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Medical Marijuana Facility Licensing

1. Executive Summary

The *Marijuana Regulatory Agency Monthly Report* contains the reporting requirements pursuant to both MCL 333.27302(l) and 333.27702 and Section 512 of 2019 PA 60.

The Medical Marijuana Facilities Licensing Act, Section 302(l) [MCL 333.27302 (l)] states:

MRA's duties include all the following:

Reviewing the patterns of marijuana transfers by the licensees under this act as recorded in a statewide database established for use in administering and enforcing this act and making recommendations to the governor and the legislature in a written annual report to the governor and the legislature and additional reports that the governor requests. The annual report shall be submitted by April 15 of each year and shall include the report required under section 702, a statement of receipts and disbursements by the MRA, the actions taken by the MRA, and any additional information and recommendations that the MRA considers appropriate or that the governor requests.

The Medical Marijuana Facilities Licensing Act, Section 702 [MCL 333.27702] states:

The MRA shall submit with the annual report to the governor under section 302(k) (sic) and to the chairs of the legislative committees that govern issues related to marijuana facilities a report covering the previous year. The report shall include an account of the MRA actions, its financial position, results of operation under this act, and any recommendations for legislation that the MRA considers advisable.

2019 PA 60 requires the following:

Sec. 512. The department shall submit a report regarding the medical marijuana facilities licensing and tracking program to the standing committees on appropriations of the senate and house, the senate and house fiscal agencies, and the state budget director by March 1. The report shall include, but is not limited to, the following:

- a. The number of initial license applications received for each license category*
- b. The number of initial applications approved, and the number of initial license applications denied.*
- c. The average amount of time, from receipt to approval or denial, to process an initial application.*
- d. The total number of license applications approved by license category.*
- e. The total amount collected from application fees and regulatory assessments.*

f. The costs of administering the medical marijuana facilities licensing and tracking program.

Pursuant to these requirements, this report has been reviewed by the MRA and prepared and issued electronically to the Governor, chairs of the legislative committees that govern issues related to marijuana facilities, chairs of the House and Senate appropriations standing committees, the House and Senate Fiscal Agencies, and the state budget director to meet the annual, March 1 and April 15 reporting requirements. In addition, this report is also online under the following locations:

- The Marijuana Regulatory Agency (MRA) website at: www.Michigan.gov/MRA
- The *All About LARA* section – Legislative Reports of the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs website at: www.Michigan.gov/LARA

2. Executive Background

The Medical Marijuana Facilities Licensing Act (MMFLA) is a state licensing program administered by the Marijuana Regulatory Agency (MRA), Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs (LARA). The program administers the MMFLA and Marijuana Tracking Act (MTA) as enacted on December 20, 2016. The agency implements the statutory tenets of this act in such a manner that protects the public and assures the safe acquisition of marijuana for patients throughout Michigan.

Specifically, the information provided in this report is based on data from January 1, 2020 through January 31, 2020.

3. METRC Information

a. General Information

General	
January 1, 2020 – January 31, 2020	
Total Sales	\$25,241,895.13
Total Flower Sold (lbs)	2,397.84
Retail Price of Flower (oz, mean)	\$276.37
Retail Price of Flower (oz, median)	\$311.96

Plants			
As of January 31, 2020			
Plant State	Active	Destroyed	On Hold
Immature	22,774	114,498	0
Vegetative	29,994	51,983	0
Flowering	41,377	21,692	0
Harvested	150,621	0	0

Packages	
As of January 31, 2020	
Package Type	Amount
Active	139,922
On Hold	1,377
In Transit	726
Finished	150,249

Transfers	
As of January 31, 2020	
Transfer Type	Amount
Completed	21,071
Voided	452

b. Sales by Product Type

January	Product Type	Pounds Sold	Fluid Ounces Sold	Total Sales
	Flower	2,397.84		\$10,603,081.06
	Shake/Trim	92.73		\$396,633.73
	Concentrate	84.97		\$2,913,875.88
	Vape Cartridge	259.76		\$7,526,685.67
	Infused-Edible	15,221.45		\$3,291,991.63
	Infused Non-Edible Solid	418.65		\$192,811.16
	Infused Liquid		6,875.68	\$311,578.08
	Infused Non-Edible Liquid		271.30	\$5,137.92
	January Total	18,475.40	7,146.98	\$25,241,795.13

