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FINAL DETERMINATION OF THE DEPARTMENT

In accordance with the Michigan Medical Marihuana Act, Initiated Law 1 of 2008, MCL 333.26421, *et seq.* (MMMA), and the associated Michigan Administrative Rules, R 333.101 *et seq.*, a Petition was filed with the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs to consider adding Cerebral Palsy to the list of debilitating medical conditions under MCL 333.26423(b) and pursuant to R 333.131 and R 333.133.

The Medical Marihuana Review Panel (Panel) held a public hearing on February 14, 2019, to hear public comment on the petitions. In addition, public comment was open for five business days. In accordance with R 333.131(5), a majority of the Panel of those present at a meeting shall concur with the recommendation in order to be considered an official recommendation of the Panel.

On February 22, 2019, the Panel met to review and make a recommendation to the Department regarding whether the Petitions should be approved or denied. After discussion, the Panel voted 5 to 0 to recommend that the Petition for Cerebral Palsy be approved pursuant to MCL 333.26426(k). As required by MCL 333.26425(a), the official recommendation of the Panel now comes to the Department for final action. The Department shall approve or deny Petitions within 180 days of the submission of the Petition.

Decision

For the reasons stated above, under the authority granted to me pursuant to the MMMA and associated Administrative Rules, the recommendation of the Medical Marihuana Review Panel for inclusion of CEREBRAL PALSY is APPROVED.

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Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs