procedures

All Cultivation Technicians will enter the Cultivation Facility using the main exterior door. Upon entry, Cultivation Technicians will proceed directly to the Locker Rooms to change into Pure Industries issued uniforms and will then report to their assigned Cultivation Room(s).

Cultivation Flow

<u>*Clone Room*</u>: Initial ramp up begins with the germination of seeds in the Clone Room. Seeds will be germinated in rockwool cubes and housed in the clone room for up to 3-4 weeks. All viable plants will continue to be grown under fluorescent lighting in the Clone Room until determined by the Director of Cultivation that plants are ready to be transitioned into the Vegetative Room.

<u>Vegetative Room</u>: After plants leave the Clone Room they will be transported directly to the Vegetative Room, where they are introduced to high intensity light, which encourages rapid growth. All seeds/clones are repotted into a coco-based media upon entering the Vegetative Room. Marijuana plants will be housed in the Vegetative Room for 2-4 weeks depending on individual, strain-specific characteristics. During the initial ramp up phase, some plants will be diverted into the Mother Room for the purpose of creating mother stock from which future propagation from clone/cuttings will be taken. The Vegetative Room will house plants before they transition into Flowering Rooms.

Mother Room: All mother stock plants are housed in the Mother Room. Plant growth is encouraged through a light cycle and nutrient regimen to produce the maximum amount of cuttings/clones. Cultivation Technicians assigned to the Mother and Clone Rooms will be responsible for taking cuttings from mother stock and propagating within the Clone Room.

Flowering Rooms: After plants are grown in the Vegetative Room, they will be transported directly into Flowering Rooms. In the Flowering Rooms a 12 hour on/12 hour off light cycle flowering will be initiated. Marijuana plants finish their life cycle in the Flowering Rooms and can spend anywhere from 8-12 weeks in the flowering phase. Flowering Rooms may house multiple varieties and different stages of the marijuana flowering phase. All plants will remain properly labeled and tracked using [POS Software] throughout the process. Pure Industries anticipates harvests on a weekly or bi-weekly schedule to ensure a steady flow of marijuana is available.

Production Plan

All initial plant stock will come from the germination of seeds. After initial seed germination, all subsequent plants will be propagated via cutting/clone from mother stock. Under the supervision of the Director of Cultivation, Cultivation Technicians will use a variety of techniques to encourage rapid, vigorous growth in both the Mother and Vegetative Rooms to ensure a sufficient number of plants to feed the Flowering Rooms.

Harvest

When marijuana plants reach full maturity, as determined by the Director of Cultivation or Cultivation Manager by examining the trichomes of the plant, plants will be cut down to the soil line in the Flowering Rooms and transferred to the Trim Room. Trimming will be conducted by a machine while the flowers are wet. Cultivation Technicians engaged in the harvest process will wear gloves to prevent contamination. After marijuana flowers are processed by the mechanical trimmer, they will be moved to the Dry Room. The environmental conditions in the Dry Room will be maintained to ensure the even drying of marijuana flowers. Once dried, marijuana flowers will be packaged in sealed containers in compliance with Commission regulations. Samples of batches are sent out for third-party testing.

Testing

- a. No marijuana product, including marijuana, may be sold or otherwise marketed for adult use that is not capable of being tested by Independent Testing Laboratories, except as allowed under 935 CMR 500.000. Testing of marijuana products will be performed by an Independent Testing Laboratory in compliance with the *Protocol for Sampling and Analysis of Finished Medical Marijuana Products and Marijuana-infused Products*, as amended in November 2016, published by the DPH. Testing of environmental media *(e.g., soils, solid growing media, and water) will be performed in compliance with the Protocol for Sampling and Analysis of Environmental Media for Massachusetts Registered Medical Marijuana Dispensaries* published by the DPH
- b. Pure Industries will have a written policy for responding to laboratory results that indicate contaminant levels are above acceptable limits established in the DPH protocols identified in 935 CMR 500.160(1). Any such policy will include notifying the Commission within 72 hours of any laboratory testing results indicating that the contamination cannot be remediated and disposing of the production batch. The notification must be from both Pure Industries and the Independent Testing Laboratory, separately and directly. The notification from Pure Industries must describe a proposed plan of action for both the destruction of the contaminated product and the assessment of the source of contamination;
- c. Pure Industries will maintain the results of all testing for no less than one year;
- d. The sale of seeds is not subject to these testing provisions;
- e. Clones are subject to these testing provisions but are exempt from testing for metals;
- f. All transportation of marijuana to and from Independent Testing Laboratories providing marijuana testing services will comply with 935 CMR 500.105(13);
- g. All storage of marijuana at a laboratory providing marijuana testing services will comply with 935 CMR 500.105(11);

- h. All excess marijuana will be disposed of in compliance with 935 CMR 500.105(12), either by the Independent Testing Laboratory returning excess marijuana to Pure Industries for disposal or by the Independent Testing Laboratory disposing of it directly; and
- i. No marijuana product will be sold or otherwise marketed for adult use that has not first been tested by an Independent Testing Laboratory and deemed to comply with the standards required under 935 CMR 500.160.

Solid Growing Media Sampling

Cultivation media will be tested in compliance with Commission protocols. Soil for cultivation will meet the ATSDR Environmental Media Evaluation Guidelines (EMEG) for residential soil levels and limits any pesticide residues, until such time that the Commission identifies an alternate federal standard for soil for cultivation. All soils and solid growing media will be sampled and analyzed initially prior to use for cultivation of marijuana, and at least annually, or quarterly if the soil is amended. Specifically, all source soils or solids will be sampled and analyzed prior to use in cultivation and whenever new soils or solids are received from a different source. Samples will be taken from 5% of individual plant containers. Sample collection documentation will identify the sample collection date and start time, participating personnel, a general description of the media and locations sampled, relevant environmental conditions, a description of the sampling procedures and equipment decontamination/cleaning used, and a record of plants or batches that would potentially be impacted should analysis results indicate unacceptable contamination. Agents performing sampling will use decontaminated sampling tools and equipment to ensure that samples are not contaminated. All instructions from the analyzing laboratory will be followed in the transportation of samples. Laboratory analysis will be performed by a laboratory that is:

- Accredited to International Organization for Standardization (ISO) 17025 by a third-party accrediting body that is a signatory to the International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation (ILAC) Mutual Recognition Arrangement; or
- Certified, registered, or accredited by an organization.

Source soils will be sampled and analyzed:

- Prior to use in cultivation;
- Whenever a new source material is utilized; or
- At a rate of one sample per cubic yard of source soil or, when collected prior to distribution among beds or containers, source soil or solids samples will be taken to best represent the overall source soils (e.g., collected from different areas and depths of a stockpile).

Source soils and solids passing initial testing requirements may be stockpiled for later use without requiring re-analysis unless the stockpile has been contaminated or altered while stored. Situations for re-analysis may include, but are not limited to soils that have been amended, mixed with other source soils/solids, subject to pesticide application, used for other purposes, or inundated by flood waters.

Cultivation soils will be analyzed at least annually during the calendar year of use. Solids tested initially as source soils or solids prior to use in cultivation do not require retesting until the following year (or quarter if amended as described below). If amended, the solid growing media/soil used in cultivation will be sampled and analyzed during the quarter in which it was amended. Cultivation soil and solid samples will be collected to represent the broad range of cultivation units, growth stages, and soil and solid types whether from beds or containers.

Sources of solid growing media including soils must be sampled and analyzed prior to use in cultivation and upon any change in the source of solids. Once cleared for use in cultivation, cultivation soils must be sampled and analyzed at least annually and within the quarter that soils are amended. The spatial distribution of samples must be considered to ensure representativeness across the entire cultivation operation. Sampling and analysis frequency, sample locations, and quality control (QC) samples are detailed herein and will comply with all regulatory guidance and will be periodically reviewed and amended to ensure such compliance.

Minimum Sampling and Analysis Frequency for Soils and Solids

Source Soils and Solids

- All source soils and solids will be sampled and analyzed prior to use in cultivation.
- All source soils and solids will be sampled and analyzed whenever a new source material is utilized (e.g., different source soil location or different source solid manufacturer).
- All source soils and solids for initial use must be sampled at the rate of one (1) sample per cubic yard of solid media/soil.
- Source soils and solids passing initial testing requirements may be stockpiled for later use without requiring re-analysis unless the stockpile has been contaminated or altered while stored. Situations for re-analysis may include but are not limited to soils that have been amended, mixed with other source soils/solids, subject to pesticide application, used for other purposes, or inundated by flood waters.

Cultivation Soils or Solids

- All cultivation soils and solid materials will be analyzed at least annually during the calendar year of use. Solids tested initially as source soils or solids prior to use in cultivation do not require retesting until the following year (or quarter if amended as described below).
- If amended, the solid growing media/soil used in cultivation will be sampled and analyzed during the quarter in which it was amended. Note that soil amendment includes any material added to a soil, including other soils, to improve its physical properties, such as water retention, permeability, water infiltration, drainage, aeration, and structure. Note that soil amendment does not include addition of water or fertilizers added solely for nutrients. Materials such as compost or manure that are added for nutrients and to change the character of the soil and that are added in bulk are considered soil amendments for the purpose of this protocol. Application of soil amendments must be consistent with all Commission requirements.
- For cultivation that utilizes beds or other broad area cultivation, solid growing media/soil samples will be collected at the rate of 1 sample per discrete cultivation unit or at least 1 sample per 100 square feet of soil area for larger discrete cultivation units.

- For cultivation that utilizes individual plant containers (as opposed to beds or in-ground cultivation), solid growing media/soil samples will be collected from a minimum of 5 percent of the total number of growing containers.
- Solid growing media samples will be collected to be representative of the horizontal and vertical conditions of the growing configuration.
- When collected prior to distribution among beds or containers, source soil or solids samples will be taken to best represent the overall source soils (e.g., collected from different areas and depths of a stockpile).
- Cultivation soil and solid samples will be collected to represent the broad range of cultivation units, growth stages, and soil and solid types whether from beds or containers.
- Samples will be analyzed individually as grab samples unless the analysis methods used allow analytical reporting limits to be achieved on composite sample analyses that would demonstrate that any single sample in the composite would not exceed the contaminant limits described later in this protocol. In no case may more than five (5) primary samples be composited into a single sample for analysis. When analyzed as a composite, the laboratory results of the composite must demonstrate that each composite subsample is below the relevant contaminant limits, not just the composite itself. For example, if the results of a five-sample composite are reported as 1.0 mg/kg, any one subsample (20% of the total composite) could contain up to 5 mg/kg when accounting for the effective dilution of the other four subsamples (i.e., 1 sample at 5 mg/kg + 4 samples at 0 mg/kg = average of 1 mg/kg).
- Composite samples are not recommended but are allowable to scale sampling and analysis to fit the cultivation scale and approach. However, use of composite samples to demonstrate compliance would require corrective actions on all individual samples should the composite sample fail to achieve acceptable limits on any target analyte.

A diagram of the cultivation area, the sampling design, and the horizontal and vertical location of each sample will be created for each sampling event and maintained on file for review by inspection authorities.

Quality Control (QC) Samples for Soils and Solids

Field duplicate samples will be collected at least annually and one (1) for every twenty (20) field samples of the solid samples collected to provide verification of field and laboratory procedures. Field duplicate samples will be collected and analyzed for each analytical method performed on the samples. Field duplicate samples will not be identified to the laboratory (blind QC). Blank samples are required to provide important information on potential positive bias on any positive results in field samples.

Equipment rinsate blanks are required whenever non-disposable sampling equipment is used to collect samples at multiple locations such as in source soil testing or testing of hydroponic nutrient solutions. Equipment rinsate blanks must be collected at the rate of one (1) per sampling event per sampling equipment type with at least one (1) equipment rinsate blank for every twenty (20) field samples of the same matrix. Where equipment rinsate blanks are not appropriate (i.e., use of disposable sampling equipment, collection of just one sample location, or direct collection into the sampling container), field blanks may be used to evaluate potential for contamination

and potential positive bias at the same frequency of one (1) per sampling event per sampling equipment type with at least one (1) for every twenty (20) field samples of the same matrix.

Water Samples

Pure Industries' water supply will be sufficient for necessary operations. Water will not be sampled because water is from a Public Water Source (PWS) used in solids-based cultivation. Public water analysis records will be maintained by Pure Industries and available to inspectors to demonstrate adequate analysis of the water and exemption from analysis.

Recalls

Pure Industries' policies and procedures for handling voluntary and mandatory recalls of marijuana will be adequate to deal with recalls due to any action initiated at the request or order of the Commission, and any voluntary action by Pure Industries to remove defective or potentially defective marijuana from the market, as well as any action undertaken to promote public health and safety.

Product recalls may be initiated by the Commission or by Pure Industries. In the event of a product recall, the following will transpire to ensure that all impacted consumers are promptly notified and such recalled product is destroyed:

- Knowing the product in question, determine the beginning and end dates in which product needs to be recalled (i.e. establish the recall period);
- Pure Industries will then publicly post the nature of the recall on its website and at its facilities; and
- The recall will clearly explain the situation and instructions on returning the recalled product.

Consumers will return the recalled product to Pure Industries and will be given the option of a refund or credit to be used during that visit. Destruction of the recalled product will occur pursuant to waste disposal requirements.

Waste Disposal

- a) All recyclables and waste, including organic waste composed of or containing finished marijuana and marijuana products, will be stored, secured, and managed in accordance with applicable state and local statutes, ordinances, and regulations.
- b) Liquid waste containing marijuana or by-products of marijuana processing will be disposed of in compliance with all applicable state and federal requirements, including but not limited to, for discharge of pollutants into surface water or groundwater (Massachusetts Clean Waters Act, M.G.L. c. 21 §§ 26 through 53; 314 CMR 3.00: *Surface Water Discharge Permit Program*; 314 CMR 5.00: *Groundwater Discharge Program*; 314 CMR 12.00: *Operation Maintenance and Pretreatment Standards for Wastewater Treatment Works and Indirect Dischargers*; the Federal Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. 1251 *et seq.*, the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit Regulations at 40 CFR Part 122, 314 CMR 7.00: *Sewer System Extension and*

Connection Permit Program), or stored pending disposal in an industrial wastewater holding tank in accordance with 314 CMR 18.00: *Industrial Wastewater Holding Tanks and Containers*.

- c) Organic material, recyclable material, and solid waste generated at a Pure Industries facility be redirected or disposed of as follows:
 - 1. Organic material and recyclable material will be redirected from disposal in accordance with the waste disposal bans described at 310 CMR 19.017: *Waste Bans*.
 - 2. To the greatest extent feasible:
 - i. Any recyclable material as defined in 310 CMR 16.02: *Definitions* will be recycled in a manner approved by the Commission; and
 - ii. Any remaining marijuana waste will be ground and mixed with other organic material as defined in 310 CMR 16.02: *Definitions* such that the resulting mixture renders the marijuana unusable for its original purpose. Once such marijuana waste has been rendered unusable, the mixture may be composted or digested at an aerobic or anaerobic digester at an operation that is in compliance with the requirements of 310 CMR 16.00: *Site Assignment Regulations for Solid Waste Facilities*.
 - iii. Solid waste containing cannabis waste generated at a Pure Industries facility may be ground up and mixed with solid wastes such that the resulting mixture renders the cannabis unusable for its original purposes. Once such cannabis waste has been rendered unusable, it may be brought to a solid waste transfer facility or a solid waste disposal facility (*e.g.*, landfill or incinerator) that holds a valid permit issued by the Department of Environmental Protection or by the appropriate state agency in the state in which the facility is located; or
 - iv. No fewer than two Pure Industries agents must witness and document how the marijuana waste is disposed or otherwise handled (recycled, composted, *etc.*) in accordance with 935 CMR 500.105(12). When marijuana products or waste is disposed or handled, Pure Industries will create and maintain a written or electronic record of the date, the type and quantity disposed or handled, the manner of disposal or other handling, the location of disposal or other handling, and the names of the two Pure Industries agents present during the disposal or other handling, with their signatures. Pure Industries will keep these records for at least three years. This period will automatically be extended for the duration of any enforcement action and may be extended by an order of the Commission.

Energy Efficiency and Conservation

Pure Industries will demonstrate consideration of the following factors:

- a) Identification of potential energy use reduction opportunities (such as natural lighting and energy efficiency measures), and a plan for implementation of such opportunities;
- b) Consideration of opportunities for renewable energy generation, including, where applicable, submission of building plans showing where energy generators could be placed on the site, and an explanation of why the identified opportunities were not pursued, if applicable;

- c) Strategies to reduce electric demand (such as lighting schedules, active load management, and energy storage); and
- d) Engagement with energy efficiency programs offered pursuant to M.G.L. c. 25, § 21, or through municipal lighting plants.

Pure Industries will satisfy minimum energy efficiency and equipment standards established by the Commission and meet all applicable environmental laws, regulations, permits and other applicable approvals, including those related to water quality and solid and hazardous waste management, prior to obtaining a final license under 935 CMR 500.103(2). Pure Industries will adopt and use additional best management practices as determined by the Commission, in consultation with the working group established under St. 2017, c. 55, § 78(b), to reduce energy and water usage, engage in energy conservation and mitigate other environmental impacts, and will provide energy and water usage reporting to the Commission in a form determined by the Commission. Pure Industries will be subject to the following minimum energy efficiency and equipment standards:

- a) The building envelope for all facilities, except greenhouses, must meet minimum Massachusetts Building Code requirements and all Massachusetts amendments (780 CMR: *State Building Code*), International Energy Conservation Code (IECC) Section C.402 or The American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) Chapters 5.4 and 5.5 as applied or incorporated by reference in 780 CMR: *State Building Code*, except that facilities using existing buildings may demonstrate compliance by showing that the envelope insulation complies with code minimum standards for Type Factory Industrial F-1, as further defined in guidelines issued by the Commission.
- b) The Lighting Power Densities (LPD) for cultivation space must not exceed an average of 36 watts per gross square foot of active and growing space canopy, but for Tier 1 and Tier 2 a requirement of 50 watts per gross square foot of active canopy or growing unless otherwise determined in guidelines issued by the Commission.
- c) Heating Ventilation and Air Condition (HVAC) and dehumidification systems must meet Massachusetts Building Code requirements and all Massachusetts amendments (780 CMR: *State Building Code*), IECC Section C.403 or ASHRAE Chapter 6 as applied or incorporated by reference in (780 CMR: *State Building Code*).
- d) Safety protocols must be established and documented to protect workers and consumers (*e.g.*, eye protection near operating grow light).
- e) Requirements 935 CMR 500.120(11)(b) and (c) will not be required if an indoor marijuana cultivator is generating 100% or more of the onsite load from an onsite clean or renewable resource.
- f) The Commission may further define these standards, or create reasonable exemptions or modifications, through guidelines issued in consultation with the energy and environmental standards working group established under St. 2017, c. 55, § 78(b), including but not limited to provisions for greenhouses and agricultural buildings.
- g) A RMD with a final certificate of registration before March 15, 2018, will have a 12month period to comply with 935 CMR 500.120(11) or until March 23, 2019.

2.5 Benefits to the Municipality

Pure Industries looks forward to working cooperatively with the City of Lowell to ensure that Pure Industries operates as a responsible, contributing member of the Lowell community. Pure Industries anticipates establishing a mutually beneficial relationship with the City in exchange for permitting Pure Industries to site and operate in Lowell. The City stands to benefit in various ways, including but not limited to the following:

- Jobs:
 - A cultivation facility will add numerous full-time jobs, in addition to hiring qualified, local contractors and vendors.
- Monetary Benefits:
 - A Host Community Agreement with significant monetary donations will provide the Town with additional financial benefits beyond local property taxes.
- Access to Quality Product:
 - Pure Industries will allow qualified consumers in the Commonwealth to have access to high quality marijuana and marijuana products that are tested for cannabinoid content and contaminants
- Control:
 - In addition to the Commission, the Lowell Police Department and other municipal departments will have oversight over Pure Industries' security systems and processes.
- Responsibility:
 - Pure Industries is comprised of experienced cultivators and professionals who will be thoroughly background checked and scrutinized by the Commission.
- Economic Development:
 - Pure Industries' renovation of a portion of the proposed building on Stedman Street will revitalize the area and contribute to the overall economic development of the local community.

3. MARKET RESEARCH

3.1 Industry

Pure Industries' proposed location is located in Lowell, Massachusetts.

3.2 Customers

In Massachusetts, sales are expected to increase from \$106 million in 2017 to \$457 million in 2018, and eventually to \$1.4 billion in 2025, according to New Frontier Data.

3.3 Competitors

Pure Industries' competitors include other marijuana cultivators throughout the Commonwealth. Pure believes its industry expertise and commitment to high quality, consistent marijuana will be a competitive advantage over others in the industry.

3.4 Regulations

Pure Industries is a Marijuana Establishment, consistent with the objectives of St. 2016, c. 334, as amended by St. 2017, c. 55 and 935 CMR 500.000.

Pure Industries will be registered to do business in the Commonwealth as a domestic business corporation or another domestic business entity. Pure Industries will maintain the corporation in good standing with the Massachusetts Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Department of Revenue.

Pure Industries will apply for all state and local permits and approvals required to renovate and operate the facility. Pure Industries will also work cooperatively with various municipal departments to ensure that the proposed facility complies with all state and local codes, rules and regulations with respect to design, renovation, operation, and security.

4. FINANCIAL PROJECTIONS

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Production Assumptions					
Wholesale Price per pound	2750.00	2750.00	2500.00	2250.00	2250.00
Cultivation					
Lights in facility	750	750	750	750	750
Pound per light	2.2	2.2	2.5	2.5	2.8
Turns per year	5	5	5	5	5
Pounds per year	8250	8250	9375	9375	10500
Wholesale Revenue					
Flower	22,687,500.00	22,687,500.00	23,437,500.00	21,093,750.00	23,625,000.00
Total Revenue	22,687,500.00	22,687,500.00	23,437,500.00	21,093,750.00	23,625,000.00
COGS	6,806,250.00	6,806,250.00	6,796,875.00	6,117,187.50	6,378,750.00
Gross Profit	15,881,250.00	15,881,250.00	16,640,625.00	14,976,562.50	17,246,250.00
Margin	70%	70%	71%	71%	73%
Operating Expenses	2,000,000.00	2,000,000.00	2,000,000.00	2,000,000.00	2,000,000.00
EBIT	13,881,250.00	13,881,250.00	14,640,625.00	12,976,562.50	15,246,250.00

Plan for Obtaining Liability Insurance

Pure Industries, Inc. ("Pure Industries") plans to contract with Canoplus US to maintain general liability insurance coverage for no less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 in aggregate annually and product liability coverage for no less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence & \$2,000,000 in aggregate annually. The policy deductible will be no higher than \$5,000 per occurrence. Pure Industries will consider additional coverage based on availability & cost-benefit analysis. If adequate coverage is unavailable at a reasonable rate, Pure Industries will place in escrow at least \$250,000 to be expended for liabilities coverage. Any withdrawal from such escrow will be replenished within 10 business days. Pure Industries will keep reports documenting compliance with 935 CMR 500.105(10).



Host Community Agreement Certification Form

The applicant and contracting authority for the host community must complete each section of this form before uploading it to the application. Failure to complete a section will result in the application being deemed incomplete. Instructions to the applicant and/or municipality appear in italics. Please note that submission of information that is "misleading, incorrect, false, or fraudulent" is grounds for denial of an application for a license pursuant to 935 CMR 500.400(1).

Applicant

	me) certify as an authorized representative of
	<i>licant</i>) that the applicant has executed a host
community agreement with of Lowell	(insert name of host community) pursuant
to G.L.c. 94G § 3(d) on 11/21/2018	_(insert date).
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Signature of Authorized Representative of Applicant	

Host Community

1. Eileen Don	sghue, (insert name)	certify that I am the contracti	ing authority or
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Signature of Contracting Authority of Authorized Representative of Host Community

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Community Outreach Meeting Attestation Form

The applicant must complete each section of this form and initial each page before uploading it to the application. Failure to complete a section will result in the application being deemed incomplete. Instructions to the applicant appear in italics. Please note that submission of information that is "misleading, incorrect, false, or fraudulent" is grounds for denial of an application for a license pursuant to 935 CMR 500.400(1).

I, <u>Todd Brady</u>, (*insert name*) attest as an authorized representative of <u>Pure Industries, Inc.</u> (*insert name of applicant*) that the applicant has complied with the requirements of 935 CMR 500 and the guidance for licensed applicants on community outreach, as detailed below.

- 1. The Community Outreach Meeting was held on <u>August 29, 2018</u> (*insert date*).
- 2. A copy of a notice of the time, place, and subject matter of the meeting, including the proposed address of the Marijuana Establishment, was published in a newspaper of general circulation in the city or town on <u>August 21, 2018</u> (*insert date*), which was at least seven calendar days prior to the meeting. A copy of the newspaper notice is attached as Attachment A (*please clearly label the newspaper notice in the upper right hand corner as Attachment A and upload it as part of this document*).
- 3. A copy of the meeting notice was also filed on <u>August 21, 2018</u> (*insert date*) with the city or town clerk, the planning board, the contracting authority for the municipality, and local licensing authority for the adult use of marijuana, if applicable. A copy of the municipal notice is attached as Attachment B (*please clearly label the municipal notice in the upper right-hand corner as Attachment B and upload it as part of this document*).
- 4. Notice of the time, place and subject matter of the meeting, including the proposed address of the Marijuana Establishment, was mailed on <u>August 21, 2018</u> (*insert date*), which was at least seven calendar days prior to the community outreach meeting to abutters of the proposed address of the Marijuana Establishment, and residents within 300 feet of the property line of the petitioner as they appear on the most recent applicable tax list, notwithstanding that the land of any such owner is located in another city or town. A copy of one of the notices sent to abutters and parties of interest as described in this section is attached as Attachment C (*please clearly label the municipal notice in the upper right hand corner as Attachment C and upload it as part of this document; please only include a copy of one notice and please black out the name and the address of the addressee).*



- 5. Information was presented at the community outreach meeting including:
 - a. The type(s) of Marijuana Establishment to be located at the proposed address;
 - b. Information adequate to demonstrate that the location will be maintained securely;
 - c. Steps to be taken by the Marijuana Establishment to prevent diversion to minors;
 - d. A plan by the Marijuana Establishment to positively impact the community; and
 - e. Information adequate to demonstrate that the location will not constitute a nuisance as defined by law.
- 6. Community members were permitted to ask questions and receive answers from representatives of the Marijuana Establishment.

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Attachment B

NOTICE OF COMMUNITY OUTREACH MEETING PURE INDUSTRIES, INC.

Notice is hereby given that Pure Industries, Inc. will hold a Community Outreach Meeting on **August 29, 2018** at 181 Stedman Street, #14, Lowell, MA 01851 between **1:00 – 2:00 PM** to discuss the proposed siting of an Adult Use Marijuana Cultivation Establishment at 181 Stedman Street, #14, Lowell, MA 01851 in accordance with M.G.L. c. 94G and the Massachusetts Cannabis Control Commission's regulations at 935 CMR 500.000 *et seq.*

Topics to be discussed at the meeting will include, but not be limited to:

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Plan to Remain Compliant with Local Zoning

Pure Industries, Inc. ("Pure Industries") will remain compliant at all times with the local zoning requirements set forth in the Lowell's Zoning Ordinance. In accordance with Zoning Ordinance Article 7.10, Pure Industries' proposed marijuana cultivation facility is located in the Limited Industrial Zoning District, which stipulates such facilities are a use allowed by right.

In compliance with 935 CMR 500.110(3), the property is not located within 500 feet of an existing public or private school providing education to children in kindergarten or grades 1 through 12.

Pure Industries will apply for any other local permits required to operate a marijuana cultivation facility at the proposed location.

Pure Industries has already attended several meetings with various municipal officials and boards to discuss Pure Industries' plans for a proposed marijuana cultivation facility and has executed a Host Community Agreement with Lowell. Pure Industries will continue to work cooperatively with various municipal departments, boards, and officials to ensure that Pure Industries' marijuana cultivation facility remains compliant with all local laws, regulations, rules ,and codes with respect to design, construction, operation, and security.

Pure Industries has also retained the law firm Vicente Sederberg LLC to assist with ongoing compliance with local zoning requirements.



ARTICLE VI

Other lawful provisions, and if there are no provisions, this article may be left blank.

Note: The preceding six (6) articles are considered to be permanent and may be changed only by filing appropriate articles of amendment.

ARTICLE VII

The effective date of organization and time the articles were received for filing if the articles are not rejected within the time prescribed by law. If a later effective date is desired, specify such date, which may not be later than the 90th day after the articles are received for filing.

Later Effective Date: Time:

ARTICLE VIII

The information contained in Article VIII is not a permanent part of the Articles of Organization.

a,b. The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation in the commonwealth and the name of the initial registered agent at the registered office:

Name:	HENRY E. KNOE	<u>BLOCK III, ESQ.</u>		
No. and Street:	<u>92 NEWBRIDGE ROAD</u>			
City or Town:	<u>SUDBURY</u>	State: MA	Zip: <u>01776</u>	Country: <u>USA</u>

c. The names and street addresses of the individuals who will serve as the initial directors, president, treasurer and secretary of the corporation (an address need not be specified if the business address of the officer or director is the same as the principal office location):

Title	Individual Name	Address (no PO Box)
	First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code
PRESIDENT	JAMES STATIRES	181 STEDMAN ST. UNIT 14 LOWELL, MA 01851 USA
TREASURER	JAMES STATIRES	181 STEDMAN ST. UNIT 14 LOWELL, MA 01851 USA
SECRETARY	JAMES STATIRES	181 STEDMAN ST. UNIT 14 LOWELL, MA 01851 USA
DIRECTOR	JAMES STATIRES	181 STEDMAN ST. UNIT 14 LOWELL, MA 01851 USA
DIRECTOR	ANDREW STATIRES	181 STEDMAN ST. UNIT 14 LOWELL, MA 01851 USA
DIRECTOR	TODD BRADY	181 STEDMAN ST. UNIT 14 LOWELL, MA 01851 USA

d. The fiscal year end (i.e., tax year) of the corporation: January

e. A brief description of the type of business in which the corporation intends to engage:

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f. The street address (post office boxes are not acceptable) of the principal office of the corporation:

No. and Street: City or Town:

181 STEDMAN ST. UNIT 14 LOWELL State: MA Zip: 01851

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g. Street address where the records of the corporation required to be kept in the Commonwealth are located (<i>post office boxes are not acceptable</i>):							
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which is							
its principal office		an office of its transfer agent					
an office of its secretary/assistant secretary		X its registered office					
Signed this 24 Day of June, acting as incorporator, type it was incorporated, the nam holds or other authority by w TODD BRADY, SOLE INC	in the exact name of the exact name of the person signing which such action is tal	e business entity g on behalf of sai	y, the state or other	jurisdiction where			

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THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

I hereby certify that, upon examination of this document, duly submitted to me, it appears that the provisions of the General Laws relative to corporations have been complied with, and I hereby approve said articles; and the filing fee having been paid, said articles are

deemed to have been filed with me on:

June 24, 2018 11:05 PM

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WILLIAM FRANCIS GALVIN

Secretary of the Commonwealth

BY-LAWS

OF

Pure Industries, Inc.

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ARTICLE I

SHAREHOLDERS

Section 1. Annual Meeting. The Corporation shall hold an annual meeting of shareholders at a time fixed by the Directors. The purposes for which the annual meeting is to be held, in addition to those prescribed by the Articles of Organization, shall be for electing directors and for such other purposes as shall be specified in the notice for the meeting, and only business within such purposes may be conducted at the meeting. In the event an annual meeting is not held at the time fixed in accordance with these Bylaws or the time for an annual meeting is not fixed in accordance with these Bylaws to be held within 13 months after the last annual meeting was held, the Corporation may designate a special meeting held thereafter as a special meeting in lieu of the annual meeting, and the meeting shall have all of the effect of an annual meeting.

Section 2. Special Meetings. Special meetings of the shareholders may be called by the President or by the Directors, and shall be called by the Secretary, or in case of the death, absence, incapacity or refusal of the Secretary, by another officer, if the holders of at least 10 per cent, or such lesser percentage as the Articles of Organization permit, of all the votes entitled to be cast on any issue to be considered at the proposed special meeting sign, date, and deliver to the Secretary one or more written demands for the meeting describing the purpose for which it is to be held. Only business within the purpose or purposes described in the meeting notice may be conducted at a special shareholders' meeting.

Section 3. Place of Meetings. All meetings of shareholders shall be held at the principal office of the Corporation unless a different place is specified in the notice of the meeting or the meeting is held solely by means of remote communication in accordance with Section 11 of this Article.

Section 4. Requirement of Notice. A written notice of the date, time, and place of each annual and special shareholders' meeting describing the purposes of the meeting shall be given to shareholders entitled to vote at the meeting (and, to the extent required by law or the Articles of Organization, to shareholders not entitled to vote at the meeting) no fewer than seven nor more than 60 days before the meeting date. If an annual or special meeting of shareholders is adjourned to a different date, time or place, notice need not be given of the new date, time or place if the new date, time or place, if any, is announced at the meeting before adjournment. If a new record date for the adjourned meeting is fixed, however, notice of the adjourned meeting shall be given under this Section to persons who are shareholders as of the new record date. All notices to shareholders shall conform to the requirements of Article III.

Section 5. Waiver of Notice. A shareholder may waive any notice required by law, the Articles of Organization, or these Bylaws before or after the date and time stated in the notice. The waiver shall be in writing, be signed by the shareholder entitled to the notice, and be delivered to the Corporation for inclusion with the records of the meeting. A shareholder's attendance at a meeting: (a) waives objection to lack of notice or defective notice of the meeting, unless the shareholder at the beginning of the meeting objects to holding the meeting or transacting business at the meeting; and (b) waives objection to consideration of a particular

matter at the meeting that is not within the purpose or purposes described in the meeting notice, unless the shareholder objects to considering the matter when it is presented.

Section 6. Quorum.

(a) Unless otherwise provided by law, or in the Articles of Organization, these Bylaws or a resolution of the Directors requiring satisfaction of a greater quorum requirement for any voting group, a majority of the votes entitled to be cast on the matter by a voting group constitutes a quorum of that voting group for action on that matter. As used in these Bylaws, a voting group includes all shares of one or more classes or series that, under the Articles of Organization or the Massachusetts Business Corporation Act, as in effect from time to time (the "MBCA"), are entitled to vote and to be counted together collectively on a matter at a meeting of shareholders.

(b) A share once represented for any purpose at a meeting is deemed present for quorum purposes for the remainder of the meeting and for any adjournment of that meeting unless (1) the shareholder attends solely to object to lack of notice, defective notice or the conduct of the meeting on other grounds and does not vote the shares or otherwise consent that they are to be deemed present, or (2) in the case of an adjournment, a new record date is or shall be set for that adjourned meeting.