4. Actions Taken by the MRA

a. Applications

	Approved & Denied Applications			
	Prequalification		Facility Operating	
	Approvals	Denials	Approvals	Denials
January	87	5	53	3

b. Disciplinary Actions

Disciplinary Actions Issued	
Action	Number
Warning Letter	1
Citation	6
Formal Complaint	2
Final Orders	0

5. Number of Prequalification & Facility Operating License Applications Received

	Applications Received	
	Prequalification	Facility Operator
January	65	51

6. Number of Active Licensed Facility Operators in Each License Type

Active Licenses							
	Grower A	Grower B	Grower C	Processor	Provisioning Center	Safety Compliance	Secure Transporter
January	25	3	144	28	200	7	19

7. Number of Facility Operator Licenses Issued in Each License Type

Licenses Issued							
	Grower A	Grower B	Grower C	Processor	Provisioning Center	Safety Compliance	Secure Transporter
January	4	1	16	5	22	1	4

8. Average Time to Process an Application from Receipt to Approval or Denial

Average Processing Time (Calendar Days)		
	Prequalification	Facility Licensing
January	172.98	202.56

9. Revenue Collected

Revenue Collected	
	Amount
January	\$2,703,216

10. Costs of Administering the Medical Marijuana Facilities and Licensing Program

Receipts and Disbursements	
	Amount
State Employee Wages	\$337,983.43
State Employee Benefits	\$217,541.43
Materials and Equipment	\$8,588.65
Other Contracts	\$1,406.66
All Other Costs	\$201,390.69
Total	\$766,910.86

11. Conclusion

The Marijuana Regulatory Agency's executive and legislative charge is the oversight of medical marijuana in Michigan. This includes the administration and oversight of the MMFLA. The information contained in this report is required pursuant to MCL 333.27302(l) and 333.27702 and Section 512 of 2019 PA 60 and provides specific information regarding: applications submitted, applications approved, applications denied, licenses issued, revenue, expenditures, and timeliness information of the MRA for the time period beginning January 1, 2020 through January 31, 2020.

Adult-Use Establishment Licensing

1. Executive Summary

The *Michigan Regulation and Taxation of Marijuana Act Monthly Report* contains the reporting requirements pursuant to Section 7 of the Michigan Regulation and Taxation of Marihuana Act and Section 512 of 2019 PA 60.

Section 7 of the Michigan Regulation and Taxation of Marihuana Act states that the responsibilities of the Department include:

f. Submitting an annual report to the governor covering the previous year, which report shall include the number of state licenses of each class issued, demographic information on licensees, a description of enforcement and disciplinary actions taken against licensees, and a statement of revenues and expenses of the department related to the implementation, administration and enforcement of this act.

Pursuant to these requirements, this report has been reviewed by the MRA and prepared and issued electronically to the Governor, chairs of the legislative committees that govern issues related to marijuana facilities, chairs of the House and Senate appropriations standing committees, the House and Senate Fiscal Agencies, and the state budget director to meet the annual, March 1 and April 15 reporting requirements. In addition, this report is also online under the following locations:

- The Marijuana Regulatory Agency (MRA) website at: www.Michigan.gov/MRA
- The *All About LARA* section – Legislative Reports of the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs website at: www.Michigan.gov/LARA

2. Executive Background

The Michigan Regulation and Taxation of Marihuana Act (MRTMA) is a state licensing program administered by the Marijuana Regulatory Agency (MRA), Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs (LARA). The program administers the MRTMA as enacted on December 6, 2018. The agency implements the statutory tenets of this act in such a manner that protects the public and assures the safe acquisition of marijuana for individuals throughout Michigan.

