

Dear Chairman Wilson and Committee Members,

My name is Oona Jusem. I live in Baltimore and I am writing to you as an employee of Charm City Hemp, as well as a consumer of CBD and hemp-derived THC products. I strongly urge you to protect access to these products without having to purchase them from recreational dispensaries.

I choose to use these products for their many health and wellness benefits, and I appreciate the ease and affordability of purchasing them from existing businesses that already sell quality, lab-tested products. The prices are significantly lower than those found at cannabis dispensaries, and the potency is also lower, making these products more accessible and appealing to a wider range of consumers like myself and my customers.

Many people rely on these products for their daily health and wellness needs, and we should not be forced to go to a recreational dispensary in order to access them. The current buying experience is simple and straightforward, and I appreciate the convenience of being able to purchase these products from a trusted source. I have many customers, particularly those who are older, who are afraid to change their routine as they know and like what they are purchasing. I would hate to take that option away from them.

I strongly urge you to protect our access to these products and the existing businesses that sell them. By doing so, you will be ensuring that consumers like myself continue to have access to the products that we need and rely on for our health and well-being.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,  
Oona Jusem