Section 7. Voting and Proxies. Unless the Articles of Organization provide otherwise, each outstanding share, regardless of class, is entitled to one vote on each matter voted on at a shareholders' meeting. A shareholder may vote his or her shares in person or may appoint a proxy to vote or otherwise act for him or her by signing an appointment form, either personally or by his or her attorney-in-fact. An appointment of a proxy is effective when received by the Secretary or other officer or agent authorized to tabulate votes. Unless otherwise provided in the appointment form, an appointment is valid for a period of 11 months from the date the shareholder signed the form or, if it is undated, from the date of its receipt by the officer or agent. An appointment of a proxy is revocable by the shareholder unless the appointment form conspicuously states that it is irrevocable and the appointment is coupled with an interest, as defined in the MBCA. An appointment made irrevocable is revoked when the interest with which it is coupled is extinguished. The death or incapacity of the shareholder appointing a proxy shall not affect the right of the Corporation to accept the proxy's authority unless notice of the death or incapacity is received by the Secretary or other officer or agent authorized to tabulate votes before the proxy exercises his or her authority under the appointment. Α transferee for value of shares subject to an irrevocable appointment may revoke the appointment if he or she did not know of its existence when he or she acquired the shares and the existence of the irrevocable appointment was not noted conspicuously on the certificate representing the shares or on the information statement for shares without certificates. Subject to the provisions of Section 7.24 of the MBCA and to any express limitation on the proxy's authority appearing on the face of the appointment form, the Corporation is entitled to accept the proxy's vote or other action as that of the shareholder making the appointment.

Section 8. Action at Meeting. If a quorum of a voting group exists, favorable action on a matter, other than the election of Directors, is taken by a voting group if the votes cast within the

group favoring the action exceed the votes cast opposing the action, unless a greater number of affirmative votes is required by law, or the Articles of Organization, these Bylaws or a resolution of the Board of Directors requiring receipt of a greater affirmative vote of the shareholders, including more separate voting groups. Directors are elected by a plurality of the votes cast by the shares entitled to vote in the election at a meeting at which a quorum is present. No ballot shall be required for such election unless requested by a shareholder present or represented at the meeting and entitled to vote in the election.

Section 9. Action without Meeting by Written Consent.

(a) Action taken at a shareholders' meeting may be taken without a meeting if the action is taken either: (1) by all shareholders entitled to vote on the action; or (2) to the extent permitted by the Articles of Organization, by shareholders having not less than the minimum number of votes necessary to take the action at a meeting at which all shareholders entitled to vote on the action are present and voting. The action shall be evidenced by one or more written consents that describe the action taken, are signed by shareholders having the requisite votes, bear the date of the signatures of such shareholders, and are delivered to the Corporation for inclusion with the records of meetings within 60 days of the earliest dated consent delivered to the Corporation as required by this Section. A consent signed under this Section has the effect of a vote at a meeting.

(b) If action is to be taken pursuant to the consent of voting shareholders without a meeting, the Corporation, at least seven days before the action pursuant to the consent is taken, shall give notice, which complies in form with the requirements of Article III, of the action (1) to nonvoting shareholders in any case where such notice would be required by law if the action were to be taken pursuant to a vote by voting shareholders at a meeting, and (2) if the action is to be taken pursuant to the consent of less than all the shareholders entitled to vote on the matter, to all shareholders entitled to vote who did not consent to the action. The notice shall contain, or be accompanied by, the same material that would have been required by law to be sent to shareholders in or with the notice of a meeting at which the action would have been submitted to the shareholders for approval.

Section 10. Record Date. The Directors may fix the record date in order to determine the shareholders entitled to notice of a shareholders' meeting, to demand a special meeting, to vote, or to take any other action. If a record date for a specific action is not fixed by the Board of Directors, and is not supplied by law, the record date shall be the close of business either on the day before the first notice is sent to shareholders, or, if no notice is sent, on the day before the meeting or, in the case of action without a meeting by written consent, the date the first shareholder signs the consent. A record date fixed under this Section may not be more than 70 days before the meeting or action requiring a determination of shareholders. A determination of shareholders entitled to notice of or to vote at a shareholders' meeting is effective for any adjournment of the meeting unless the Board of Directors fixes a new record date, which it shall do if the meeting is adjourned to a date more than 120 days after the date fixed for the original meeting.

Section 11. Meetings by Remote Communications. Unless otherwise provided in the Articles of Organization, if authorized by the Directors: any annual or special meeting of shareholders need not be held at any place but may instead be held solely by means of remote communication; and subject to such guidelines and procedures as the Board of Directors may adopt, shareholders and proxyholders not physically present at a meeting of shareholders may, by means of remote communications: (a) participate in a meeting of shareholders; and (b) be deemed present in person and vote at a meeting of shareholders whether such meeting is to be held at a designated place or solely by means of remote communication, provided that: (1) the Corporation shall implement reasonable measures to verify that each person deemed present and permitted to vote at the meeting by means of remote communication is a shareholder or proxyholder; (2) the Corporation shall implement reasonable measures to provide such shareholders and proxyholders a reasonable opportunity to participate in the meeting and to vote on matters submitted to the shareholders, including an opportunity to read or hear the proceedings of the meeting substantially concurrently with such proceedings; and (3) if any shareholder or proxyholder votes or takes other action at the meeting by means of remote communication, a record of such vote or other action shall be maintained by the Corporation.

Section 12. Form of Shareholder Action.

(a) Any vote, consent, waiver, proxy appointment or other action by a shareholder or by the proxy or other agent of any shareholder shall be considered given in writing, dated and signed, if, in lieu of any other means permitted by law, it consists of an electronic transmission that sets forth or is delivered with information from which the Corporation can determine (i) that the electronic transmission was transmitted by the shareholder, proxy or agent or by a person authorized to act for the shareholder, proxy or agent; and (ii) the date on which such shareholder, proxy, agent or authorized person transmitted the electronic transmission. The date on which the electronic transmission is transmitted shall be considered to be the date on which it was signed. The electronic transmission shall be considered received by the Corporation if it has been sent to any address specified by the Corporation for the purpose or, if no address has been specified, to the principal office of the Corporation, addressed to the Secretary or other officer or agent having custody of the records of proceedings of shareholders.

(b) Any copy, facsimile or other reliable reproduction of a vote, consent, waiver, proxy appointment or other action by a shareholder or by the proxy or other agent of any shareholder may be substituted or used in lieu of the original writing for any purpose for which the original writing could be used, but the copy, facsimile or other reproduction shall be a complete reproduction of the entire original writing.

Section 13. Shareholders List for Meeting.

(a) After fixing a record date for a shareholders' meeting, the Corporation shall prepare an alphabetical list of the names of all its shareholders who are entitled to notice of the meeting. The list shall be arranged by voting group, and within each voting group by class or series of shares, and show the address of and number of shares held by each shareholder, but need not include an electronic mail address or other electronic contact information for any shareholder.

(b) The shareholders list shall be available for inspection by any shareholder, beginning two business days after notice is given of the meeting for which the list was prepared and continuing through the meeting: (1) at the Corporation's principal office or at a place identified in the meeting notice in the city where the meeting will be held; or (2) on a reasonably accessible electronic network, provided that the information required to gain access to such list is provided with the notice of the meeting. If the meeting is to be held solely by means of remote communication, the list shall be made available on an electronic network.

(c) A shareholder, his or her agent, or attorney is entitled on written demand to inspect and, subject to the requirements of Section 2(c) of Article VI of these Bylaws, to copy the list, during regular business hours and at his or her expense, during the period it is available for inspection.

(d) The Corporation shall make the shareholders list available at the meeting, and any shareholder or his or her agent or attorney is entitled to inspect the list at any time during the meeting or any adjournment.

ARTICLE II

DIRECTORS

Section 1. Powers. All corporate power shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of the Corporation shall be managed under the direction of, its Board of Directors.

Section 2. Number and Election. The Board of Directors shall consist of one or more individuals, with the number fixed by the shareholders at the annual meeting or by the Board of Directors, but, unless otherwise provided in the Articles of Organization, if the Corporation has more than one shareholder, the number of Directors shall not be less than three, except that whenever there shall be only two shareholders, the number of Directors shall not be less than three belows than two. Except as otherwise provided in these Bylaws or the Articles of Organization, the Directors shall be elected by the shareholders at the annual meeting.

Section 3. Vacancies. If a vacancy occurs on the Board of Directors, including a vacancy resulting from an increase in the number of Directors: (a) the shareholders may fill the vacancy; (b) the Board of Directors may fill the vacancy; or (c) if the Directors remaining in office constitute fewer than a quorum of the Board, they may fill the vacancy by the affirmative vote of a majority of all the Directors remaining in office. A vacancy that will occur at a specific later date may be filled before the vacancy occurs but the new Director may not take office until the vacancy occurs.

Section 4. Change in Size of the Board of Directors. The number of Directors may be fixed or changed from time to time by the shareholders or the Board of Directors, and the Board of Directors may increase or decrease the number of Directors last approved by the shareholders.

Section 5. Tenure. The terms of all Directors shall expire at the next annual shareholders' meeting following their election. A decrease in the number of Directors does not shorten an incumbent Director's term. The term of a Director elected to fill a vacancy shall expire at the next shareholders' meeting at which Directors are elected. Despite the expiration of a Director's term, he or she shall continue to serve until his or her successor is elected and qualified or until there is a decrease in the number of Directors.

Section 6. Resignation. A Director may resign at any time by delivering written notice of resignation to the Board of Directors, its chairman, or to the Corporation. A resignation is effective when the notice is delivered unless the notice specifies a later effective date.

Section 7. Removal. The shareholders may remove one or more Directors with or without cause. A Director may be removed for cause by the Directors by vote of a majority of the Directors then in office. A Director may be removed by the shareholders or the Directors only at a meeting called for the purpose of removing him or her, and the meeting notice must state that the purpose, or one of the purposes, of the meeting is removal of the Director.

Section 8. Regular Meetings. Regular meetings of the Board of Directors may be held at such times and places as shall from time to time be fixed by the Board of Directors without notice of the date, time, place or purpose of the meeting.

Section 9. Special Meetings. Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called by the President, by the Secretary, by any two Directors, or by one Director in the event that there is only one Director.

Section 10. Notice. Special meetings of the Board must be preceded by at least two days' notice of the date, time and place of the meeting. The notice need not describe the purpose of the special meeting. All notices to directors shall conform to the requirements of Article III.

Section 11. Waiver of Notice. A Director may waive any notice before or after the date and time of the meeting. The waiver shall be in writing, signed by the Director entitled to the notice, or in the form of an electronic transmission by the Director to the Corporation, and filed with the minutes or corporate records. A Director's attendance at or participation in a meeting waives any required notice to him or her of the meeting unless the Director at the beginning of the meeting, or promptly upon his or her arrival, objects to holding the meeting or transacting business at the meeting and does not thereafter vote for or assent to action taken at the meeting.

Section 12. Quorum. A quorum of the Board of Directors consists of a majority of the Directors then in office, provided always that any number of Directors (whether one or more and whether or not constituting a quorum) constituting a majority of Directors present at any meeting or at any adjourned meeting may make any reasonable adjournment thereof.

Section 13. Action at Meeting. If a quorum is present when a vote is taken, the affirmative vote of a majority of Directors present is the act of the Board of Directors. A Director who is present at a meeting of the Board of Directors or a committee of the Board of Directors when corporate action is taken is considered to have assented to the action taken unless: (a) he or

she objects at the beginning of the meeting, or promptly upon his or her arrival, to holding it or transacting business at the meeting; (b) his or her dissent or abstention from the action taken is entered in the minutes of the meeting; or (c) he or she delivers written notice of his or her dissent or abstention to the presiding officer of the meeting before its adjournment or to the Corporation immediately after adjournment of the meeting. The right of dissent or abstention is not available to a Director who votes in favor of the action taken.

Section 14. Action Without Meeting. Any action required or permitted to be taken by the Directors may be taken without a meeting if the action is taken by the unanimous consent of the members of the Board of Directors. The action must be evidenced by one or more consents describing the action taken, in writing, signed by each Director, or delivered to the Corporation by electronic transmission, to the address specified by the Corporation for the purpose or, if no address has been specified, to the principal office of the Corporation, addressed to the Secretary or other officer or agent having custody of the records of proceedings of Directors, and included in the minutes or filed with the corporate records reflecting the action taken. Action taken under this Section is effective when the last Director signs or delivered under this Section has the effect of a meeting vote and may be described as such in any document.

Section 15. Telephone Conference Meetings. The Board of Directors may permit any or all Directors to participate in a regular or special meeting by, or conduct the meeting through the use of, any means of communication by which all Directors participating may simultaneously hear each other during the meeting. A Director participating in a meeting by this means is considered to be present in person at the meeting.

Section 16. Committees. The Board of Directors may create one or more committees and appoint members of the Board of Directors to serve on them. Each committee may have one or more members, who serve at the pleasure of the Board of Directors. The creation of a committee and appointment of members to it must be approved by a majority of all the Directors in office when the action is taken. Article III and Sections 10 through 15 of this Article shall apply to committee may exercise the authority of the Board of Directors. A committee may not, however: (a) authorize distributions; (b) approve or propose to shareholders action that the MBCA requires be approved by shareholders; (c) change the number of the Board of Directors, remove Directors from office or fill vacancies on the Board of Directors; (d) amend the Articles of Organization; (e) adopt, amend or repeal Bylaws; or (f) authorize or approve reacquisition of shares, except according to a formula or method prescribed by the Board of Directors. The creation of, delegation of authority to, or action by a committee does not alone constitute compliance by a Director with the standards of conduct described in Section 18 of this Article.

Section 17. Compensation. The Board of Directors may fix the compensation of Directors.

Section 18. Standard of Conduct for Directors.

(a) A Director shall discharge his or her duties as a Director, including his or her duties as a member of a committee: (1) in good faith; (2) with the care that a person in a like position would reasonably believe appropriate under similar circumstances; and (3) in a manner the Director reasonably believes to be in the best interests of the Corporation. In determining what the Director reasonably believes to be in the best interests of the Corporation, a Director may consider the interests of the Corporation's employees, suppliers, creditors and customers, the economy of the state, the region and the nation, community and societal considerations, and the long-term and short-term interests of the Corporation and its shareholders, including the possibility that these interests may be best served by the continued independence of the Corporation.

(b) In discharging his or her duties, a Director who does not have knowledge that makes reliance unwarranted is entitled to rely on information, opinions, reports, or statements, including financial statements and other financial data, if prepared or presented by: (1) one or more officers or employees of the Corporation whom the Director reasonably believes to be reliable and competent with respect to the information, opinions, reports or statements presented; (2) legal counsel, public accountants, or other persons retained by the Corporation, as to matters involving skills or expertise the Director reasonably believes are matters (i) within the particular person's professional or expert competence or (ii) as to which the particular person merits confidence; or (3) a committee of the Board of Directors of which the Director is not a member if the Director reasonably believes the committee merits confidence.

(c) A Director is not liable for any action taken as a Director, or any failure to take any action, if he or she performed the duties of his or her office in compliance with this Section.

Section 19. Conflict of Interest.

(a) A conflict of interest transaction is a transaction with the Corporation in which a Director of the Corporation has a material direct or indirect interest. A conflict of interest transaction is not voidable by the Corporation solely because of the Director's interest in the transaction if any one of the following is true:

(1) the material facts of the transaction and the Director's interest were disclosed or known to the Board of Directors or a committee of the Board of Directors and the Board of Directors or committee authorized, approved, or ratified the transaction;

(2) the material facts of the transaction and the Director's interest were disclosed or known to the shareholders entitled to vote and they authorized, approved, or ratified the transaction; or

(3) the transaction was fair to the Corporation.

(b) For purposes of this Section, and without limiting the interests that may create conflict of interest transactions, a Director of the Corporation has an indirect interest in a transaction if: (1) another entity in which he or she has a material financial interest or in which he or she is a general partner is a party to the transaction; or (2) another entity of which he or she

is a director, officer, or trustee or in which he or she holds another position is a party to the transaction and the transaction is or should be considered by the Board of Directors of the Corporation.

(c) For purposes of clause (1) of subsection (a), a conflict of interest transaction is authorized, approved, or ratified if it receives the affirmative vote of a majority of the Directors on the Board of Directors (or on the committee) who have no direct or indirect interest in the transaction, but a transaction may not be authorized, approved, or ratified under this Section by a single Director. If a majority of the Directors who have no direct or indirect interest in the transaction vote to authorize, approve, or ratify the transaction, a quorum is present for the purpose of taking action under this Section. The presence of, or a vote cast by, a Director with a direct or indirect interest in the transaction does not affect the validity of any action taken under clause (1) of subsection (a) if the transaction is otherwise authorized, approved, or ratified as provided in that subsection.

(d) For purposes of clause (2) of subsection (a), a conflict of interest transaction is authorized, approved, or ratified if it receives the vote of a majority of the shares entitled to be counted under this subsection. Shares owned by or voted under the control of a Director who has a direct or indirect interest in the transaction, and shares owned by or voted under the control of an entity described in clause (1) of subsection (b), may not be counted in a vote of shareholders to determine whether to authorize, approve, or ratify a conflict of interest transaction under clause (2) of subsection (a). The vote of those shares, however, is counted in determining whether the transaction is approved under other Sections of these Bylaws. A majority of the shares, whether or not present, that are entitled to be counted in a vote on the transaction under this subsection constitutes a quorum for the purpose of taking action under this Section.

