

SB0857/268972/1

BY: Judicial Proceedings Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 857
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in lines 2 and 3, strike “Food Containing Medical Cannabis” and substitute “Edible Cannabis Products”; in line 5, strike “process,”; in lines 6, 9, and 11, in each instance, strike “food containing medical cannabis” and substitute “edible cannabis products”; in line 7, after “caregiver;” insert “requiring the Commission, in consultation with the Maryland Department of Health, to adopt certain regulations;”; in lines 13 and 14, strike “food containing medical cannabis” and substitute “edible cannabis products”; in line 17, strike “, (e),”; in the same line, after the fourth comma, insert “and”; in the same line, strike “, and 21–101(a) and (i)”; after line 19, insert:

“BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – Health – General

Section 13–3301(e) and (g) through (n), 13–3307(e) through (i), and 13–3309(e) through (h)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2015 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)”;

in line 22, after “13–3307(e)” insert “and (i)”; in the same line, after “13–3309(e)” insert “and (i)”; and strike in their entirety lines 25 through 28, inclusive.

On page 2, strike line 1 in its entirety.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 10, strike “food” and substitute “EDIBLE CANNABIS PRODUCTS”; and strike line 14 in its entirety and substitute:

(Over)

“(G) (1) “EDIBLE CANNABIS PRODUCT” MEANS A MEDICAL CANNABIS PRODUCT INTENDED FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION BY ORAL INGESTION, IN WHOLE OR IN PART.

(2) “EDIBLE CANNABIS PRODUCT” INCLUDES MEDICAL CANNABIS PRODUCTS THAT DISSOLVE OR DISINTEGRATE IN THE MOUTH.

(3) “EDIBLE CANNABIS PRODUCT” DOES NOT INCLUDE ANY:

(I) MEDICAL CANNABIS CONCENTRATE; OR

(II) MEDICAL CANNABIS-INFUSED PRODUCT, INCLUDING AN OIL, A WAX, AN OINTMENT, A SALVE, A TINCTURE, A CAPSULE, A SUPPOSITORY, A DERMAL PATCH, A CARTRIDGE, A CHEWABLE OR DISSOLVABLE GELATINOUS CUBE, OR ANY OTHER PRODUCT CONTAINING MEDICAL CANNABIS CONCENTRATE OR USABLE CANNABIS THAT HAS BEEN PROCESSED SO THAT DRIED LEAVES AND FLOWERS ARE INTEGRATED INTO OTHER MATERIAL.”.

On page 3, in line 24, strike “FOOD CONTAINING MEDICAL CANNABIS” and substitute **“EDIBLE CANNABIS PRODUCTS”**.

On page 4, after line 3, insert:

“(I) THE COMMISSION, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT, SHALL ADOPT REGULATIONS TO REQUIRE A DISPENSARY TO MEET ANY ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS THAT THE COMMISSION DETERMINES IS NECESSARY, INCLUDING REQUIRING A PERMIT, FOR THE DISPENSING OF EDIBLE CANNABIS PRODUCTS.”;

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in lines 4 and 6, strike “(I)” and “(J)”, respectively, and substitute “(J)” and “(K)”, respectively; in lines 24 and 25, strike “FOOD CONTAINING MEDICAL CANNABIS” and substitute “EDIBLE CANNABIS PRODUCTS”; and in line 26, strike “FOOD CONTAINING MEDICAL CANNABIS” and substitute “EDIBLE CANNABIS PRODUCTS”.

On page 5, after line 10, insert:

“(I) THE COMMISSION, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT, SHALL ADOPT REGULATIONS:

(1) INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE PACKAGING, LABELING, MARKETING, AND APPEARANCE OF EDIBLE CANNABIS PRODUCTS, TO ENSURE THE SAFETY OF MINORS; AND

(2) TO REQUIRE A PROCESSOR TO MEET ANY ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS THAT THE COMMISSION DETERMINES ARE NECESSARY, INCLUDING REQUIRING A PERMIT, FOR THE PROCESSING OF EDIBLE CANNABIS PRODUCTS.”;

in line 11, strike “(I)” and substitute “(J)”; and strike in their entirety lines 13 through 19, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, in line 8, strike “processes,”.

On page 3, in line 23, strike “PROCESS,”; and in line 28, strike “processing,”.