

HOUSE BILL NO. 1973

AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE

(Proposed by the House Committee for Courts of Justice

on _____)

(Patron Prior to Substitute--Delegate Leftwich)

A BILL to amend and reenact §§ 3.2-4112, 3.2-4113, 3.2-4114, 3.2-4114.2, 3.2-4115, 3.2-4116, 3.2-4118, 3.2-4119, 3.2-5145.1, 3.2-5145.2:1, 3.2-5145.4, 3.2-5145.5, 4.1-600, 18.2-247, 18.2-251.1:3, 18.2-371.2, 54.1-3401, 54.1-3408.3, 54.1-3423, 54.1-3442.6, 54.1-3442.7, 54.1-3443, 54.1-3446, 59.1-200, 59.1-203, and 59.1-206 of the Code of Virginia and to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 3.2-5145.4:1, relating to tetrahydrocannabinol; industrial hemp; regulated hemp products.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That §§ 3.2-4112, 3.2-4113, 3.2-4114, 3.2-4114.2, 3.2-4115, 3.2-4116, 3.2-4118, 3.2-4119, 3.2-5145.1, 3.2-5145.2:1, 3.2-5145.4, 3.2-5145.5, 4.1-600, 18.2-247, 18.2-251.1:3, 18.2-371.2, 54.1-3401, 54.1-3408.3, 54.1-3423, 54.1-3442.6, 54.1-3442.7, 54.1-3443, 54.1-3446, 59.1-200, 59.1-203, and 59.1-206 of the Code of Virginia are amended and reenacted and that the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 3.2-5145.4:1 as follows:

§ 3.2-4112. Definitions.

As used in this chapter, unless the context requires a different meaning:

"Cannabis sativa product" means a product made from any part of the plant Cannabis sativa with a concentration of tetrahydrocannabinol that is greater than that allowed by federal law.

~~"Deal" means to temporarily possess industrial hemp grown in compliance with state or federal law that (i) has not been processed and (ii) was not grown and will not be processed by the person temporarily possessing it.~~

25 ~~"Dealer" means any person who is registered pursuant to subsection A of § 3.2-4115 to deal in~~
26 ~~industrial hemp. "Dealer" does not include a retail establishment that sells or offers for sale a hemp~~
27 ~~product.~~

28 ~~"Dealership" means the location at which a dealer stores or intends to store the industrial hemp in~~
29 ~~which he deals.~~

30 "Federally licensed hemp producer" means a person who holds a hemp producer license issued by
31 the U.S. Department of Agriculture pursuant to 7 C.F.R. Part 990.

32 "Grow" means to plant, cultivate, or harvest a plant or crop.

33 "Grower" means any person registered pursuant to subsection A of § 3.2-4115 to grow industrial
34 hemp.

35 "Handle" means to temporarily possess industrial hemp grown in compliance with state or federal
36 law that (i) has not been processed and (ii) was not grown by and will not be processed by the person
37 temporarily possessing it.

38 "Handler" means any person who is registered pursuant to subsection A of § 3.2-4115 to handle
39 industrial hemp. "Handler" does not include a retail establishment that sells or offers for sale a hemp
40 product.

41 "Handler's storage site" means the location at which a handler stores or intends to store the
42 industrial hemp he handles.

43 "Hemp product" means a product, including any raw materials from industrial hemp that are used
44 for or added to a food or beverage ~~product~~, that (i) contains industrial hemp and has completed all stages
45 of processing needed for the product and (ii) when offered for retail sale (a) contains a total
46 tetrahydrocannabinol concentration of no greater than 0.3 percent and (b) contains no more than two
47 milligrams of total tetrahydrocannabinol per package or a ratio of cannabidiol to total
48 tetrahydrocannabinol that is greater than or equal to 30:1.

49 "Industrial hemp" means any part of the plant Cannabis sativa, including seeds thereof, whether
50 growing or not, with a concentration of tetrahydrocannabinol that is no greater than that allowed by federal

51 law. "Industrial hemp" includes an industrial hemp extract that has not completed all stages of processing
52 needed to convert the extract into a hemp product.

53 "Process" means to convert industrial hemp into a hemp product.

54 "Processor" means a person registered pursuant to subsection A of § 3.2-4115 to process industrial
55 hemp.