Section 20. Loans to Directors. The Corporation may not lend money to, or guarantee the obligation of a Director of, the Corporation unless: (a) the specific loan or guarantee is approved by a majority of the votes represented by the outstanding voting shares of all classes, voting as a single voting group, except the votes of shares owned by or voted under the control of the benefited Director; or (b) the Corporation's Board of Directors determines that the loan or guarantee benefits the Corporation and either approves the specific loan or guarantee or a general plan authorizing loans and guarantees. The fact that a loan or guarantee is made in violation of this Section shall not affect the borrower's liability on the loan.

ARTICLE III

MANNER OF NOTICE

All notices hereunder shall conform to the following requirements:

(a) Notice shall be in writing unless oral notice is reasonable under the circumstances. Notice by electronic transmission is written notice.

(b) Notice may be communicated in person; by telephone, voice mail, telegraph, teletype, or other electronic means; by mail; by electronic transmission; or by messenger or delivery service. If these forms of personal notice are impracticable, notice may be communicated by a newspaper of general circulation in the area where published; or by radio, television, or other form of public broadcast communication.

(c) Written notice, other than notice by electronic transmission, if in a comprehensible form, is effective upon deposit in the United States mail, if mailed postpaid and correctly addressed to the shareholder's address shown in the Corporation's current record of shareholders.

(d) Written notice by electronic transmission, if in comprehensible form, is effective: (1) if by facsimile telecommunication, when directed to a number furnished by the shareholder for the purpose; (2) if by electronic mail, when directed to an electronic mail address furnished by the shareholder for the purpose; (3) if by a posting on an electronic network together with separate notice to the shareholder of such specific posting, directed to an electronic mail address furnished by the shareholder for the purpose, upon the later of (i) such posting and (ii) the giving of such separate notice; and (4) if by any other form of electronic transmission, when directed to the shareholder in such manner as the shareholder shall have specified to the Corporation. An affidavit of the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary of the Corporation, the transfer agent or other agent of the Corporation that the notice has been given by a form of electronic transmission shall, in the absence of fraud, be prima facie evidence of the facts stated therein.

(e) Except as provided in subsection (c), written notice, other than notice by electronic transmission, if in a comprehensible form, is effective at the earliest of the following: (1) when received; (2) five days after its deposit in the United States mail, if mailed postpaid and correctly addressed; (3) on the date shown on the return receipt, if sent by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested; or if sent by messenger or delivery service, on the date shown on the return receipt signed by or on behalf of the addressee; or (4) on the date of publication if notice by publication is permitted.

(f) Oral notice is effective when communicated if communicated in a comprehensible manner.

ARTICLE IV

OFFICERS

Section 1. Enumeration. The Corporation shall have a President, a Treasurer, a Secretary and such other officers as may be appointed by the Board of Directors from time to time in accordance with these Bylaws. The Board may appoint one of its members to the office of Chairman of the Board and from time to time define the powers and duties of that office notwithstanding any other provisions of these Bylaws.

Section 2. Appointment. The officers shall be appointed by the Board of Directors. A duly appointed officer may appoint one or more officers or assistant officers if authorized by the

Board of Directors. Each officer has the authority and shall perform the duties set forth in these Bylaws or, to the extent consistent with these Bylaws, the duties prescribed by the Board of Directors or by direction of an officer authorized by the Board of Directors to prescribe the duties of other officers.

Section 3. Qualification. The same individual may simultaneously hold more than one office in the Corporation.

Section 4. Tenure. Officers shall hold office until the first meeting of the Directors following the next annual meeting of shareholders after their appointment and until their respective successors are duly appointed, unless a shorter or longer term is specified in the vote appointing them.

Section 5. Resignation. An officer may resign at any time by delivering notice of the resignation to the Corporation. A resignation is effective when the notice is delivered unless the notice specifies a later effective date. If a resignation is made effective at a later date and the Corporation accepts the future effective date, the Board of Directors may fill the pending vacancy before the effective date if the Board of Directors provides that the successor shall not take office until the effective date. An officer's resignation shall not affect the Corporation's contract rights, if any, with the officer.

Section 6. Removal. The Board of Directors may remove any officer at any time with or without cause. The appointment of an officer shall not itself create contract rights. An officer's removal shall not affect the officer's contract rights, if any, with the Corporation.

Section 7. President. The President when present shall preside at all meetings of the shareholders and, if there is no Chairman of the Board of Directors, of the Directors. He or she shall be the chief executive officer of the Corporation except as the Board of Directors may otherwise provide. The President shall perform such duties and have such powers additional to the foregoing as the Directors shall designate.

Section 8. Treasurer. The Treasurer shall, subject to the direction of the Directors, have general charge of the financial affairs of the Corporation and shall cause to be kept accurate books of accounts. He or she shall have custody of all funds, securities, and valuable documents of the Corporation, except as the Directors may otherwise provide. The Treasurer shall perform such duties and have such powers additional to the foregoing as the Directors may designate.

Section 9. Secretary. The Secretary shall have responsibility for preparing minutes of the Directors' and shareholders' meetings and for authenticating records of the Corporation. The Secretary shall perform such duties and have such powers additional to the foregoing as the Directors shall designate.

Section 10. Standards Of Conduct For Officers. An officer shall discharge his or her duties: (a) in good faith; (b) with the care that a person in a like position would reasonably exercise under similar circumstances; and (c) in a manner the officer reasonably believes to be in the best interests of the Corporation. In discharging his or her duties, an officer, who does not

have knowledge that makes reliance unwarranted, is entitled to rely on information, opinions, reports, or statements, including financial statements and other financial data, if prepared or presented by: (1) one or more officers or employees of the Corporation whom the officer reasonably believes to be reliable and competent with respect to the information, opinions, reports or statements presented; or (2) legal counsel, public accountants, or other persons retained by the Corporation as to matters involving skills or expertise the officer reasonably believes are matters (i) within the particular person's professional or expert competence or (ii) as to which the particular person merits confidence. An officer shall not be liable to the Corporation or its shareholders for any decision to take or not to take any action taken, or any failure to take any action, as an officer, if the duties of the officer are performed in compliance with this Section.

ARTICLE V

PROVISIONS RELATING TO SHARES

Section 1. Issuance and Consideration. The Board of Directors may issue the number of shares of each class or series authorized by the Articles of Organization. The Board of Directors may authorize shares to be issued for consideration consisting of any tangible or intangible property or benefit to the Corporation, including cash, promissory notes, services performed, contracts for services to be performed, or other securities of the Corporation. Before the Corporation issues shares, the Board of Directors shall determine that the consideration received or to be received for shares to be issued is adequate. The Board of Directors shall determine the terms upon which the rights, options, or warrants for the purchase of shares or other securities of the Shares or other securities are to be issued.

Section 2. Share Certificates. If shares are represented by certificates, at a minimum each share certificate shall state on its face: (a) the name of the Corporation and that it is organized under the laws of The Commonwealth of Massachusetts; (b) the name of the person to whom issued; and (c) the number and class of shares and the designation of the series, if any, the certificate represents. If different classes of shares or different series within a class are authorized, then the variations in rights, preferences and limitations applicable to each class and series, and the authority of the Board of Directors to determine variations for any future class or series, must be summarized on the front or back of each certificate. Alternatively, each certificate may state conspicuously on its front or back that the Corporation will furnish the shareholder this information on request in writing and without charge. Each share certificate shall be signed, either manually or in facsimile, by the President or a Vice President and by the Treasurer or an Assistant Treasurer, or any two officers designated by the Board of Directors, and shall bear the corporate seal or its facsimile. If the person who signed, either manually or in facsimile, a share certificate is issued, the certificate shall be nevertheless valid.

Section 3. Uncertificated Shares. The Board of Directors may authorize the issue of some or all of the shares of any or all of the Corporation's classes or series without certificates. The authorization shall not affect shares already represented by certificates until they are surrendered to the Corporation. Within a reasonable time after the issue or transfer of shares without certificates, the Corporation shall send the shareholder a written statement of the information required by the MBCA to be on certificates.

Section 4. Record and Beneficial Owners. The Corporation shall be entitled to treat as the shareholder the person in whose name shares are registered in the records of the Corporation or, if the Board of Directors has established a procedure by which the beneficial owner of shares that are registered in the name of a nominee will be recognized by the Corporation as a shareholder, the beneficial owner of shares to the extent of the rights granted by a nominee certificate on file with the Corporation.

Section 5. Lost or Destroyed Certificates. The Board of Directors of the Corporation may, subject to Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 106, Section 8-405, determine the conditions upon which a new share certificate may be issued in place of any certificate alleged to have been lost, destroyed, or wrongfully taken. The Board of Directors may, in its discretion, require the owner of such share certificate, or his or her legal representative, to give a bond, sufficient in its opinion, with or without surety, to indemnify the Corporation against any loss or claim which may arise by reason of the issue of the new certificate.

ARTICLE VI

CORPORATE RECORDS

Section 1. Records to be Kept.

(a) The Corporation shall keep as permanent records minutes of all meetings of its shareholders and Board of Directors, a record of all actions taken by the shareholders or Board of Directors without a meeting, and a record of all actions taken by a committee of the Board of Directors in place of the Board of Directors on behalf of the Corporation. The Corporation shall maintain appropriate accounting records. The Corporation or its agent shall maintain a record of its shareholders, in a form that permits preparation of a list of the names and addresses of all shareholders, in alphabetical order by class of shares showing the number and class of shares held by each. The Corporation shall maintain its records in written form or in another form capable of conversion into written form within a reasonable time.

(b) The Corporation shall keep within The Commonwealth of Massachusetts a copy of the following records at its principal office or an office of its transfer agent or of its Secretary or Assistant Secretary or of its registered agent:

(i) its Articles or Restated Articles of Organization and all amendments to them currently in effect;

(ii) its Bylaws or restated Bylaws and all amendments to them currently in effect;

(iii) resolutions adopted by its Board of Directors creating one or more classes or series of shares, and fixing their relative rights, preferences, and limitations, if shares issued pursuant to those resolutions are outstanding;

(iv) the minutes of all shareholders' meetings, and records of all action taken by shareholders without a meeting, for the past three years;

(v) all written communications to shareholders generally within the past three years, including the financial statements furnished under Section 16.20 of the MBCA for the past three years;

(vi) a list of the names and business addresses of its current Directors and officers; and

(vii) its most recent annual report delivered to the Massachusetts Secretary of State.

Section 2. Inspection of Records by Shareholders.

(a) A shareholder is entitled to inspect and copy, during regular business hours at the office where they are maintained pursuant to Section 1(b) of this Article, copies of any of the records of the Corporation described in said Section if he or she gives the Corporation written notice of his or her demand at least five business days before the date on which he or she wishes to inspect and copy.

(b) A shareholder is entitled to inspect and copy, during regular business hours at a reasonable location specified by the Corporation, any of the following records of the Corporation if the shareholder meets the requirements of subsection (c) and gives the Corporation written notice of his or her demand at least five business days before the date on which he or she wishes to inspect and copy:

(1) excerpts from minutes reflecting action taken at any meeting of the Board of Directors, records of any action of a committee of the Board of Directors while acting in place of the Board of Directors on behalf of the Corporation, minutes of any meeting of the shareholders, and records of action taken by the shareholders or Board of Directors without a meeting, to the extent not subject to inspection under subsection (a) of this Section;

(2) accounting records of the Corporation, but if the financial statements of the Corporation are audited by a certified public accountant, inspection shall be limited to the financial statements and the supporting schedules reasonably necessary to verify any line item on those statements; and

- (3) the record of shareholders described in Section 1(a) of this Article.
- (c) A shareholder may inspect and copy the records described in subsection (b) only

if:

(1) his or her demand is made in good faith and for a proper purpose;

(2) he or she describes with reasonable particularity his or her purpose and the records he or she desires to inspect;

(3) the records are directly connected with his or her purpose; and

(4) the Corporation shall not have determined in good faith that disclosure of the records sought would adversely affect the Corporation in the conduct of its business.

(d) For purposes of this Section, "shareholder" includes a beneficial owner whose shares are held in a voting trust or by a nominee on his or her behalf.

Section 3. Scope of Inspection Right.

(a) A shareholder's agent or attorney has the same inspection and copying rights as the shareholder represented.

(b) The Corporation may, if reasonable, satisfy the right of a shareholder to copy records under Section 2 of this Article by furnishing to the shareholder copies by photocopy or other means chosen by the Corporation including copies furnished through an electronic transmission.

(c) The Corporation may impose a reasonable charge, covering the costs of labor, material, transmission and delivery, for copies of any documents provided to the shareholder. The charge may not exceed the estimated cost of production, reproduction, transmission or delivery of the records.

(d) The Corporation may comply at its expense, with a shareholder's demand to inspect the record of shareholders under Section 2(b)(3) of this Article by providing the shareholder with a list of shareholders that was compiled no earlier than the date of the shareholder's demand.

(e) The Corporation may impose reasonable restrictions on the use or distribution of records by the demanding shareholder.

Section 4. Inspection of Records by Directors. A Director is entitled to inspect and copy the books, records and documents of the Corporation at any reasonable time to the extent reasonably related to the performance of the Director's duties as a Director, including duties as a member of a committee, but not for any other purpose or in any manner that would violate any duty to the Corporation.

ARTICLE VII

INDEMNIFICATION

Section 1. Definitions. In this Article the following words shall have the following meanings unless the context requires otherwise:

"Corporation", includes any domestic or foreign predecessor entity of the Corporation in a merger.

"Director" or "officer", an individual who is or was a Director or officer, respectively, of the Corporation or who, while a Director or officer of the Corporation, is or was serving at the Corporation's request as a director, officer, partner, trustee, employee, or agent of another domestic or foreign corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, employee benefit plan, or other entity. A Director or officer is considered to be serving an employee benefit plan at the Corporation's request if his or her duties to the Corporation also impose duties on, or otherwise involve services by, him or her to the plan or to participants in or beneficiaries of the plan. "Director" or "officer" includes, unless the context requires otherwise, the estate or personal representative of a Director or officer.

"Disinterested Director", a Director who, at the time of a vote or selection referred to in Section 4 of this Article, is not (i) a party to the proceeding, or (ii) an individual having a familial, financial, professional, or employment relationship with the Director whose indemnification or advance for expenses is the subject of the decision being made, which relationship would, in the circumstances, reasonably be expected to exert an influence on the Director's judgment when voting on the decision being made.

"Expenses", includes counsel fees.

"Liability", the obligation to pay a judgment, settlement, penalty, fine including an excise tax assessed with respect to an employee benefit plan, or reasonable expenses incurred with respect to a proceeding.

"Party", an individual who was, is, or is threatened to be made, a defendant or respondent in a proceeding.

"Proceeding", any threatened, pending, or completed action, suit, or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative, arbitrative, or investigative and whether formal or informal.

Section 2. Indemnification of Directors and Officers.

(a) Except as otherwise provided in this Section, the Corporation shall indemnify to the fullest extent permitted by law an individual who is a party to a proceeding because he or she is a Director or officer against liability incurred in the proceeding if: (1) (i) he or she conducted himself or herself in good faith; and (ii) he or she reasonably believed that his or her conduct was in the best interests of the Corporation or that his or her conduct was at least not opposed to the best interests of the Corporation; and (iii) in the case of any criminal proceeding, he or she had

no reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was unlawful; or (2) he or she engaged in conduct for which he or she shall not be liable under a provision of the Articles of Organization authorized by Section 2.02(b)(4) of the MBCA or any successor provision to such Section.

(b) A Director's or officer's conduct with respect to an employee benefit plan for a purpose he or she reasonably believed to be in the interests of the participants in, and the beneficiaries of, the plan is conduct that satisfies the requirement that his or her conduct was at least not opposed to the best interests of the Corporation.

(c) The termination of a proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, or conviction, or upon a plea of nolo contendere or its equivalent, is not, of itself, determinative that the Director or officer did not meet the relevant standard of conduct described in this Section.

(d) Unless ordered by a court, the Corporation may not indemnify a Director or officer under this Section if his or her conduct did not satisfy the standards set forth in subsection (a) or subsection (b).

Section 3. Advance for Expenses. The Corporation shall, before final disposition of a proceeding, advance funds to pay for or reimburse the reasonable expenses incurred by a Director or officer who is a party to a proceeding because he or she is a Director or officer if he or she delivers to the Corporation:

(a) a written affirmation of his or her good faith belief that he or she has met the relevant standard of conduct described in Section 2 of this Article or that the proceeding involves conduct for which liability has been eliminated under a provision of the Articles of Organization as authorized by Section 2.02(b)(4) of the MBCA or any successor provision to such Section; and

(b) his or her written undertaking to repay any funds advanced if he or she is not wholly successful, on the merits or otherwise, in the defense of such proceeding and it is ultimately determined pursuant to Section 4 of this Article or by a court of competent jurisdiction that he or she has not met the relevant standard of conduct described in Section 2 of this Article. Such undertaking must be an unlimited general obligation of the Director or officer but need not be secured and shall be accepted without reference to the financial ability of the Director or officer to make repayment.

