

NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGES ON WASTE DISPOSAL
IN THE REGULATIONS OF THE MARIJUANA CONTROL BOARD

The State of Alaska MARIJUANA Control Board proposes to adopt regulation changes in 3 AAC 306 of the Alaska Administrative Code, dealing with waste disposal of marijuana, including the following:

3 AAC 306.660 is proposed to change the procedures under which marijuana licensees can petition the board for a retest of failed material.

3 AAC 306.740 is proposed to remove the word “roots” from the definition of marijuana waste, and expand the definition to include expired products, and those unfit for sale or consumption.

You may comment on the proposed regulation changes, including the potential costs to private persons of complying with the proposed changes, by submitting written comments to the Alcohol and Marijuana Control Office at 550 West 7th Avenue, Suite 1600, Anchorage, AK 99501. Additionally, the Marijuana Control Board will accept comments by electronic mail at amco.regs@alaska.gov . Comments may also be submitted through the Alaska Online Public Notice System by accessing this notice on the system and using the comment link. The comments must be received not later than 4:30 pm on Tuesday, June 5, 2018.

You may submit written questions relevant to the proposed action to Marijuana Control Board by email at amco.regs@alaska.gov or at 550 West 7th Avenue, Suite 1600, Anchorage, AK 99501. The questions must be received at least 10 days before the end of the public comment period. The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board will aggregate its response to substantially similar questions and make the questions and responses available on the Alaska Online Public Notice System and AMCO Website.

If you are a person with a disability who needs a special accommodation in order to participate in this process, please contact the Alcohol and Marijuana Control Office at amco.regs@alaska.gov or call (907) 269-0350 not later than May 22, 2018, to ensure that any necessary accommodation can be provided.

A copy of the proposed regulation changes is available on the Alaska Online Public Notice System and by contacting the Alcohol and Marijuana Control Office at (907) 269-0350 or amco.regs@alaska.gov.

After the public comment period ends, the Marijuana Control Board will either adopt the proposed regulation changes or other provisions dealing with the same subject, without further notice, or decide to take no action. The language of the final regulation may be different from that of the proposed regulation. You should comment during the time allowed if your interests could be affected.

Statutory authority: AS 17.38.010; AS 17.38.150; AS 17.38.200; AS 17.38.070; AS 17.38.190; AS 17.38.900; AS 17.38.121

Statutes being implemented, interpreted, or made specific: AS 17.38.070; AS 17.38.200;

Fiscal information: The proposed regulation changes are not expected to require an increased appropriation.

Date: May 1, 2018

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Erika McConnell".

Erika McConnell, Director
Alaska Alcohol and Marijuana Control Office