56 "Process site" means the location at which a processor processes or intends to process industrial
57 hemp.

58 "Production field" means the land or area on which a grower or a federally licensed hemp producer
59 is growing or intends to grow industrial hemp.

60 "Tetrahydrocannabinol" means any naturally occurring or synthetic tetrahydrocannabinol,
61 including its salts, isomers, and salts of isomers whenever the existence of such salts, isomers, and salts
62 of isomers is possible within the specific chemical designation and any preparation, mixture, or substance
63 containing, or mixed or infused with, any detectable amount of tetrahydrocannabinol.

64 "Tetrahydrocannabinol" includes delta-6a(10a), delta-7, delta-8, delta-9, and delta-10
65 tetrahydrocannabinol. For the purposes of this definition, "isomer" means the optical, position, and
66 geometric isomers.

67 "Total tetrahydrocannabinol" means the sum, after the application of any necessary conversion
68 factor, of the percentage by weight of tetrahydrocannabinol and the percentage by weight of
69 tetrahydrocannabinolic acid.

70 **§ 3.2-4113. Production of industrial hemp lawful.**

71 A. It is lawful for a grower, his agent, or a federally licensed hemp producer to grow, a ~~dealer~~
72 handler or his agent to ~~deal in~~ handle, or a processor or his agent to process industrial hemp in the
73 Commonwealth for any lawful purpose. No federally licensed hemp producer or grower or his agent shall
74 be prosecuted under Chapter 11 (§ 4.1-1100 et seq.) of Title 4.1 or § 18.2-247, 18.2-248, 18.2-248.01,
75 18.2-248.1, or 18.2-250 for the possession or growing of industrial hemp or any Cannabis sativa with a
76 tetrahydrocannabinol concentration that does not exceed the total ~~delta-9~~ tetrahydrocannabinol
77 concentration percentage established in federal regulations applicable to negligent violations located at 7

78 C.F.R. § 990.6(b)(3). No ~~dealer~~ handler or his agent or processor or his agent shall be prosecuted under
 79 Chapter 11 (§ 4.1-1100 et seq.) of Title 4.1 or § 18.2-247, 18.2-248, 18.2-248.01, 18.2-248.1, or 18.2-250
 80 or issued a summons or judgment for the possession, ~~dealer~~ handling, or processing of industrial hemp.
 81 In any complaint, information, or indictment, and in any action or proceeding brought for the enforcement
 82 of any provision of Article 1 (§ 18.2-247 et seq.) of Chapter 7 of Title 18.2 or the Drug Control Act (§
 83 54.1-3400 et seq.), it shall not be necessary to negate any exception, excuse, proviso, or exemption
 84 contained in this chapter or the Drug Control Act, and the burden of proof of any such exception, excuse,
 85 proviso, or exemption shall be on the defendant.

86 B. Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to authorize any person to violate any federal law or
 87 regulation.

88 C. No person shall be prosecuted under Chapter 11 (§ 4.1-1100 et seq.) of Title 4.1 or § 18.2-247,
 89 18.2-248, 18.2-248.01, 18.2-248.1, or 18.2-250 for the involuntary growth of industrial hemp through the
 90 inadvertent natural spread of seeds or pollen as a result of proximity to a production field, ~~dealership~~
 91 handler's storage site, or process site.

92 **§ 3.2-4114. Regulations.**

93 A. The Board may adopt regulations pursuant to this chapter as necessary to register persons to
 94 grow, ~~deal in~~ handle, or process industrial hemp or implement the provisions of this chapter.

95 B. Upon publication by the U.S. Department of Agriculture in the Federal Register of any final
 96 rule regarding industrial hemp that materially expands opportunities for growing, producing, or ~~dealer~~ handling in
 97 handling industrial hemp in the Commonwealth, the Board shall immediately adopt amendments
 98 conforming Department regulations to such federal final rule. Such adoption of regulations by the Board
 99 shall be exempt from the provisions of the Administrative Process Act (§ 2.2-4000 et seq.).

100 **§ 3.2-4114.2. Authority of Commissioner; notice to law enforcement; report.**

101 A. The Commissioner may charge a nonrefundable fee not to exceed \$250 for any application for
 102 registration or renewal of registration allowed under this chapter. The Commissioner may charge a
 103 nonrefundable fee for the tetrahydrocannabinol testing allowed under this chapter. All fees collected by
 104 the Commissioner shall be deposited in the state treasury.

105 B. The Commissioner shall adopt regulations establishing a fee structure for a registration issued
106 pursuant to § 3.2-4115. With the exception of § 2.2-4031, no provision of the Administrative Process Act
107 (§ 2.2-4000 et seq.) or public participation guideline adopted pursuant thereto shall apply to the adoption
108 of any regulation pursuant to this subsection. However, prior to adopting any regulation pursuant to this
109 subsection, the Commissioner shall review the recommendation of an advisory panel that shall consider
110 the economic impact of any proposed fee amount on the Commonwealth's industrial hemp industry. The
111 advisory panel shall, at a minimum, include (i) an agribusiness representative or organization, (ii) a
112 farming representative or organization, and (iii) a hemp industry representative or organization. Prior to
113 adopting any regulation pursuant to this subsection, the Commissioner shall publish a notice of
114 opportunity to comment in the Virginia Register of Regulations and post the action on the Virginia
115 Regulatory Town Hall. Such notice shall contain (a) a summary of the proposed regulation; (b) the text of
116 the proposed regulation; and (c) the name, address, and telephone number of the agency contact person
117 responsible for receiving public comments. Such notice shall be made at least 60 days in advance of the
118 last date prescribed in such notice of submittals of public comment. The legislative review provisions of
119 subsections A and B of § 2.2-4014 shall apply to the promulgation or final adoption process of regulations
120 pursuant to this subsection. The Commissioner shall consider and keep on file all public comments
121 received for any regulation adopted pursuant to this subsection.

122 C. The Commissioner may establish an application period for a registration or renewal of
123 registration allowed under this chapter.

124 D. The Commissioner shall notify the Superintendent of State Police of each registration issued
125 by the Commissioner under this chapter and each license submitted to the Commissioner by a federally
126 licensed hemp producer.

127 E. The Commissioner shall forward a copy or appropriate electronic record of each registration
128 issued by the Commissioner under this chapter and each license submitted to the Commissioner by a
129 federally licensed hemp producer to the chief law-enforcement officer of the county or city where
130 industrial hemp will be grown, ~~dealt~~ handled, or processed.

131 F. The Commissioner may monitor the industrial hemp grown, ~~dealt~~ handled, or processed by a
132 person registered pursuant to ~~subsection A of~~ § 3.2-4115 and provide for random sampling and testing of
133 the industrial hemp in accordance with any criteria established by the Commissioner and at the cost of the
134 grower, ~~dealer~~ handler, or processor, for compliance with tetrahydrocannabinol limits and for other
135 appropriate purposes established pursuant to § 3.2-4114. In addition to any routine inspection and
136 sampling, the Commissioner may inspect and sample the industrial hemp at any production field,
137 ~~dealership~~ handler's storage site, or process site during normal business hours without advance notice if
138 he has reason to believe a violation of this chapter is occurring or has occurred.

139 G. The Commissioner may require a grower, ~~dealer~~ handler, or processor to destroy, at the cost of
140 the grower, ~~dealer~~ handler, or processor and in a manner approved of and verified by the Commissioner,
141 any Cannabis sativa that the grower grows, ~~in which the dealer deals~~ the handler handles, or ~~that~~ the
142 processor processes that has been tested and is found to have a concentration of tetrahydrocannabinol that
143 is greater than that allowed by federal law, or any Cannabis sativa product that the processor produces.

144 H. Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection G, if the provisions of subdivisions 1 and 2 are
145 included in a plan that (i) is submitted by the Department pursuant to § 10113 of the federal Agriculture
146 Improvement Act of 2018, P.L. 115-334, (ii) requires the Department to monitor and regulate the
147 production of industrial hemp in the Commonwealth, and (iii) is approved by the U.S. Secretary of
148 Agriculture:

149 1. The Commissioner may require a grower, ~~dealer~~ handler, or processor to destroy, at the cost of
150 the grower, ~~dealer~~ handler, or processor and in a manner approved of and verified by the Commissioner,
151 any Cannabis sativa that the grower grows, ~~in which the dealer deals~~ the handler handles, or ~~that~~ the
152 processor processes that has been tested and is found to have a concentration of tetrahydrocannabinol that
153 is greater than 0.6 percent.