Section 4. Determination of Indemnification. The determination of whether a Director officer has met the relevant standard of conduct set forth in Section 2 shall be made:

(a) if there are two or more disinterested Directors, by the Board of Directors by a majority vote of all the disinterested Directors, a majority of whom shall for such purpose constitute a quorum, or by a majority of the members of a committee of two or more disinterested Directors appointed by vote;

(b) by special legal counsel (1) selected in the manner prescribed in clause (a); or (2) if there are fewer than two disinterested Directors, selected by the Board of Directors, in which selection Directors who do not qualify as disinterested Directors may participate; or

(c) by the shareholders, but shares owned by or voted under the control of a Director who at the time does not qualify as a disinterested Director may not be voted on the determination.

Section 5. Notification and Defense of Claim; Settlements.

(a) In addition to and without limiting the foregoing provisions of this Article and except to the extent otherwise required by law, it shall be a condition of the Corporation's obligation to indemnify under Section 2 of this Article (in addition to any other condition provide in these Bylaws or by law) that the person asserting, or proposing to assert, the right to be indemnified, must notify the Corporation in writing as soon as practicable of any action, suit, proceeding or investigation involving such person for which indemnity will or could be sought, but the failure to so notify shall not affect the Corporation's objection to indemnify except to the extent the Corporation is adversely affected thereby. With respect to any proceeding of which the Corporation is so notified, the Corporation will be entitled to participate therein at its own expense and/or to assume the defense thereof at its own expense, with legal counsel reasonably acceptable to such person. After notice from the Corporation to such person of its election so to assume such defense, the Corporation shall not be liable to such person for any legal or other expenses subsequently incurred by such person in connection with such action, suit, proceeding or investigation other than as provided below in this subsection (a). Such person shall have the right to employ his or her own counsel in connection with such action, suit, proceeding or investigation, but the fees and expenses of such counsel incurred after notice from the Corporation of its assumption of the defense thereof shall be at the expense of such person unless (1) the employment of counsel by such person has been authorized by the Corporation, (2) counsel to such person shall have reasonably concluded that there may be a conflict of interest or position on any significant issue between the Corporation and such person in the conduct of the defense of such action, suit, proceeding or investigation or (3) the Corporation shall not in fact have employed counsel to assume the defense of such action, suit, proceeding or investigation, in each of which cases the fees and expenses of counsel for such person shall be at the expense of the Corporation, except as otherwise expressly provided by this Article. The Corporation shall not be entitled, without the consent of such person, to assume the defense of any claim brought by or in the right of the Corporation or as to which counsel for such person shall have reasonably made the conclusion provided for in clause (2) above.

(b) The Corporation shall not be required to indemnify such person under this Article for any amounts paid in settlement of any proceeding unless authorized in the same manner as the determination that indemnification is permissible under Section 4 of this Article, except that if there are fewer than two disinterested Directors, authorization of indemnification shall be made by the Board of Directors, in which authorization Directors who do not qualify as disinterested Directors may participate. The Corporation shall not settle any action, suit, proceeding or investigation in any manner which would impose any penalty or limitation on such person without such person's written consent. Neither the Corporation nor such person will unreasonably withhold their consent to any proposed settlement.

Section 6. Insurance. The Corporation may purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of an individual who is a Director or officer of the Corporation, or who, while a Director or

officer of the Corporation, serves at the Corporation's request as a director, officer, partner, trustee, employee, or agent of another domestic or foreign corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, employee benefit plan, or other entity, against liability asserted against or incurred by him or her in that capacity or arising from his or her status as a Director or officer, whether or not the Corporation would have power to indemnify or advance expenses to him or her against the same liability under this Article.

Section 7. Application of this Article.

(a) The Corporation shall not be obligated to indemnify or advance expenses to a Director or officer of a predecessor of the Corporation, pertaining to conduct with respect to the predecessor, unless otherwise specifically provided.

(b) This Article shall not limit the Corporation's power to (1) pay or reimburse expenses incurred by a Director or an officer in connection with his or her appearance as a witness in a proceeding at a time when he or she is not a party or (2) indemnify, advance expenses to or provide or maintain insurance on behalf of an employee or agent.

(c) The indemnification and advancement of expenses provided by, or granted pursuant to, this Article shall not be considered exclusive of any other rights to which those seeking indemnification or advancement of expenses may be entitled.

(d) Each person who is or becomes a Director or officer shall be deemed to have served or to have continued to serve in such capacity in reliance upon the indemnity provided for in this Article. All rights to indemnification under this Article shall be deemed to be provided by a contract between the Corporation and the person who serves as a Director or officer of the Corporation at any time while these Bylaws and the relevant provisions of the MBCA are in effect. Any repeal or modification thereof shall not affect any rights or obligations then existing.

(e) If the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts are hereafter amended from time to time to increase the scope of permitted indemnification, indemnification hereunder shall be provided to the fullest extent permitted or required by any such amendment.

ARTICLE VIII

FISCAL YEAR

The fiscal year of the Corporation shall be the year ending with December 31 in each year.

ARTICLE IX

AMENDMENTS

(a) The power to make, amend or repeal these Bylaws shall be in the shareholders. If authorized by the Articles of Organization, the Board of Directors may also make, amend or repeal these Bylaws in whole or in part, except with respect to any provision thereof which by virtue of an express provision in the MBCA, the Articles of Organization, or these Bylaws, requires action by the shareholders.

(b) Not later than the time of giving notice of the meeting of shareholders next following the making, amending or repealing by the Board of Directors of any By-Law, notice stating the substance of the action taken by the Board of Directors shall be given to all shareholders entitled to vote on amending the Bylaws. Any action taken by the Board of Directors with respect to the Bylaws may be amended or repealed by the shareholders.

(c) Approval of an amendment to the Bylaws that changes or deletes a quorum or voting requirement for action by shareholders must satisfy both the applicable quorum and voting requirements for action by shareholders with respect to amendment of these Bylaws and also the particular quorum and voting requirements sought to be changed or deleted.

(d) A By-Law dealing with quorum or voting requirements for shareholders, including additional voting groups, may not be adopted, amended or repealed by the Board of Directors.

(e) A By-Law that fixes a greater or lesser quorum requirement for action by the Board of Directors, or a greater voting requirement, than provided for by the MBCA may be amended or repealed by the shareholders, or by the Board of Directors if authorized pursuant to subsection (a).

(f) If the Board of Directors is authorized to amend the Bylaws, approval by the Board of Directors of an amendment to the Bylaws that changes or deletes a quorum or voting requirement for action by the Board of Directors must satisfy both the applicable quorum and voting requirements for action by the Board of Directors with respect to amendment of the Bylaws, and also the particular quorum and voting requirements sought to be changed or deleted.



Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Revenue Christopher C. Harding, Commissioner Letter ID: L0646145664 Notice Date: December 10, 2018 Case ID: 0-000-579-351

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PURE INDUSTRIES INC 181 STEDMAN ST OFC 14 LOWELL MA 01851-5200

Why did I receive this notice?

The Commissioner of Revenue certifies that, as of the date of this certificate, PURE INDUSTRIES INC is in compliance with its tax obligations under Chapter 62C of the Massachusetts General Laws.

This certificate doesn't certify that the taxpayer is compliant in taxes such as unemployment insurance administered by agencies other than the Department of Revenue, or taxes under any other provisions of law.

This is not a waiver of lien issued under Chapter 62C, section 52 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

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William Francis Galvin Secretary of the Commonwealth **The Commonwealth of Massachusetts** Secretary of the Commonwealth State Rouse, Boston, Massachusetts 02133

Date: September 17, 2018

To Whom It May Concern :

I hereby certify that according to the records of this office, **PURE INDUSTRIES, INC.**

is a domestic corporation organized on June 24, 2018 , under the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. I further certify that there are no proceedings presently pending under the Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 156D section 14.21 for said corporation's dissolution; that articles of dissolution have not been filed by said corporation; that, said corporation has filed all annual reports, and paid all fees with respect to such reports, and so far as appears of record said corporation has legal existence and is in good standing with this office.



In testimony of which, I have hereunto affixed the Great Seal of the Commonwealth on the date first above written.

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Secretary of the Commonwealth

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Dispensing Procedures

At this time, Pure Industries, Inc. ("Pure Industries") is not applying for retailer licenses. Should Pure Industries apply for a retailer license(s) at a future date, it will update this plan accordingly and will be prepared to comply with all requirements of 935 CMR 500.105, 935 CMR 500.140, and any other laws and regulations associated with the dispensing of marijuana for adult use.

PURE INDUSTRIES, INC.

Diversity Plan

Pure Industries, Inc. ("Pure Industries") believes in creating and sustaining a robust policy of inclusivity and diversity. Pure Industries recognizes that diversity in the workforce is key to the integrity of a company's commitment to its community. Pure Industries is dedicated to promoting equity in its operations for diverse populations, which the Commission has identified as the following:

- 1. Minorities;
- 2. Women;
- 3. Veterans;
- 4. People with disabilities; and
- 5. People who identify as LGBTQ+.

To support such populations, Pure Industries has created the following Diversity Plan (the "Plan") and has identified and created goals/programs to promote equity in Pure Industries' operations.

Goals

In order for Pure Industries to promote equity for the above-listed groups in its operations, Pure Industries has established a goal of increasing the number of individuals falling into the abovelisted demographics working in the establishment through thoughtful recruitment initiatives and retaining employees by providing tools to ensure upward growth in the organization.

Diversity Recruitment and Sourcing

Pure Industries' recruitment efforts are designed to maintain a steady flow of qualified diverse applicants and includes the following steps:

- Advertising employment opportunities and career fairs in diverse publications or other mediums, including bilingual newspapers, networking groups for those who identify as minorities, women, veterans, people with disabilities, and people who identify as LGBTQ + and posting job options on public boards. At least one (1) advertisement will occur whenever a job becomes available;
- Advertising employment opportunities and career fairs with organizations serving minorities, women, people who identify as LGBTQ+, veterans, and persons with disabilities for employment referrals. At least one (1) advertisement will occur whenever a job becomes available;
- Providing at least one (1) briefing to representatives from recruitment sources concerning current and future job openings whenever a job opening becomes available;
- Encouraging employees from diverse groups to refer applicants for employment;

- Participating in career day programs by sending at least (2) employees to Lowell based career day programs and encouraging Pure Industries' diverse employees to participate;
- Participating in or hosting job fairs with a focus on attracting individuals falling into the above-listed demographics. Pure hopes to host at least one (1) job fair annually in the City of Lowell with at least 25% of all open positions filled with applicants hired from the fair, subject to the suitability of the applicants, and will specifically make best efforts to hire at least 15% employees that are women and/or minorities and 10% employees that identify as veterans, LGBTQ+, and with a disability.¹

Employee Retention, Training and Development

Perhaps the most critical element of maintaining a diverse and inclusive workforce is keeping the pathways to professional development and promotion open for all employees. Therefore, Pure Industries' mentoring, training, and professional development programs are structured with the intention of finding, fostering, and promoting diverse employees.

Pure Industries will offer promotions, career counseling, and training to provide all (100%) employees with opportunity for growth and to decrease turnover. Pure Industries will ensure that all employees receive opportunity for career counseling, counsel employees on advancement opportunities, and provide training programs to assist them in career development. Training programs will be both internal and external to the company and cannabis industry, and may include topics such as: marijuana cultivation techniques, product manufacturing techniques, retail practices, compliance, writing, management training, and industry seminars provided at annual conferences such as MJBizCon. Pure Industries anticipates hosting quarterly educational trainings.

Pure Industries' diversity awareness training emphasizes Pure Industries' zero-tolerance commitment of harassment and discrimination and Pure Industries' strict adherence to take corrective action should any issues, concerns, or complaints arise. All Pure Industries employees are required to complete the diversity awareness training program during employee orientation. Training will begin immediately upon hiring, and all new employees will be required to participate in an orientation program that will introduce and stress the importance of the Diversity Plan. Upon completion of the orientation program, new hires will be equipped to describe, discuss, and implement the Diversity Plan. All employees will also be required to complete at least one (1) diversity training each year to ensure knowledge of newly determined best practices and policies and continued familiarity and compliance with the Diversity Plan.

Measuring Progress

The Director of Human Resources at Pure Industries will be responsible for auditing the Diversity Plan annually prior to license renewal. The audit report setting forth the Company's performance in fulfilling the goals of the Plan will contain:

• Employment data, including information on minority, women, disabled, and veteran representation in the workforce in all job classifications; average salary ranges; recruitment and training information (all job categories); and retention and outreach

¹ The above goals and percentages were provided at the Commission's request. Any documentation evidencing such hiring goals will be collected in accordance with applicable employment law standards. These percentages are intended to represent Pure's efforts for hiring a diverse workforce; however, Pure is limited in its ability to confirm the ultimate percentages of these demographics in its workforce due to applicable employment and labor laws.

efforts;

- A comprehensive description of all efforts made by Pure Industries to monitor and enforce the Diversity Plan;
- Number of individuals from the above-referenced demographic groups who were hired and retained after the issuance of a license;
- Number of promotions for people falling into the above-listed demographics since initial licensure;
- Number of positions created since initial licensure;
- Number of and type of information sessions held or participated in with supporting documentation.

Acknowledgements

- Pure Industries will adhere to the requirements set forth in 935 CMR 500.105(4) which provides the permitted and prohibited advertising, branding, marketing, and sponsorship practices of every Marijuana Establishment.
- Any actions taken, or programs instituted, by Pure Industries will not violate the Commission's regulations with respect to limitations on ownership or control or other applicable state laws.

PURE INDUSTRIES, INC.

Maintaining of Financial Records

Pure Industries, Inc.'s ("Pure Industries") operating policies and procedures ensure financial records are accurate and maintained in compliance with the Commission's Adult Use of Marijuana regulations (935 CMR 500). Financial records maintenance measures include policies and procedures requiring that:

- Confidential information will be maintained in a secure location, kept separate from all other records, and will not be disclosed without the written consent of the individual to whom the information applies, or as required under law or pursuant to an order from a court of competent jurisdiction; provided however, the Commission may access this information to carry out its official duties.
- All recordkeeping requirements under 935 CMR 500.105(9) are followed, including:
 - Keeping written business records, available for inspection, and in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, which will include manual or computerized records of:
 - Assets and liabilities;
 - Monetary transactions;
 - Books of accounts, which will include journals, ledgers, and supporting documents, agreements, checks, invoices, and vouchers;
 - Sales records including the quantity, form, and cost of marijuana products; and
 - Salary and wages paid to each employee and any executive compensation, bonus, benefit, or item of value paid to any individual affiliated with a marijuana establishment, including members, if any.
- All sales recording requirements under 935 CMR 500.140(6) are followed, including:
 - Utilizing a point-of-sale (POS) system approved by the Commission, in consultation with the DOR, and a sales recording module approved by DOR;
 - Conducting a monthly analysis of its equipment and sales date, and maintaining records, available to the Commission upon request, that the monthly analysis has been performed;
 - Complying with 830 CMR 62C.25.1: *Record Retention* and DOR Directive 16-1 regarding recordkeeping requirements;
 - Adopting separate accounting practices at the point-of-sale for marijuana and marijuana product sales, and non-marijuana sales;
 - Maintaining such records that would allow for the Commission and the DOR to audit and examine the point-of-sale system used in order to ensure compliance with Massachusetts tax laws and 935 CMR 500; and
 - If colocated with a medical marijuana treatment center, maintaining and providing the Commission on a biannual basis accurate sales data collected by the licensee during the six months immediately preceding this application for the purpose of ensuring an adequate supply of marijuana and marijuana products under 935 CMR 500.140(10).
- Additional written business records will be kept, including, but not limited to, records of:

- Compliance with liability insurance coverage or maintenance of escrow requirements under 935 CMR 500.105(10) and all bond or escrow requirements under 935 CMR 500.105(16);
- Fees paid under 935 CMR 500.005 or any other section of the Commission's regulations; and
- Fines or penalties, if any, paid under 935 CMR 500.550 or any other section of the Commission's regulations.
PURE INDUSTRIES, INC.

Personnel Policies Including Background Checks

Overview

Pure Industries, Inc. ("Pure Industries") will maintain personnel records as a separate category of records due to the sensitivity and importance of information concerning agents, including registration status and background check records. Pure Industries will keep, at a minimum, the following personnel records:

- Job descriptions for each employee and volunteer position, as well as organizational charts consistent with the job descriptions;
- A personnel record for each marijuana establishment agent;
- A staffing plan that will demonstrate accessible business hours and safe conditions;
- Personnel policies and procedures; and
- All background check reports obtained in accordance with 935 CMR 500.030.

Job Descriptions

<u>Director of Security</u>: Under the supervision of the Chief Executive Officer, the Director of Security is responsible for the development and overall management of the Security Policies and Procedures for Pure Industries, while implementing, administering, and revising the policies as needed. In addition, the Director of Security will perform the following duties:

- Provide general training to Pure Industries agents during new hire orientation or recurrent trainings throughout the year;
- Provide training specific for Security Agents prior to the Security Agent commencing job functions;
- Review and approve incident reports and other reports written by Security Agents prior to submitting to the executive management team—follow up with security agent if needed;
- Maintain lists of agents authorized to access designated areas of the Pure Industries facility, including cash and product storage vaults, the surveillance and network equipment room, and other highly sensitive areas of the Pure Industries facility;
- Lead a working group comprised of the Chief Executive Officer, Chief Operating Officer, and any other designated advisors to ensure the current policies and procedures are properly implemented, integrated, effective, and relevant to ensure the safety of Pure Industries agents and assets;
- Ensure that all required background checks have been completed and documented prior to an agent performing job functions; ensure agent is granted appropriate level of access to the facility necessary to complete his/her job functions;
- Maintain all security-related records, incident reports and other reports written by security agents;
- Evaluate and determine the number of Security Agents assigned to each shift and proper shift change times; and
- Maintain frequent contact with local law enforcement authorities.

