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15 AAC 61.100(a) is amended to read:					
(a) All non-exempt marijuana sold or transferred from a marijuana cultivation facility					
will be taxed as follows:					
(1) mature bud will be taxed at \$50 an ounce [ANY PART OF THE BUD					
AND FLOWER WILL BE TAXED AT \$50 AN OUNCE];					
(2) immature bud will be taxed at \$25 an ounce; [THE REMAINDER OF					
THE PLANT, NOT INCLUDED IN (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION, WILL BE TAXED AT \$15					
AN OUNCE.]					
(3) abnormal bud will be taxed at \$25 an ounce;					
(4) the remainder of the plant will be taxed at \$15 an ounce; and					
(5) clones will be taxed at \$1 per plant.					
15 AAC 61.100 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:					
(d) Marijuana offered for sale in a manner that contains a combination of plant parts wil					
be taxed at the tax rate applicable to the plant part subject to the highest tax rate under this					
section. (Eff. 5/28/2016, Register 218; am/, Register)					
Authority: AS 43.05.080 AS 43.61.010 AS 43.61.020					
The lead-in language to 15 AAC 61.990 is changed to read:					
15 AAC 61.990. Definitions. In <u>AS</u> 43.61 and this chapter,					

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15 AAC 61.	990(1) is repealed:			
	(1) Repealed//	;		
(Eff. 5/28/2016, Register 218; am/, Register)				
15 AAC 61.990 is amended to add the following new paragraphs:				
	(11) "Abnormal bud"	means a flower formed on a flowering marijuana		
plant, and consists of calyx, pistils, resin, and trichomes, that also				
	(A) failed a mi	crobial testing required by 3 AAC 306.645(b); or		
	(B) contains of	bservable seeds;		
	(12) "Clones" has the	meaning given in 3 AAC 306.990(b);		
(13) "Flowering" has the meaning given in 3 AAC 306.990(a);				
(14) "Immature bud" means an immature flower formed on a flowering				
marijuana plant, and consists of calyx, pistils, resin, and trichomes and that generally				
	(A) appear loo	se, wispy, or leafy; and		
	(B) are not den	se to sight or touch;		
	(15) "Mature bud" n	neans a mature flower formed on a flowering		
marijuana plant, and consists of calyx, pistils, resin, and trichomes that are generally i				
	(A) swelled wi	th resin;		
(B) dense to sight and touch; and				
(C) visibly covered in trichomes;				
(16) "Remainder of the plant" means any part of or derived from a				
flowering m	narijuana plant not inclu	ded in paragraphs (11), (14), or (15) of this section;		

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Authority:	AS 43.05.080	AS 43.61.020	AS 43.61.030		
	AS 43.61.010				