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REPORT RE:

DRAFT ORDINANCES AMENDING SECTIONS 104.01, 104.02, 104.03, 104.07, 104.08, 104.09 AND 104.12 OF ARTICLE 4, CHAPTER X, OF THE LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL CODE PERTAINING TO THE REGULATION OF COMMERCIAL CANNABIS ACTIVITY AND AMENDING THE RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR CANNABIS PROCEDURES

The Honorable City Council
of the City of Los Angeles
Room 395, City Hall
200 North Spring Street
Los Angeles, California 90012

Council File No. 14-0366-S5

Honorable Members:

Pursuant to your request, this Office has prepared and now transmits for your consideration, two enclosed draft ordinances, approved as to form and legality. The draft ordinances would amend various sections of Article 4 of Chapter X of the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) and the implementing rules and regulations to: expand the reasons a person may be ineligible to apply for a license; remove the obligation to obtain a delivery license; permit an applicant or licensee to enter into a tax payment plan with the Office of Finance; modify the application period under LAMC Section 104.08; allow DCR to issue temporary approvals to testing labs; revise the zone requirements for Existing Medical Marijuana Dispensaries after 2022; and change the date by which retail products must be properly tested.

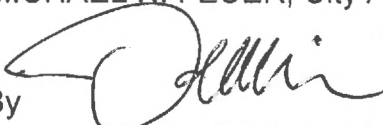
Council Rule 38 Referral

Copies of the draft ordinances were sent, pursuant to Council Rule 38, to the Department of Cannabis Regulation with a request that all comments, if any, be presented directly to the City Council when this matter is considered.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Deputy City Attorney Alexander Freedman at (213) 978-7476. He or another member of this Office will be present when you consider this matter to answer questions you may have.

Very truly yours,

MICHAEL N. FEUER, City Attorney

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Transmittal