<u>Security Agent</u>: Security Agents monitor Pure Industries' security systems including alarms, video surveillance, and motion detectors. Security Agents are responsible for ensuring that only authorized individuals are permitted access to the Pure Industries facility by verifying appropriate ID cards and other forms of identification. In addition, Security Agents perform the following duties and other duties upon request:

- Investigate, communicate, and provide leadership in the event of an emergency such as an intrusion, fire, or other threat that jeopardizes customers, authorized visitors, and Pure Industries agents;
- Respond and investigate security situations and alarm calls; clearly document the incident and details surrounding the incident in a written report for the Director of Security;
- Oversee the entrance to the facility and verify credentials of each person seeking access to the Pure Industries facility;
- Answer routine inquiries;
- Log entries, and maintain visitor log;
- Escort authorized visitors in restricted access areas; and
- Escort Pure Industries agents from the facility during non-business hours and perform security checks at designated intervals.

<u>Inventory Manager</u>: The Inventory Manager is responsible for inventory on a day-to-day basis as well as the weekly and monthly inventory counts and waste disposal requirements. The inventory manager will perform the comprehensive annual inventory in conjunction with the executive management team. Additional duties include, but are not limited to:

- Implementing inventory controls to track and account for all dispensary inventory;
- Implementing procedures and notification policies for proper disposal;
- Maintaining records, including operating procedures, inventory records, audit records, storage and transfer records;
- Maintaining documents with each day's beginning, acquisitions, sales, disposal, and ending inventory; and
- Proper storing, labeling, tracking, and reporting of inventory.

<u>Inventory Associate</u>: Inventory Associates support the Inventory Manager during day-to-day operations. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Maintaining records, including operating procedures, inventory records, audit records, storage and transfer records;
- Maintaining documents with each day's beginning, acquisitions, sales, disposal and ending inventory;
- Ensuring products are properly stored, labeled, and recorded in the seed-to-sale system;
- Ensuring waste is properly stored; and
- Coordinating the waste disposal schedule and ensuring Pure Industries' policies and procedures for waste disposal are adhered to.

<u>Director of Human Resources</u>: The Director of Human Resources at Pure Industries will support the executive management team on a day-to-day basis to effectively implement all personnel policies and procedures for Pure Industries, including hiring processes. The Director of Human Resources will:

• Oversee hiring and release of Pure Industries agents;

- Review and revise Pure Industries personnel policies and procedures in consultation with the executive management team and department managers;
- Develop training schedules and policies for Pure Industries agents under the supervision of the executive management team and department managers;
- Handle any and all agent discipline as necessary;
- Ensure compliance with any and all workplace policy laws and requirements; and
- Be responsible for such additional human resources tasks as determined by the executive management team.

<u>Director of Cultivation</u>: The Director of Cultivation is responsible for all daily operations and maintenance of the Cultivation Facility. The Director of Cultivation will:

- Be responsible for implementing policies with the Cultivation Facility;
- Coordinate space assignments;
- Receive and review work requests;
- Coordinate repairs and maintenance;
- Supervise and train agents in an ongoing capacity;
- Provide mandatory training for new agents;
- Maintain a record of space allocations;
- Work with Cultivation Technicians to promote successful operations in the Cultivation Facility;
- Program and monitor the Direct Digital Control (DDC).
- Maintain a database of environmental controls and conditions;
- Adjust DDC for optimum efficiency of operation;
- Provide pesticide recommendations and ensure IPM Program is sufficient.

<u>Cultivation Manager</u>: The Cultivation Manager supervises and participates in all aspects of daily Cultivation Facility tasks. The Cultivation Manager operates under the supervision of the Director of Cultivation and will:

- Instruct Cultivation Technicians on operation procedures;
- Train and supervise Cultivation Technicians;
- Assist with the activities performed by all Cultivation Technicians;
- Instruct agents or apply pesticides with guidance from the Director of Cultivation;
- Perform routine maintenance;
- Maintain inventory of all cultivation supplies and order such supplies;
- Report daily to Director of Cultivation; and
- Coordinate with relevant staff regarding harvest schedules.

<u>Cultivation Technician</u>: Cultivation Technicians are responsible for all daily tasks in their assigned areas within the Cultivation Facility. Cultivation Technicians report directly to Cultivation Manager and/or Director of Cultivation. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

• Irrigation;

- Pruning;
- Pesticide application;
- Potting/Re-potting;
- Propagation;
- Light construction; and
- Janitorial duties (i.e. cleaning, disinfecting, sterilizing).

<u>Production Manager</u>: The Production Manager is responsible for all post-harvest handling of marijuana. The Production Manager coordinates directly with the Cultivation Manager regarding harvest schedules. Production Manager reports directly to the Director of Cultivation and is responsible for the following:

- Transitioning harvested plant material from cultivation rooms to the Trim Room where marijuana is trimmed via machine and manually;
- Overseeing Trim Technicians and delegates daily tasks to production agents;
- Ensuring quality control of finished marijuana flowers;
- Monitoring the status of the Dry Room and of marijuana flowers that are in the process of drying;
- Entering wet and dry weights of all product including flowers and trim into the seed-to-sale tracking system;
- Working with Cultivation Technicians to ensure prompt transfer of marijuana trim to relevant room within the Cultivation Facility;
- Overseeing bulk packaging and storing in dedicated vault; and
- Relaying information to the Inventory Manager for sales purposes.

<u>Trim Technicians:</u> Trim Technicians are responsible for post-harvest trimming of marijuana plants, both mechanical and manual. Trim Technicians report directly to the Production Manager and are responsible for:

- Receiving daily tasks from the Production Manager;
- Assisting in the harvest of marijuana;
- Trimming marijuana plants;
- Maintaining a sterile environment in the Trim Room; and
- Cleaning and maintaining scissors and trim machines.

Agent Personnel Records

Personnel records for each agent will be maintained for at least twelve (12) months after termination of the agent's affiliation with Pure Industries and will include, at a minimum, the following:

- All materials submitted to the Commission pursuant to 935 CMR 500.030(2);
- Documentation of verification of references;
- The job description or employment contract that includes duties, authority, responsibilities, qualifications, and supervision;

- Documentation of all required training, including training regarding privacy and confidentiality requirements, and the signed statement of the individual indicating the date, time, and place he or she received said training and the topics discussed, including the name and title of presenters;
- Documentation of periodic performance evaluations;
- A record of any disciplinary action taken;
- Notice of completed responsible vendor and eight-hour related duty training;
- Results of initial background investigation, including CORI reports; and
- Documentation of all security related events (including violations) and the results of any investigations and description of remedial actions, restrictions, or additional training required as a result of an incident.

Personnel records will be kept in a secure location to maintain confidentiality and will only be accessible to the agent's manager or members of the executive management team.

Staffing Plan and Business Hours

Hiring and Recruitment

Pure Industries' Human Resource Manager will engage the executive management team and management staff on a regular basis to determine if vacancies are anticipated and whether specific positions need to be created in response to company needs. Pure Industries' personnel practices will comply with the following, which will apply to all types of employment situations, including, but not limited to, hiring, terminations, promotions, training, wages and benefits:

- State anti-discrimination statutes and Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) requirements;
- Pure Industries' Diversity Plan and Community Initiatives;
- Pure Industries' Plan to Positively Impact Areas of Disproportionate Impact;
- Background Checks and References;
- Mandatory reporting of criminal convictions (and termination if necessary);
- State and Federal Family Leave Act;
- Workplace Safety Laws;
- Workers' Compensation;
- State and Federal Minimum Wage Requirements;
- Non-Disclosure and Non-Complete Agreements; and
- Any other applicable local, state, or federal employment laws, rules, or regulations.

Standards of Conduct

Pure Industries is committed to maintaining an environment conducive to the health and wellbeing of customers and employees. It is Pure Industries' mission to provide a professional workplace free from harassment and discrimination for employees. Pure Industries will not tolerate harassment or discrimination on the basis of sex, race, color, national origin, age, religion, disability, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or any other trait or characteristic protected by any applicable federal, state, or local law or ordinance. Harassment or discrimination on the basis of any protected trait or characteristic is contrary to Pure Industries' values and is a violation of the Company Code of Conduct. Harassment is a form of discrimination. There is a broad range of behavior that could constitute harassment. In general, harassment is any verbal or physical conduct that:

- Has the purpose or effect of creating an intimidating, hostile, or offensive working environment;
- Has the purpose or effect of unreasonably interfering with an individual's work performance; or
- Adversely affects an individual's employment opportunities.

Employees are expected to maintain the highest degree of professional behavior. Any harassment or discrimination by employees is strictly prohibited. Further, harassing or discriminatory behavior of non-employees directed at Pure Industries employees or customers is also condemned and will be promptly addressed.

Violence and Weapons in the Workplace

Any and all acts of violence in the workplace will result in immediate dismissal of the employee, customer, or parties involved. Law enforcement will be contacted immediately in the case of a violent event. Weapons are not permitted to be brought on site by employees, customers, or other parties. Any employee found carrying a weapon on the premises of a Pure Industries facility will be immediately terminated, and any customer found carrying a weapon on the premises will be asked to leave and/or the police will be notified accordingly.

At-Will Employment

In the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, employment is assumed to be at-will unless otherwise stated. At-will employment implies that employer and employee alike may terminate the work relationship at any given moment and for any legitimate purpose. Wrongful termination may be more difficult to prove in an at-will arrangement because of the freedom that each party has to end the employment. However, there are still many instances wherein a termination or discharge can be called wrongful, even in an at-will employment.

Workplace Attire

The required attire for registered agents at Pure Industries varies based upon required duties. New hire training and the onboarding process will go over the workplace attire specific to each role and the department manager will be responsible for ensuring compliance with all requirements is met.

Overview of Personnel Policies and Procedures

Standard Employment Practices

Pure Industries values the contributions of its management and staff positions. Pure Industries will strive to be the industry leader in workplace satisfaction by offering highly competitive wage and benefits packages and developing a culture that values a proper work-life balance, boasts a transparent and accessible executive management team, and fosters a work ethic that

focuses on the mission of the company and spirit of the adult-use marijuana program in Massachusetts.

Advancement

The organization will be structured in a relatively flat manner, with promotional opportunities within each department. Participation in training and bi-annual performance evaluations will be critical for any promotions or pay increases.

Written Policies

Pure Industries' written policies will address, inter alia, the Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA), the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (COBRA), equal employment opportunity, discrimination, harassment, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA), disabilities, workers' compensation, maintenance of personnel files, privacy, email policy, 935 CMR 500.000 et seq., holidays, hours, sick time, personal time, overtime, performance reviews, disciplinary procedures, working hours, pay rates, overtime, bonuses, veteran preferences, drug testing, personnel policies, military leaves of absence, bereavement leave, jury duty, CORI checks, smoking, HIPAA, patient confidentiality, and compliance hotline.

Investigations

Pure Industries will set forth policies and procedures to investigate any complaints or concerns identified or raised internally or externally in order to stay in compliance with 935 CMR 500.000 et seq.

Designated Outside Counsel

Pure Industries may retain counsel specializing in employment law to assist the Director of Human Resources with any issues and questions.

Job Status

Job Classifications

Positions at Pure Industries are categorized by rank and by department. The executive management team oversees the overall success of mission of the company; the CEO is responsible for implementation of the mission and the executive management team as a whole is responsible for ensuring that all departments are properly executing their functions and responsibilities. Job classification is comprised of three rank tiers: Executive Management, Management, and Non-Management Employee.

Work Schedules

Work schedules will be either part-time, full-time, or salaried, depending of the specific position. Schedules will be set according to the needs of each department as determined by the department manager and the executive manager they report to. It is the department manager's responsibility to develop and implement a work schedule that provides necessary duty and personnel coverage but does not exceed what is required for full implementation of operations. It is also the department manager's responsibility to ensure that adequate coverage occurs on a daily basis and does not lead to unnecessary utilization of overtime coverage.

Mandatory Meetings and Community Service Days

There will be a mandatory, reoccurring company-wide meeting on a monthly basis. All personnel will be notified if their attendance is required. Certain personnel, such as housekeeping staff, may not be required to attend. Each department will have a mandatory weekly meeting scheduled by the department manager. The department managers will provide agendas for all meetings and will report to their executive manager.

Breaks

Daily breaks, including lunch breaks, will comply with the laws of the Commonwealth.

Performance Reviews

Performance reviews will be conducted by executive or department managers. Reviews will be conducted at three-month intervals for new employees during the first year and at six-month intervals thereafter. A written synopsis must be provided to, and signed by, the employee under review. Reviews must be retained in each employee's employment file. Performance reviews must take into account positive performance factors and areas requiring improvement. Scoring systems may be utilized to help reflect an employee's overall performance.

Leave Policies

Pure Industries leave policies will comport with all state and federal statutes.

All full-time employees will receive two 40-hour weeks of paid vacation per annum. Additional leave must be requested at least two weeks in advance and approved by the employee's department manager. Pure Industries will determine which holidays will be observed and which departments will not be required to work. Pure Industries will offer paid maternity leave. Additional leave will not be paid and must be approved by the department manager. Pure Industries anticipates observing the following holidays:

- New Year's Day;
- Martin Luther King Day;
- Presidents' Day;
- Memorial Day;
- Independence Day;
- Labor Day;
- Thanksgiving; and
- Christmas Day.
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Disciplinary Policies

Purpose

Pure Industries' progressive discipline policies and procedures are designed to provide a structured corrective action process to improve and prevent a recurrence of undesirable behavior and/or performance issues. The steps outlined below of Pure Industries' progressive discipline

policies and procedures have been designed consistent with Pure Industries' organizational values, best practices, and state and federal employment laws.

Pure Industries reserves the right to combine or skip steps depending upon the facts of each situation and the nature of the offense. The level of disciplinary intervention may also vary. Some of the factors that will be considered are whether the offense is repeated despite coaching, counseling, and/or training; the employee's work record; and the impact the employee's performance, conduct and/or attendance issues have on Pure Industries as an organization.

Procedure

Step 1: Counseling and Verbal Warning

Step 1 creates an opportunity for the immediate supervisor to schedule a meeting with an employee to bring attention to the existing performance, conduct, or attendance issue. The supervisor should discuss with the employee the nature of the problem and/or violation of company policies and procedures. The supervisor is expected to clearly outline expectations and steps the employee must take to improve performance or resolve the problem.

Within five business days, the supervisor will prepare written documentation of a Step 1 meeting. The employee will be asked to sign the written documentation. The employee's signature is needed to demonstrate the employee's understanding of the issues and the corrective action needed.

Step 2: Written Warning

While it is hoped that the performance, conduct, or attendance issues that were identified in Step 1 have been corrected, Pure Industries recognizes that this may not always be the case. A written warning involves a more formal documentation of the performance, conduct, or attendance issues and consequences.

During Step 2, the immediate supervisor and a department manager or director will meet with the employee and review any additional incidents or information about the performance, conduct, or attendance issues as well as any prior relevant corrective action plans. Management will outline the consequences for the employee of his or her continued failure to meet performance, conduct and/or attendance expectations. A formal performance improvement plan (PIP) requiring the employee's immediate and sustained corrective action will be issued within five business days of a Step 2 meeting. A warning outlining that the employee may be subject to additional discipline up to and including termination if immediate and sustained corrective action is not taken may also be included in the PIP.

Step 3: Suspension and Final Written Warning

There may be performance, conduct, or safety incidents so problematic and harmful that the most effective action may be the temporary removal of the employee from the workplace. When immediate action is necessary to ensure the safety of the employee or others, the immediate supervisor may suspend the employee pending the results of an investigation. Suspensions that are recommended as part of the normal progression of the progressive discipline policies and procedures are subject to approval from a next-level manager and the Director of Human Resources.

Depending upon the seriousness of the infraction, an employee may be suspended without pay in full-day increments consistent with federal, state and local wage-and-hour employment laws. Nonexempt/hourly employees may not substitute or use an accrued paid vacation or sick day in lieu of the unpaid suspension. Due to Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA) compliance issues, unpaid suspension of salaried/exempt employees is reserved for serious workplace safety or conduct issues. The Director of Human Resources will provide guidance so that discipline is administered without jeopardizing the FLSA exemption status.

Pay may be restored to an employee if an investigation of the incident or infraction absolves the employee.

Step 4: Recommendation for Termination of Employment

The last and most serious step in the progressive discipline procedures is a recommendation to terminate employment. Generally, Pure Industries will try to utilize the progressive steps of this policy by first providing warnings, a final written warning, and/or suspension from the workplace before proceeding to a recommendation to terminate employment. However, Pure Industries reserves the right to combine and skip steps depending upon the circumstances of each situation and the nature of the offense, and an employee may be terminated without prior notice or disciplinary action. Management's recommendation to terminate employment must be approved by the Director of Human Resources and department manager or designee. Final approval may be required from the CEO or designee.

Nothing in this policy provides any contractual rights regarding employee discipline or counseling nor should anything in this policy be read or construed as modifying or altering the employment-at-will relationship between Pure Industries and its employees.

Appeal Process

conducted the meeting.

Any employee subject to a disciplinary action will have the opportunity to present information on their own behalf that may challenge information management relied upon in making the decision to issue the disciplinary action. The purpose of this appeal process is to provide insight into extenuating circumstances that may have contributed to the employee's performance, conduct and/or attendance issues, while allowing for an equitable solution. If an employee does not present information on their own behalf during a step meeting, they will have five business days after the meeting to present such information to the supervisor who

Performance and Conduct Issues Not Subject to Progressive Discipline

Behavior that is illegal is not subject to progressive discipline and may be reported to local law enforcement. Theft, intoxication at work, fighting and other acts of violence are also not subject to progressive discipline and may be grounds for immediate termination.

