



**EFFECTIVE  
OCTOBER 11, 2021, IT IS  
ILLEGAL FOR BUSINESSES  
TO SELL DELTA-8 WITHOUT  
PROPER LICENSING FROM  
THE STATE'S MARIJUANA  
REGULATORY AGENCY.**

**Delta-8** is a product of the cannabis plant that binds to the body's endocannabinoid system, which causes a user to feel high, similar to “regular THC” marijuana (delta-9). Due to public health concerns and the need for rigorous testing of intoxicating cannabis compounds, the Michigan Legislature recently passed – and Governor Whitmer signed – legislation that categorizes all THC isomers of the cannabis plant, (including delta-8) as marijuana, which is now regulated by the state's Marijuana Regulatory Agency (MRA).

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**Side effects of delta-8 may be similar to those of “regular THC”,** including dry mouth, red eyes, short-term memory, paranoia, and anxiety. Delta-8 hasn't been studied extensively and more research is needed on the effects it has on the mind and body.

**Members of the public can report unlicensed commercial production or sale of delta-8 to the MRA by emailing: [MRA-Enforcement@michigan.gov](mailto:MRA-Enforcement@michigan.gov)**