Specifically, the information provided in this report is based on data from January 1, 2020 through January 31, 2020

3. METRC Information

a. General Information

General	
January 1, 2020 – January 31, 2020	
Total Sales	\$9,834,711.09
Total Flower Sold (lbs)	588.73
Retail Price of Flower (oz, mean)	\$512.05
Retail Price of Flower (oz, median)	\$468.83

Plants			
As of January 31, 2020			
Plant State	Active	Destroyed	On Hold
Immature	2,241	1,672	0
Vegetative	2,438	569	0
Flowering	4,839	16	0
Harvested	1,548	0	0

Packages	
As of January 31, 2020	
Package Type	Amount
Active	9,546
On Hold	0
In Transit	46
Finished	9,901

Transfers	
As of January 31, 2020	
Transfer Type	Amount
Completed	671
Voided	13

b. Sales by Product Type

January	Product Type	Pounds Sold	Fluid Ounces Sold	Total Sales
	Flower	588.73		\$4,823,462.67
	Shake/Trim	7.05		\$219,429.18
	Concentrate	3.91		\$720,791.66
	Vape Cartridge	10.34		\$2,518,632.06
	Infused-Edible	4,331.75		\$1,476,096.82
	Infused Non-Edible Solid	94.84		\$59,223.06
	Infused Liquid		242.23	\$16,940.64
	Infused Non-Edible Liquid		5.1	\$135.00
	January Total	5,036.62	247.33	\$9,834,711.09

4. Actions Taken by the MRA

a. Applications

	Approved & Denied Applications			
	Prequalification		Facility Operating	
	Approvals	Denials	Approvals	Denials
January	34	2	24	19

b. Disciplinary Actions

No disciplinary actions were taken.

5. Number of Prequalification & Facility Operating License Applications Received

	Applications Received	
	Prequalification	Facility Operator
January	47	41

6. Number of Active Licensed Facility Operators in Each License Type

January Active Licenses					
Class A	Class B	Class C	Consumption Est.	Event Organizer	Excess Grower
0	1	17	0	3	0
Microbusiness	Processor	Retailer	Safety Compliance	Secure Transporter	Temporary Event
0	6	42	1	4	0

7. Number of Facility Operator Licenses Issued in Each License Type

January Active Licenses					
Class A	Class B	Class C	Consumption Est.	Event Organizer	Excess Grower
0	1	4	0	1	0
Microbusiness	Processor	Retailer	Safety Compliance	Secure Transporter	Temporary Event
0	1	16	0	1	0

8. Average Time to Process an Application from Receipt to Approval or Denial

Average Processing Time (Calendar Days)		
	Prequalification	Facility Licensing
January	22.39	58.02

9. Revenue Collected

Revenue Collected	
	Amount
January	\$885,733

10. Costs of Administering the Adult-Use Establishment Licensing Program

Receipts and Disbursements	
	Amount
State Employee Wages	\$199,003.374
State Employee Benefits	\$138,786.43
Materials and Equipment	\$1,267.58
Other Contracts	\$830.93
All Other Costs	\$217,003.45
Total	\$556,891.76

Medical Marijuana Registry Program

1. Executive Summary

The *Marijuana Regulatory Agency Monthly Report* contains the reporting requirements pursuant to both MCL 333.26426(i) (1), (2), (3), (4) and (5) and Section 505 of 2019 PA 60.

The Michigan Medical Marihuana Act, Initiated Law 1 of 2008, Section 6 (i) [MCL 333.26426 (i), (1), (2), (3), (4) and (5)] states:

The department shall submit to the legislature an annual report that does not disclose any identifying information about qualifying patients, primary caregivers, or physicians, but does contain, at a minimum, all of the following information:

- a. The number of applications filed for registry identification cards.*
- b. The number of qualifying patients and primary caregivers approved in each county.*
- c. The nature of the debilitating medical conditions of the qualifying patients.*
- d. The number of registry identification cards revoked.*
- e. The number of physicians providing written certifications for qualifying patients.*

Section 505 of 2019 PA 60 states:

The department shall submit a report by January 31 to the standing committees on appropriations of the senate and house of representatives, the fiscal agencies, and the state budget director that includes all of the following information for the prior fiscal year regarding the medical marihuana program under the Michigan medical marihuana act, 2008 IL 1, MCL 333.26421 to 333.26430:

- a. The number of initial applications received.*
- b. The number of initial applications approved, and the number of initial applications denied.*
- c. The average amount of time, from receipt to approval or denial, to process an initial application.*
- d. The number of renewal applications received.*
- e. The number of renewal applications approved, and the number of renewal applications denied.*
- f. The average amount of time, from receipt to approval or denial, to process a renewal application. The percentage of initial applications not approved or denied within the time requirements established in section 6 of the Michigan medical marihuana act, 2008 IL 1, MCL 333.26426.*
- g. The percentage of renewal applications not approved or denied within the time requirements established in section 6 of the Michigan medical marihuana act, 2008 IL 1, MCL 333.26426.*
- h. The percentage of registry cards for approved initial applications not issued*

within the time requirements established in section 6 of the Michigan medical marihuana act, 2008 IL 1, MCL 333.26426.

i. The percentage of registry cards for approved renewal applications not issued within the time requirements established in section 6 of the Michigan medical marihuana act, 2008 IL 1, MCL 333.26426.

j. The amount collected from the medical marihuana program application and renewal fees authorized in section 5 of the Michigan medical marihuana act, 2008 IL 1, MCL 333.26425.

k. The costs of administering the medical marihuana program under the Michigan medical marihuana act, 2008 IL 1, MCL 333.26421 to 333.26430.

Pursuant to these requirements, this report has been prepared and issued electronically to the House and Senate appropriation standing committees, House and Senate Fiscal Agencies, and the state budget director to meet both the annual and January 31 reporting requirements. In addition, this report is also online under the following locations:

- The Marijuana Regulatory Agency (MRA) website at: www.Michigan.gov/MRA
- The *All About LARA* section – Legislative Reports of the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs website at: www.Michigan.gov/LARA

2. Executive Background

The Michigan Medical Marijuana Program (MMMP) is a state registry program within the Marijuana Regulatory Agency, Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs (LARA). The program administers the Michigan Medical Marihuana Act as approved by Michigan voters on November 4, 2008. The program implements the statutory tenets of this act in such a manner that protects the public and assures the confidentiality of its participants.

Specifically, the information provided in this report is based on data from January 1, 2020 through January 31, 2020.

3. Number of Initial, Renewal and Online Applications Received

Applications and Renewals Received							
Initial Applications			Renewals			Grand Total	
	Paper	Online	Total	Paper	Online	Total	
January	5,649	2,252	7,901	2,182	678	2,860	10,791

4. Number of Qualifying Patients & Primary Caregivers Approved by County

As of January 31, 2020					
County	Patients	Caregivers	County	Patients	Caregivers
Alcona	559	63	Lake	319	64
Alger	423	97	Lapeer	3,306	525
Allegan	4,109	674	Leelanau	443	64
Alpena	788	94	Lenawee	3,884	596
Antrim	993	215	Livingston	4,452	576
Arenac	1,062	150	Luce	111	26
Baraga	158	20	Mackinac	235	35
Barry	1,768	311	Macomb	28,508	3,931
Bay	5,045	419	Manistee	541	98
Benzie	770	138	Marquette	723	223
Berrien	4,161	739	Mason	684	102
Branch	1,638	291	Mecosta	549	87
Calhoun	3,005	569	Menominee	525	113
Cass	1,642	305	Midland	2,056	228
Charlevoix	504	80	Missaukee	244	49
Cheboygan	632	107	Monroe	4,714	628
Chippewa	586	101	Montcalm	1,779	345
Clare	1,333	224	Montmorency	255	60
Clinton	2,613	351	Muskegon	3,727	498
Crawford	781	126	Newaygo	1,637	264
Delta	804	167	Oakland	37,057	4,160
Dickinson	661	156	Oceana	1,180	181
Eaton	3,523	556	Ogemaw	585	74
Emmet	435	73	Ontonagon	149	25
Genesee	12,387	2,018	Osceola	547	118
Gladwin	390	74	Oscoda	190	22
Gogebic	407	93	Otsego	375	69
Grand Traverse	1,486	255	Ottawa	3,792	449
Gratiot	573	93	Out of State	0	12
Hillsdale	1,529	284	Presque Isle	220	49
Houghton	414	73	Roscommon	634	114
Huron	664	62	Saginaw	4,714	579
Ingham	5,686	867	Saint Clair	4,277	573
Ionia	821	122	Saint Joseph	1,155	248
Iosco	607	86	Sanilac	1,028	148
Iron	299	57	Schoolcraft	127	27
Isabella	823	126	Shiawassee	2,668	404
Jackson	4,506	743	Tuscola	3,073	534
Kalamazoo	4,387	688	Van Buren	2,139	394
Kalkaska	450	98	Washtenaw	12,914	1,322
Kent	9,332	1,080	Wayne	47,633	5,038
Keweenaw	115	28	Wexford	1,050	211
Total	267,068	36,136			

5. Nature of Debilitating Medical Condition of Qualifying Patients

As of January 31, 2020	
Condition	Percent of Total
Agitation of Alzheimer's Disease	0.01
AIDS	0.03
Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis	0.03
Arthritis	20.87
Autism	0.22
Cachexia or Wasting Syndrome	0.41
Cancer	4.40
Cerebral Palsy	0.13
Chronic Pain	53.09
Colitis	0.19
Crohn's Disease	0.92
Glaucoma	1.48
Hepatitis C	0.75
HIV Positive	0.30
Inflammatory Bowel Disease	0.71
Muscle Spasms	14.90
Nail Patella	0.02
Obsessive Compulsive Disorder	0.83
Parkinson's Disease	0.23
Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder	4.91
Rheumatoid Arthritis	1.50
Seizures	1.72
Severe and Chronic Pain	54.62
Severe Nausea	6.88
Spinal Cord Injury	0.33
Tourette's Syndrome	0.07
Ulcerative Colitis	0.38

6. Number of Registry Identification Cards Revoked

Registry Identification Cards Revoked	
Month	Revoked
January	0

7. Number of Physicians Providing Written Certifications for Qualifying Patients

Physicians Providing Written Certifications	
Month	Physicians
January	440

8. Number of Initial Applications Issued & Denied

Initial Applications Issued and Denied							
	Issued			Denied			Grand Total
	Paper	ACA	Total	Paper	ACA	Total	
January	5,291	2,224	7,515	1,067	28	1,095	8,610

9. Number of Renewal Applications Issued & Denied

Renewal Applications Issued and Denied							
	Issued			Denied			Grand Total
	Paper	ACA	Total	Paper	ACA	Total	
January	1,854	659	2,513	199	19	218	2,731

10. Average Time to Process an Initial Application

Average Number of Days to Process an Initial Application							
	Approvals			Denials			% Not Compliant
	Paper	Online	Combined	Paper	Online	Combined	
January	4.02	0	2.83	4.90	.14	4.78	.03%

11. Average Time to Process a Renewal Application

Average Number of Days to Process a Renewal Application							
	Approvals			Denials			% Not Compliant
	Paper	Online	Combined	Paper	Online	Combined	
January	3.70	0	2.73	4.53	0	4.14	0%

12. Registry Cards not Issued within Time Requirements

Registration Cards not Issued within Time Requirements		
	Applications	Renewals
January	.03%	0%

13. Amount Collected from Application & Renewal Fees

Revenue Collected	
	Amount
January	\$437,175.00

14. Costs of Administering the Michigan Medical Marihuana Program

Receipts and Disbursements	
	Amount
State Employee Wages	\$153,522.28
State Employee Benefits	\$104,216.87
Materials and Equipment	\$7,594.29
Other Contracts	\$40,902.43
All Other Costs	\$106,183.38
Total	\$412,419.25

15. Conclusion

The Marijuana Regulatory Agency's executive and legislative charge is the oversight of medical marijuana in Michigan. This includes the administration and oversight of the MMMP. The information contained in this report is required pursuant to MCL 333.26426 (i) (1), (2), (3), (4) and (5) and Section 505 of PA 207 of 2018 and provides specific information regarding: identification cards, patients and primary caregivers, the nature of debilitating medical conditions of qualifying patients, the number of physicians providing written certifications for qualifying patients, revenue, expenditures, application determinations, and timeliness information of the MMMP for the time period beginning January 1, 2020 through January 31, 2020.