Documentation

Any employee subject to progressive discipline will be provided with copies of all relevant documentation related to the progressive discipline process, including all PIPs. The employee will be asked to sign copies of this documentation attesting to their receipt and understanding of the corrective action outlined in these documents. Copies of these documents will be placed in the employee's official personnel file.

Separation of Employment

Separation of employment within an organization can occur for several different reasons. Employment may end as a result of resignation, retirement, release (end of season or assignment), reduction in workforce, or termination. When an employee separates from Pure Industries, the employee's supervisor must contact the Director of Human Resources to schedule an exit interview, which will typically take place on the employee's last workday.

Types of Separation

1. Resignation

Resignation is a voluntary act initiated by the employee to end employment with Pure Industries. The employee must provide a minimum of two (2) weeks' notice prior to resignation. If an employee does not provide advance notice or fails to actually work the remaining two weeks, the employee will be ineligible for rehire. The resignation date must not fall on the day after a holiday.

2. Retirement

An employee who wishes to retire is required to notify their department director and the Director of Human Resources in writing at least one (1) month before planned retirement date. It is the practice of Pure Industries to give special recognition to employees at the time of their retirement.

3. Job Abandonment

An employee who fails to report to work or contact their supervisor for two (2) consecutive workdays will be considered to have abandoned their job without notice effective at the end of the employee's normal shift on the second day. The department manager will notify the Director of Human Resources at the expiration of the second workday and initiate the paperwork to terminate the employee. Employees who are separated due to job abandonment are ineligible for rehire.

4. Termination

Employees of Pure Industries are employed on an at-will basis, and the company retains the right to terminate an employee at any time.

5. Reduction in Workforce

An employee may be laid off due to changes in duties, organizational changes, lack of funds, or lack of work. Employees who are laid off may not appeal the layoff decision through the appeal process.

6. Release

Release is the end of temporary or seasonal employment. The Director of Human Resources, in consultation with the department manager, will inform the temporary or seasonal worker of their release according to the terms of the individual's temporary employment.

Exit Interview

The separating employee will contact the HR department as soon as notice is given to schedule an exit interview. The interview will be held on the employee's last day of work or another day, as mutually agreed upon.

Return of Property

The separating employee must return all company property at the time of separation, including but not limited to, uniforms, cell phones, keys, computers, and identification cards. Failure to return certain items may result in deductions from the employee's final paycheck. All separating employees will be required to sign a Wage Deduction Authorization Agreement, allowing Pure Industries to deduct the costs of such items from their final paycheck.

Termination of Benefits

An employee separating from Pure Industries is eligible to receive benefits as long as the appropriate procedures are followed as stated above. Two weeks' notice must be given, and the employee must work the full two work weeks. Accrued vacation leave will be paid in the last paycheck. Accrued sick leave will be paid in the last paycheck.

Health Insurance

Health insurance terminates on the last day of the month of employment, unless employee requests immediate termination of benefits. Information about the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (COBRA) continued health coverage will be provided. Employees will be required to pay their share of the dependent health and dental premiums through the end of the month.

Rehire

Former employees who left in good standing and were classified as eligible for rehire may be considered for reemployment. An application must be submitted to the Director of Human Resources, and the applicant must meet all minimum qualifications and requirements of the position, including any qualifying exam, when required.

Department managers must obtain approval from the Director of Human Resources or designee prior to rehiring a former employee. Rehired employees begin benefits just as any other new

employee. Previous tenure will not be considered in calculating longevity, leave accruals, or any other benefits.

An applicant or employee who is terminated for violating policy or who resigned in lieu of termination from employment due to a policy violation will be ineligible for rehire.

Compensation

As an employer, Pure Industries believes that it is in the best interest of both the organization and Pure Industries' employees to fairly compensate its workforce for the value of the work provided. It is Pure Industries' intention to use a compensation system that will determine the current market value of a position based on the skills, knowledge, and behaviors required of a fully-competent incumbent. The system used for determining compensation will be objective and non-discriminatory in theory, application and practice. The company has determined that this can best be accomplished by using a professional compensation consultant, as needed, and a system recommended and approved by the executive management team.

Selection Criteria

- 1. The compensation system will price positions to market by using local, national, and industry specific survey data.
- 2. The market data will primarily include marijuana-related businesses and will include survey data for more specialized positions and will address significant market differences due to geographical location.
- 3. The system will evaluate external equity, which is the relative marketplace job worth of every marijuana industry job directly comparable to similar jobs at Pure Industries, factored for general economic variances, and adjusted to reflect the local economic marketplace.
- 4. The system will evaluate internal equity, which is the relative worth of each job in the organization when comparing the required level of job competencies, formal training and experience, responsibility and accountability of one job to another, and arranging all jobs in a formal job-grading structure.
- 5. Professional support and consultation will be available to evaluate the compensation system and provide on-going assistance in the administration of the program.
- 6. The compensation system must be flexible enough to ensure that the company is able to recruit and retain a highly-qualified workforce, while providing the structure necessary to effectively manage the overall compensation program.

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Responsibilities

The executive management team will give final approval for the compensation system that will be used by Pure Industries.

- 1. On an annual basis the executive management team will review and approve, as appropriate, recommended changes to position-range movement as determined through the vendor's market analysis process.
- 2. As part of the annual budgeting process, the executive management team will review and approve, as appropriate, funds to be allocated for total compensation, which would include base salaries, bonuses, variable based or incentive-based pay, and all other related expenses, including benefit plans.

Management Responsibility

- 1. The CEO is charged with ensuring that Pure Industries is staffed with highly-qualified, fully-competent employees and that all programs are administered within appropriate guidelines and within the approved budget.
- 2. The salary budget will include a gross figure for the following budget adjustments, but the individual determinations for each employee's salary adjustment will be the exclusive domain of the CEO: determining the appropriate head count, titles, position levels, merit and promotional increases and compensation consisting of salary, incentive, bonus, and other discretionary pay for all positions.
- 3. The CEO will ensure that salary ranges are updated at least annually, that all individual jobs are market priced at least once every two years, and that pay equity adjustments are administered in a fair and equitable manner.

Agent Background Checks

- In addition to completing the Commission's agent registration process, all agents hired to work for Pure Industries will undergo a detailed background investigation prior to being granted access to a Pure Industries facility or beginning work duties.
- Background checks will be conducted on all agents in their capacity as employees or volunteers for Pure Industries pursuant to 935 CMR 500.100 and will be used by the Director of Security, who will be registered with the Department of Criminal Justice Information Systems pursuant to 803 CMR 2.04: iCORI Registration and the Commission for purposes of determining the suitability of individuals for registration as a marijuana establishment agent with the licensee.
- For purposes of determining suitability based on background checks performed in accordance with 935 CMR 500.101(1), Pure Industries will consider:

a. All conditions, offenses, and violations are construed to include Massachusetts law or like or similar law(s) of another state, the United States or foreign jurisdiction, a military, territorial or Native American tribal authority, or any other jurisdiction.
b. All criminal disqualifying conditions, offenses, and violations include the crimes of attempt, accessory, conspiracy, and solicitation. Juvenile dispositions will not be considered as a factor for determining suitability.

c. Where applicable, all look back periods for criminal conditions, offenses, and violations included in 935 CMR 500.802 commence upon the date of disposition; provided, however, that if disposition results in incarceration in any institution, the look back period will commence upon release from incarceration.

• Suitability determinations will be made in accordance with the procedures set forth in 935 CMR 500.800. In addition to the requirements established in 935 CMR 500.800, Pure Industries will:

a. Comply with all guidance provided by the Commission and 935 CMR 500.802: Tables B through D to determine if the results of the background are grounds for Mandatory Disqualification or Presumptive Negative Suitability Determination

b. Consider whether offense(s) or information that would result in a Presumptive Negative Suitability Determination under 935 CMR 500.802. In the event a Presumptive Negative Suitability Determination is made, Pure Industries will consider the following factors:

- 1. Time since the offense or incident;
- 2. Age of the subject at the time of the offense or incident;
- 3. Nature and specific circumstances of the offense or incident;
- 4. Sentence imposed and length, if any, of incarceration, if criminal;
- 5. Penalty or discipline imposed, including damages awarded, if civil or administrative;
- 6. Relationship of offense or incident to nature of work to be performed;
- 7. Number of offenses or incidents;
- 8. Whether offenses or incidents were committed in association with dependence on drugs or alcohol from which the subject has since recovered;
- 9. If criminal, any relevant evidence of rehabilitation or lack thereof, such as information about compliance with conditions of parole or probation, including orders of no contact with victims and witnesses, and the subject's conduct and experience since the time of the offense including, but not limited to, professional or educational certifications obtained; and

Any other relevant information, including information submitted by the subject.
 c. Consider appeals of determinations of unsuitability based on claims of erroneous information received as part of the background check during the application process in accordance with 803 CMR 2.17: Requirement to Maintain a Secondary Dissemination Log and 2.18: Adverse Employment Decision Based on CORI or Other Types of Criminal History Information Received from a Source Other than the DCJIS.

- Upon adverse determination, Pure Industries will provide the applicant a copy of their background screening report and a pre-adverse determination letter providing the applicant with a copy of their right to dispute the contents of the report, who to contact to do so and the opportunity to provide a supplemental statement.
 - After 10 business days, if the applicant is not disputing the contents of the report and any provided statement does not alter the suitability determination, an adverse action letter will be issued providing the applicant information on the final determination made by Pure Industries along with any legal notices required.
- All suitability determinations will be documented in compliance with all requirements set forth in 935 CMR 500 et seq. and guidance provided by the Commission.
- Background screening will be conducted by an investigative firm holding the National Association of Professional Background Screeners (NAPBS®) Background Screening Credentialing Council (BSCC) accreditation and capable of performing the searches required by the regulations and guidance provided by the Commission.
- References provided by the agent will be verified at the time of hire.

- As deemed necessary, individuals in key positions with unique and sensitive access (e.g. members of the executive management team) will undergo additional screening, which may include interviews with prior employers or colleagues.
- As a condition of their continued employment, agents, volunteers, contractors, and subcontractors are required to renew their Program ID cards annually and submit to other background screening as may be required by Pure Industries or the Commission.

PURE INDUSTRIES, INC.

Qualifications and Training

Pure Industries will ensure that all employees hired to work at a Pure Industries facility will be qualified to work as a marijuana establishment agent and properly trained to serve in their respective roles in a compliant manner.

Qualifications

In accordance with 935 CMR 500.030, a candidate for employment as a marijuana establishment agent must be 21 years of age or older. In addition, the candidate cannot have been convicted of a criminal offense in the Commonwealth involving the distribution of controlled substances to minors, or a like violation of the laws of another state, the United States, or foreign jurisdiction, or a military, territorial, or Native American tribal authority.

Pure Industries will also ensure that its employees are suitable for registration consistent with the provisions of 935 CMR 500.802. In the event that Pure Industries discovers any of its agents are not suitable for registration as a marijuana establishment agent, the agent's employment will be terminated, and Pure Industries will notify the Commission within one (1) business day that the agent is no longer associated with the establishment.

Training

As required by 935 CMR 500.105(2), and prior to performing job functions, each of Pure Industries' agents will successfully complete a comprehensive training program that is tailored to the roles and responsibilities of the agent's job function. Agent training will at least include the Responsible Vendor Program and eight (8) hours of on-going training annually.

On or after July 1, 2019, all of Pure Industries' current owners, managers, and employees will have attended and successfully completed a Responsible Vendor Program operated by an education provider accredited by the Commission to provide the annual minimum of two hours of responsible vendor training to marijuana establishment agents. Pure Industries' new, non-administrative employees will complete the Responsible Vendor Program within 90 days of the date they are hired. Pure Industries' owners, managers, and employees will then successfully complete the program once every year thereafter. Pure Industries will also encourage administrative employees who do not handle or sell marijuana to take the responsible vendor program on a voluntary basis to help ensure compliance. Pure Industries' records of responsible vendor training program compliance will be maintained for at least four (4) years and made available during normal business hours for inspection by the Commission and any other state licensing authority upon request.

As part of the Responsible Vendor program, Pure Industries' agents will receive training on a variety of topics relevant to marijuana establishment operations, including but not limited to the following:

- 1. Marijuana's effect on the human body, including physical effects based on different types of marijuana products and methods of administration, and recognizing the visible signs of impairment;
- 2. Best practices for diversion prevention and prevention of sales to minors;
- 3. Compliance with tracking requirements;
- 4. Acceptable forms of identification, including verification of valid photo identification and medical marijuana registration and confiscation of fraudulent identifications;
- 5. Such other areas of training determined by the Commission to be included; and
- 6. Other significant state laws and rules affecting operators, such as:
 - Local and state licensing and enforcement;
 - Incident and notification requirements;
 - Administrative and criminal liability and license sanctions and court sanctions;
 - Waste disposal and health and safety standards;
 - Patrons prohibited from bringing marijuana onto licensed premises;
 - Permitted hours of sale and conduct of establishment;
 - Permitting inspections by state and local licensing and enforcement authorities;
 - Licensee responsibilities for activities occurring within licensed premises;
 - Maintenance of records and privacy issues; and
 - Prohibited purchases and practices.

PURE INDUSTRIES, INC.

Quality Control and Testing

Quality Control

Pure Industries, Inc. ("Pure Industries") will comply with the following sanitary requirements:

- 1. Any Pure Industries agent whose job includes contact with marijuana or nonedible marijuana products, including cultivation, production, or packaging, is subject to the requirements for food handlers specified in 105 CMR 300.000, and all edible marijuana products will be prepared, handled, and stored in compliance with the sanitation requirements in 105 CMR 500.000, and with the requirements for food handlers specified in 105 CMR 300.000.
- 2. Any Pure Industries agent working in direct contact with preparation of marijuana or nonedible marijuana products will conform to sanitary practices while on duty, including:

a. Maintaining adequate personal cleanliness; andb. Washing hands thoroughly in an adequate hand-washing area before starting work, and at any other time when hands may have become soiled or contaminated.

- 3. Pure Industries' hand-washing facilities will be adequate and convenient and will be furnished with running water at a suitable temperature. Hand-washing facilities will be located in Pure Industries' production areas and where good sanitary practices require employees to wash and sanitize their hands, and will provide effective hand-cleaning and sanitizing preparations and sanitary towel service or suitable drying devices;
- 4. Pure Industries' facility will have sufficient space for placement of equipment and storage of materials as is necessary for the maintenance of sanitary operations;
- 5. Pure Industries will ensure that litter and waste is properly removed and disposed of so as to minimize the development of odor and minimize the potential for the waste attracting and harboring pests. The operating systems for waste disposal will be maintained in an adequate manner pursuant to 935 CMR 500.105(12);
- 6. Pure Industries' floors, walls, and ceilings will be constructed in such a manner that they may be adequately kept clean and in good repair;
- 7. Pure Industries' facility will have adequate safety lighting in all processing and storage areas, as well as areas where equipment or utensils are cleaned;
- 8. Pure Industries' buildings, fixtures, and other physical facilities will be maintained in a sanitary condition;
- 9. Pure Industries will ensure that all contact surfaces, including utensils and equipment, will be maintained in a clean and sanitary condition. Such surfaces will be cleaned and

sanitized as frequently as necessary to protect against contamination, using a sanitizing agent registered by the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), in accordance with labeled instructions. Equipment and utensils will be so designed and of such material and workmanship as to be adequately cleanable;

- 10. All toxic items will be identified, held, and stored in a manner that protects against contamination of marijuana products;
- 11. Pure Industries will ensure that its water supply is sufficient for necessary operations, and that such water supply is safe and potable;
- 12. Pure Industries' plumbing will be of adequate size and design, and adequately installed and maintained to carry sufficient quantities of water to required locations throughout the marijuana establishment. Plumbing will properly convey sewage and liquid disposable waste from the marijuana establishment. There will be no cross-connections between the potable and waste water lines;
- 13. Pure Industries will provide its employees with adequate, readily accessible toilet facilities that are maintained in a sanitary condition and in good repair;
- 14. Pure Industries will hold all products that can support the rapid growth of undesirable microorganisms in a manner that prevents the growth of these microorganisms; and
- 15. Pure Industries will store and transport finished products under conditions that will protect them against physical, chemical, and microbial contamination, as well as against deterioration of finished products or their containers.

Pure Industries' vehicles and transportation equipment used in the transportation of marijuana products or edibles requiring temperature control for safety will be designed, maintained, and equipped as necessary to provide adequate temperature control to prevent the marijuana products or edibles from becoming unsafe during transportation, consistent with applicable requirements pursuant to 21 CFR 1.908(c).

Pure Industries will ensure that Pure Industries' facility is always maintained in a sanitary fashion and will comply with all applicable sanitary requirements.

Pure Industries will follow established policies and procedures for handling voluntary and mandatory recalls of marijuana products. Such procedures are sufficient to deal with recalls due to any action initiated at the request or order of the Commission, and any voluntary action by Pure Industries to remove defective or potentially defective marijuana products from the market, as well as any action undertaken to promote public health and safety.

Any inventory that becomes outdated, spoiled, damaged, deteriorated, mislabeled, or contaminated will be disposed of in accordance with the provisions of 935 CMR 500.105(12), and any such waste will be stored, secured, and managed in accordance with applicable state and local statutes, ordinances, and regulations.

Testing

Pure Industries will not sell or otherwise market marijuana or marijuana products that are not capable of being tested by Independent Testing Laboratories, except as allowed under 935 CMR 500.000. No marijuana product will be sold or otherwise marketed for adult use that has not first been tested by an Independent Testing Laboratory and deemed to comply with the standards required under 935 CMR 500.160. Testing of Pure Industries' marijuana products will be performed by an Independent Testing Laboratory in compliance with the Protocol for Sampling and Analysis of Finished Medical Marijuana Products and Marijuana-infused Products, as amended in November 2016, published by the DPH. Testing of Pure Industries' environmental media will be performed in compliance with the Protocol for Sampling and Analysis of Environmental Media for Massachusetts Registered Medical Marijuana Dispensaries published by the DPH.

Pure Industries' policy of responding to laboratory results that indicate contaminant levels are above acceptable limits established in the DPH protocols identified in 935 CMR 500.160(1) include notifying the Commission within 72 hours of any laboratory testing results indicating that the contamination cannot be remediated and disposing of the production batch. Such notification will describe a proposed plan of action for both the destruction of the contaminated product and the assessment of the source of contamination.

Pure Industries will maintain testing results in compliance with 935 CMR 500.000 *et seq* and the record keeping policies described herein, and will maintain the results of all testing for no less than one year.

All transportation of marijuana to and from Independent Testing Laboratories providing marijuana testing services will comply with 935 CMR 500.105(13). All storage of Pure Industries' marijuana at a laboratory providing marijuana testing services will comply with 935 CMR 500.105(11). All excess marijuana will be disposed in compliance with 935 CMR 500.105(12), either by the Independent Testing Laboratory returning excess marijuana to Pure Industries for disposal or by the Independent Testing Laboratory disposing of it directly.

PURE INDUSTRIES, INC.

Recordkeeping Procedures

General Overview

Pure Industries, Inc. ("Pure Industries") has established policies regarding recordkeeping and record-retention in order to ensure the maintenance, safe keeping, and accessibility of critical documents. Electronic and wet signatures are accepted forms of execution of Pure Industries documents. Records will be stored at Pure Industries in a locked room designated for record retention. All written records will be available for inspection by the Commission upon request.

Recordkeeping

To ensure that Pure Industries is keeping and retaining all records as noted in this policy, reviewing Corporate Records, Business Records, and Personnel Records to ensure completeness, accuracy, and timeliness of such documents will occur as part of Pure Industries' quarter-end closing procedures. In addition, Pure Industries' operating procedures will be updated on an ongoing basis as needed and undergo a review by the executive management team on an annual basis.

- <u>Corporate Records</u>: are defined as those records that require, at a minimum, annual reviews, updates, and renewals, including:
 - Insurance Coverage:
 - Directors & Officers Policy
 - Product Liability Policy
 - General Liability Policy
 - Umbrella Policy
 - Workers Compensation Policy
 - Employer Professional Liability Policy
 - Third-Party Laboratory Contracts
 - Commission Requirements:
 - Annual Agent Registration
 - Annual Marijuana Establishment Registration
 - Local Compliance:

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- Certificate of Occupancy
- Special Permits
- Variances
- Site Plan Approvals
- As-Built Drawings
- Corporate Governance:
 - Annual Report
 - Secretary of State Filings
- <u>Business Records</u>: Records that require ongoing maintenance and updates. These records can be electronic or hard copy (preferably electronic) and at minimum include:
 - Assets and liabilities;
 - Monetary transactions;

- Books of accounts, which will include journals, ledgers, and supporting documents, agreements, checks, invoices, and vouchers;
- Sales records including the quantity, form, and cost of marijuana products;
- Salary and wages paid to each agent, and any executive compensation, bonus, benefit, or item of value paid to any individual affiliated with Pure Industries, including members, if any.
- <u>Personnel Records</u>: At a minimum will include:
 - Job descriptions for each agent and volunteer position, as well as organizational charts consistent with the job descriptions;
 - A personnel record for each marijuana establishment agent. Such records will be maintained for at least twelve (12) months after termination of the agent's affiliation with Pure Industries and will include, at a minimum, the following:
 - All materials submitted to the Commission pursuant to 935 CMR 500.030(2);
 - Documentation of verification of references;
 - The job description or employment contract that includes duties, authority, responsibilities, qualifications, and supervision;
 - Documentation of all required training, including training regarding privacy and confidentiality requirements, and the signed statement of the individual indicating the date, time, and place he or she received said training and the topics discussed, including the name and title of presenters;
 - Documentation of periodic performance evaluations; and
 - A record of any disciplinary action taken.
 - Notice of completed responsible vendor and eight-hour related duty training.
 - A staffing plan that will demonstrate accessible business hours and safe cultivation conditions;
 - Personnel policies and procedures; and
 - All background check reports obtained in accordance with 935 CMR 500.030.
- <u>Handling and Testing of Marijuana Records</u>
 - Pure Industries will maintain the results of all testing for a minimum of one (1) year.
- Inventory Records
 - The record of each inventory will include, at a minimum, the date of the inventory, a summary of the inventory findings, and the names, signatures, and titles of the agents who conducted the inventory.
- <u>Seed-to-Sale Tracking Records</u>
 - Pure Industries will use [POS Software] to maintain real-time inventory. [POS Software] inventory reporting meets the requirements specified by the Commission and 935 CMR 500.105(8)(c) and (d), including, at a minimum, an inventory of marijuana plants; marijuana plant-seeds and clones in any phase of development such as propagation, vegetation, flowering; marijuana ready for dispensing; all marijuana products; and all damaged, defective, expired, or contaminated marijuana and marijuana products awaiting disposal.

- Inventory records will include, at a minimum, the date of the inventory, a summary of the inventory findings, and the names, signatures, and titles of the individuals who conducted the inventory.
- Incident Reporting Records
 - Within ten (10) calendar days, Pure Industries will provide written notice to the Commission of any incident described in 935 CMR 500.110(7)(a), by submitting an incident report, detailing the incident, the investigation, the findings, resolution (if any), confirmation that the Police Department and Commission were notified within twenty-four (24) hours of discovering the breach, and any other relevant information. Reports and supporting documents, including photos and surveillance video related to a reportable incident, will be maintained by Pure Industries for no less than one year or the duration of an open investigation, whichever is longer, and made available to the Commission and law enforcement authorities upon request.
- <u>Visitor Records</u>
 - A visitor sign-in and sign-out record will be maintained at the security office. The record will include the visitor's name, address, organization or firm, date, time in and out, and the name of the authorized agent who will be escorting the visitor.
- Waste Disposal Records
 - When marijuana or marijuana products are disposed of, Pure Industries will create and maintain a written record of the date, the type and quantity disposed of or handled, the manner of disposal or other handling, the location of disposal or other handling, and the names of the two Pure Industries agents present during the disposal or handling, with their signatures. Pure Industries will keep disposal records for at least three (3) years. This period will automatically be extended for the duration of any enforcement action and may be extended by an order of the Commission.
- <u>Security Records</u>
 - A current list of authorized agents and service personnel that have access to the surveillance room will be available to the Commission upon request.
 - Twenty-four (24) hour recordings from all video cameras that are available for immediate viewing by the Commission upon request and that are retained for at least ninety (90) calendar days.
- <u>Transportation Records</u>
 - Pure Industries will retain all shipping manifests for a minimum of one (1) year and make them available to the Commission upon request.
- <u>Agent Training Records</u>
 - Documentation of all required training, including training regarding privacy and confidentiality requirements, and a signed statement of the individual indicating the date, time, and place he or she received the training, the topics discussed and the name and title of the presenter(s).
- <u>Closure</u>
 - In the event Pure Industries closes, all records will be kept for at least two (2) years at Pure Industries' expense in a form (electronic, hard copies, etc.) and location acceptable to the Commission. In addition, Pure Industries will

communicate with the Commission during the closure process and accommodate any additional requests the Commission or other agencies may have.

- <u>Written Operating Policies and Procedures</u>: Policies and Procedures related to Pure Industries' operations will be updated on an ongoing basis as needed and undergo a review by the executive management team on an annual basis. Policies and Procedures will include the following:
 - Security measures in compliance with 935 CMR 500.110;
 - Agent security policies, including personal safety and crime prevention techniques;
 - A description of Pure Industries' hours of operation and after-hours contact information, which will be provided to the Commission, made available to law enforcement officials upon request, and updated pursuant to 935 CMR 500.000.
 - Storage of marijuana in compliance with 935 CMR 500.105(11);
 - Description of the various strains of marijuana to be cultivated, processed or sold, as applicable, and the form(s) in which marijuana will be dispensed;
 - Procedures to ensure accurate recordkeeping, including inventory protocols in compliance with 935 CMR 500.160;
 - Plans for quality control, including product testing for contaminants in compliance with 935 CMR 500.160;
 - A staffing plan and staffing records in compliance with 935 CMR 500.105(9);
 - Emergency procedures, including a disaster plan with procedures to be followed in case of fire or other emergencies;
 - Alcohol, smoke, and drug-free workplace policies;
 - A plan describing how confidential information will be maintained;
 - Policy for the immediate dismissal of any dispensary agent who has:
 - Diverted marijuana, which will be reported the Police Department and to the Commission;
 - Engaged in unsafe practices with regard to Pure Industries operations, which will be reported to the Commission; or
 - Been convicted or entered a guilty plea, plea of *nolo contendere*, or admission to sufficient facts of a felony drug offense involving distribution to a minor in the Commonwealth, or a like violation of the laws of another state, the United States or a foreign jurisdiction, or a military, territorial, or Native American tribal authority.
 - A list of all executives of Pure Industries, and members, if any, of the licensee must be made available upon request by any individual. 935 CMR 500.105(1)(m) requirement may be fulfilled by placing this information on Pure Industries' website.
 - Policies and procedures for the handling of cash on Pure Industries premises including but not limited to storage, collection frequency and transport to financial institution(s).
 - Policies and procedures to prevent the diversion of marijuana to individuals younger than 21 years old.
 - Policies and procedures for energy efficiency and conservation that will include:

- Identification of potential energy use reduction opportunities (including but not limited to natural lighting, heat recovery ventilation and energy efficiency measures), and a plan for implementation of such opportunities;
- Consideration of opportunities for renewable energy generation, including, where applicable, submission of building plans showing where energy generators could be placed on site, and an explanation of why the identified opportunities were not pursued, if applicable;
- Strategies to reduce electric demand (such as lighting schedules, active load management and energy storage); and
- Engagement with energy efficiency programs offered pursuant to M.G.L.
 c. 25 § 21, or through municipal lighting plants.

Record-Retention

Pure Industries will meet Commission recordkeeping requirements and retain a copy of all records for two (2) years, unless otherwise specified in the regulations.

Plan for Restricting Access to Age 21 and Older

As a cultivation facility Pure Industries, Inc. ("Pure Industries") will not offer access to the general public. Under no circumstances will an individual under the age of 21 be granted into the premises of the facility.

In the event Pure Industries discovers any of its agents intentionally or negligently sold marijuana to an individual under the age of 21, the agent will be immediately terminated and the Commission will be promptly notified, pursuant to 935 CMR 500.105(1)(1). Pure Industries will not hire any individuals who are under the age of 21 or who have been convicted of distribution of controlled substances to minors, pursuant to 935 CMR 500.030(1).

Pursuant to 935 CMR 500.105(4), Pure Industries will not engage in any marketing, advertising or branding practices that are targeted to, deemed to appeal to or portray minors under the age of 21. Pure Industries will not engage in any advertising, marketing and branding by means of television, radio, internet, mobile applications, social media, or other electronic communication, billboard or other outdoor advertising, including charitable, sporting or similar events, unless at least 85% of the audience is reasonably expected to be 21 years of age or older as determined by reliable and current audience composition data. Pure Industries will not manufacture or sell any edible products that resemble a realistic or fictional human, animal or fruit, including artistic, caricature or cartoon renderings, pursuant to 935 CMR 500.150(1)(b). In accordance with 935 CMR 500.105(4)(a)(5), any marketing, advertising and branding materials for public viewing will include a warning stating, "For use only by adults 21 years of age or older. Keep out of the reach of children. Marijuana can impair concentration, coordination and judgment. Do not operate a vehicle or machinery under the influence of marijuana." Pursuant to 935 CMR 500.105(6)(b). Pure Industries packaging for any marijuana or marijuana products will not use bright colors, resemble existing branded products, feature cartoons or celebrities commonly used to market products to minors, feature images of minors or other words that refer to products commonly associated with minors or otherwise be attractive to minors. Pure Industries' website will require all online visitors to verify they are 21 years of age or older prior to accessing the website, in accordance with 935 CMR 500.105(4)(b)(13).

Plan for Separating Recreational from Medical Operations

At this time, Pure Industries, Inc. ("Pure Industries") is not applying for licenses with the Medical Use of Marijuana Program. Should Pure Industries apply for license(s) with the Medical Use of Marijuana Program at a future date, it will update this plan accordingly and will be prepared to comply with all requirements related to separating medical and adult-use operations at its facilities.

Plan to Positively Impact Areas of Disproportionate Impact

Overview

As a proposed facility located within an area of disproportionate impact, Pure Industries, Inc. ("Pure Industries") is dedicated to serving and supporting the surrounding community. Marijuana businesses have an obligation to the health and well-being of their customers as well as the communities that have had historically high rates of arrest, conviction, and incarceration related to marijuana crimes. It is Pure Industries' intention to be a contributing, positive force in areas of disproportionate impact, which the Commission has identified as the following:

- 1. Past or present residents of the geographic "areas of disproportionate impact," which have been defined by the Commission and identified in its Guidance for Identifying Areas of Disproportionate Impact;
- 2. Commission-designated Economic Empowerment Priority applicants;
- 3. Commission-designated Social Equity Program participants;
- 4. Massachusetts residents who have past drug convictions; and
- 5. Massachusetts residents with parents or spouses who have drug convictions are classified as areas of disproportionate impact.

To support such populations, Pure Industries has created the following Plan to Positively Impact Areas of Disproportionate Impact (the "Plan").

Goals

In order for Pure Industries to positively past or present residents of the geographic "areas of disproportionate impact," which have been defined by the Commission and identified in its Guidance for Identifying Areas of Disproportionate Impact, Pure Industries has established the following goals:

- 1. Providing mentoring, professional, and technical services for individuals and businesses facing systemic barriers; and
- 2. Providing staff time dedicated towards positively impacting a geographical location designated as a disproportionately impacted area that will have a positive impact on the members of that community or the community as a whole.

Programs

Pure Industries has developed specific programs to effectuate its stated goals to positively impact areas of disproportionate impact. Such programs will include the following:

 Conduct at least two (2) one-hour industry-specific educational seminars in the City of Lowell annually across one or more of the following topics: marijuana cultivation techniques, marijuana product manufacturing, marijuana business training, marijuana compliance, and energy efficient cultivation practices. Seminars will be publicized within local newspapers, including bilingual media; distributed at local career agencies and community centers; and circulated to marijuana advocacy organizations. Pure Industries will aim to have at least 25 people at each seminar.

2. Provide an annual contribution of \$5,000 to the Old Colony YMCA to support their programs and services in Lowell, Massachusetts that provide direct support for individuals, youth, and families suffering from addiction. A letter from the Old Colony YMCA indicating their willingness to accept this contribution is attached.

Measurements

The Chief Executive Officer will administer the Plan and will be responsible for developing measurable outcomes to ensure Pure Industries continues to meet its commitments. Such measurable outcomes, in accordance with Pure Industries' goals and programs described above, include:

- Number and subject matter of trainings offered and performed, and to whom;
- Number of individuals who attended the trainings;
- Feedback received from evaluations of individuals attending the trainings;
- Employee hours showing time investments in specific local causes; and
- Number of employee community service events held.

The Chief Executive Officer will review and evaluate Pure Industries' measurable outcomes upon PCR renewal to ensure that Pure Industries is meeting its commitments. Pure Industries is mindful that demonstration of the Plan's progress and success will be submitted to the Commission upon renewal.

Acknowledgements

- Pure Industries will adhere to the requirements set forth in 935 CMR 500.105(4) which provides the permitted and prohibited advertising, branding, marketing, and sponsorship practices of every Marijuana Establishment.
- Any actions taken, or programs instituted, by Pure Industries will not violate the Commission's regulations with respect to limitations on ownership or control or other applicable state laws.



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT FOR HEALTHY LIVING FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

September 24, 2019

To whom it may concern:

Since 1887, the Old Colony Y has provided programs and services designed to help people of all ages and abilities build healthy spirits, minds, and bodies. We offer a full range of recreational, educational and fitness programming and activities that stress positive values to enrich the individual, strengthen the family, and enhance the quality of life for all community members. Services provided at OCY include health and fitness programs, competitive sports, swimming instruction, leadership and character development training, childcare, after-school programs, mentoring, and comprehensive summer camping programs. In addition, we have operated a Social Service Branch since 1972, providing residential and community-based treatment, shelter and wraparound services for families experiencing homelessness and licensed mental health and substance abuse services.

A main component of our work in social services includes direct support for individuals, youth, and families suffering from addiction. Any charitable funds Old Colony Y may receive from companies, such as Pure Industries, Inc., that grow or sell marijuana, will be restricted for the sole purpose of providing services and treatment to those affected by substance abuse. Funds contributed by Pure Industries, Inc. will be earmarked to support our programs and services in Lowell.

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