AN ACT

Relating to marijuana; and declaring an emergency.

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2015 Act is added to and made a part of ORS 475.300 to 475.346.

SECTION 2. (1) As used in this section:
(a) “Limited marijuana retail product” means:
(A) The seeds of marijuana;
(B) The dried leaves and flowers of marijuana; and
(C) A marijuana plant that is not flowering.
(b) “Marijuana” means the plant Cannabis family Cannabaceae, any part of the plant Cannabis family Cannabaceae and the seeds of the plant Cannabis family Cannabaceae.
(c) “Medical marijuana dispensary” means an entity registered with the Oregon Health Authority under ORS 475.314.

(2) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, on and after October 1, 2015, a medical marijuana dispensary may sell limited marijuana retail product to a person who is 21 years of age or older if:
(a) The person presents proof of age to the medical marijuana dispensary before entering into the medical marijuana dispensary;
(b) The medical marijuana dispensary verifies that the person is 21 years of age or older at the time of the sale;
(c) The medical marijuana dispensary sells no more than one-quarter ounce of limited marijuana retail product to the person per day if the person is purchasing the dried leaves and flowers of marijuana; and
(d) The medical marijuana dispensary sells no more than four units of limited marijuana retail product to the person if the person is purchasing a marijuana plant that is not flowering.

(3) A city or county may adopt ordinances prohibiting the sale of limited marijuana retail product as described in this section in the area subject to the jurisdiction of the city or the unincorporated area subject to the jurisdiction of the county.

(4) The authority shall adopt rules to implement this section, including rules that:
(a) Are necessary to ensure the public health and safety; and
(b) Ensure that a medical marijuana dispensary complies with this section.
(5) The authority may prohibit a medical marijuana dispensary from selling limited marijuana retail product as described in this section if the medical marijuana dispensary violates this section.

SECTION 3. Section 2 of this 2015 Act is repealed on December 31, 2016.

SECTION 4. This 2015 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2015 Act takes effect on its passage.

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Lori L. Brocker, Secretary of Senate

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