

## Oregon Cannabis Commission Quarterly Meeting

April 21, 2021

Meeting materials - Legislative update

Legislative stuff wouldn't be necessary if OLCC was actually using OCC as an advisory panel.

There are 18 bills, relating to cannabis/marijuana still active and moving through the building. This is down from thirty-nine bills when session started. I have listed all but two, SB 5533, Oregon Marijuana Account distribution, and HB 5024, General Fund appropriation for Oregon Health Authority.

### Senate Bills

- SB 96** Defines "cannabinoids for purpose of inhalant delivery systems.  
3.5 – do-pass referred to W&M's
- SB 157** Enacts express sunset for medical marijuana tax exemption. This bill, along with its companion bill HB 2445, are housekeeping bills that occur every six years extending tax exemptions for certain groups.  
3.29 – SB 157, do-pass, referred to Joint Committee on Tax Expenditures  
3.11 - HB 2445, do-pass, referred to W&M's
- SB 307** Wavies fees for obtaining MMJ cards for veterans with 50% service related disability or illness.  
3.24 – do pass
- SB 408-5** Transfers authority to determine concentration and packaging limits for cannabis from OHA to OLCC. Reduces delays in processing change of ownership between existing licensees. Revocation or suspension of licenses, training classes to minimize compliance issues, upgrading sanction matrix. Updates delivery options. Allows OLCC growers to obtain seeds from any source within Oregon.  
4.16 – do-pass with -5 amendment, referred to W&M's
- SB 758-2** Amends Oregon Medical Marijuana Act. Omnibus bill increasing grower transfers to patients, expands list of providers who can sign a patient APS form, adds SSDI to reduced card eligibility, creates permanent card for incurable conditions, modifies and updates card registration and renewal process, removes requirement to register grow site address if growing 6 plants for personal medical use. Requires OLCC to create minimum requirements for patient services as part of application process. Transfers 4% of Marijuana Acct. to OMMP administrative costs.  
4.12 – do pass with -2, referred to W&M's
- SB 808** Defines OLCC regulatory specialists under ORS 475B.025 and .299 as Peace Officer.  
4.13 – do pass

### House Bills

- HB 2111** OLCC name change from Oregon Liquor Control Commission to Oregon Liquor and Cannabis Commission.  
4.1 Passed House, 54-1  
4.5 1<sup>st</sup> reading

- 4.12 referred to Labor and Business  
4.20 public hearing scheduled
- HB 2263-5** Allows OLCC growers and processors to use internal tracking system rather than OLCC CTS/Metric system. Removes requirements to tag plants. Does not amend for OMMP growers in CTS/Metric
- HB 2265-2** Requires OMMP growers with three or more patients to begin registering with OLCC  
(HB 3015-5) beginning June 1, 2022.  
4.8 Do pass, referred to W&M's
- HB 2416** Directs State Department of Agriculture to advance design of cannabis business certification program. Directs Oregon Liquor Control Commission to allocate moneys from Marijuana Control and Regulation Fund to department for purposes of cannabis business certification program.  
3.11 do pass, referred to W&M's
- HB 2519** Jurisdictional delivery issues, upgrades delivery statute allowing for greater amounts allowed in vehicle during delivery. Requires additional security upgrades.  
4.10 Passed House 34-14  
4.15 Referred to Business & Labor  
4.20 PH scheduled
- HB 3000-4** Addresses "hot hemp" and Delta 8 issues, allows OLCC to determine concentration levels.  
4.16 do pass referred to Rules  
4.19 PH scheduled
- HB 3013-5** Requires OHA dispensaries and processors to begin registering with the OLCC beginning  
4.13 do pass
- HB 3112** Cannabis Equity Act  
4.16 Without recommendation, referred to Rules then W&M's  
4.19 PH scheduled
- HB 3197-1** Addresses Marijuana Worker Permits and Processing Hemp Oil for non-OLCC markets  
3.29 do pass, referred to W&M's
- HB 3369-1** Expands list of providers who can sign a patient card. Specifically protects RN's for licensing board for having conversation relating to risks and benefits and recommendations for cannabis with patients This bill was originally similar to SB 758 and was gut and stuffed with HB 3387, Rep. Prusak's bill expanding provider provisions  
4.16 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, Passed 47-5  
4.19 1<sup>st</sup> reading Senate