154 2. If such a test of Cannabis sativa indicates a concentration of tetrahydrocannabinol that is greater
155 than 0.6 percent but less than one percent, the Commissioner shall allow the grower, ~~dealer~~ handler, or
156 processor to request that the Cannabis sativa be sampled and tested again before he requires its destruction.

157 I. The Commissioner shall advise the Superintendent of State Police or the chief law-enforcement
158 officer of the appropriate county or city when, with a culpable mental state greater than negligence, a
159 grower grows, ~~a dealer deals in~~ a handler handles, or a processor processes any Cannabis sativa with a
160 concentration of tetrahydrocannabinol that is greater than that allowed by federal law or a processor
161 produces a Cannabis sativa product.

162 J. The Commissioner may pursue any permits or waivers from the U.S. Drug Enforcement
163 Administration or appropriate federal agency that he determines to be necessary for the advancement of
164 the industrial hemp industry.

165 K. The Commissioner may establish a corrective action plan to address a negligent violation of
166 any provision of this chapter.

167 **§ 3.2-4115. Issuance of registrations; exemption.**

168 A. The Commissioner shall establish a registration program to allow a person to grow, ~~deal in~~
169 handle, or process industrial hemp in the Commonwealth.

170 B. Any person seeking to grow, ~~deal in~~ handle, or process industrial hemp in the Commonwealth
171 shall apply to the Commissioner for a registration on a form provided by the Commissioner. At a
172 minimum, the application shall include:

173 1. The name and mailing address of the applicant;

174 2. The legal description and geographic data sufficient for locating (i) the land on which the
175 applicant intends to grow industrial hemp, (ii) the site at which the applicant intends to ~~deal in~~ handle
176 industrial hemp, or (iii) the site at which the applicant intends to process industrial hemp. A registration
177 shall authorize industrial hemp growth, ~~dealing in~~ handling, or processing only at the location specified in
178 the registration;

179 3. A signed statement indicating whether the applicant has ever been convicted of a felony. A
180 person with a prior felony drug conviction within 10 years of applying for a registration under this section
181 shall not be eligible to be registered;

182 4. Written consent allowing the sheriff's office, police department, or Department of State Police,
183 if a registration is ultimately issued to the applicant, to enter the premises on which the industrial hemp is

184 grown, ~~dealt in~~ handled, or processed to conduct physical inspections of the industrial hemp and to ensure
185 compliance with the requirements of this chapter. No more than two physical inspections shall be
186 conducted under this subdivision per year, unless a valid search warrant for an inspection has been issued
187 by a court of competent jurisdiction;

188 5. Written consent allowing the Commissioner or his designee to enter the premises on which the
189 industrial hemp is grown, ~~dealt in~~ handled, or processed to conduct inspections and sampling of the
190 industrial hemp to ensure compliance with the requirements of this chapter;

191 6. A statement of the approximate square footage or acreage of the location he intends to use as a
192 production field, ~~dealership~~ handler's storage site, or process site;

193 7. Any other information required by the Commissioner; and

194 8. The payment of a nonrefundable application fee, in an amount set by the Commissioner.

195 C. Each registration issued pursuant to this section shall be valid for a period of one year from the
196 date of issuance and may be renewed in successive years. Each annual renewal shall require the payment
197 of a registration renewal fee, in an amount set by the Commissioner.

198 D. All records, data, and information filed in support of a registration application submitted
199 pursuant to this section and all information on a hemp producer license issued by the U.S. Department of
200 Agriculture submitted to the Commissioner pursuant to this section shall be considered proprietary and
201 excluded from the provisions of the Virginia Freedom of Information Act (§ 2.2-3700 et seq.).

202 E. Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection B, no federally licensed hemp producer shall be
203 required to apply to the Commissioner for a registration to grow industrial hemp in the Commonwealth.
204 Each federally licensed hemp producer shall submit to the Commissioner a copy of his hemp producer
205 license issued by the U.S. Department of Agriculture pursuant to 7 C.F.R. Part 990.

206 **§ 3.2-4116. Registration conditions.**

207 A. A person who is not a federally licensed hemp producer shall obtain a registration pursuant to
208 subsection A of § 3.2-4115 prior to growing, ~~dealing in~~ handling, or processing any industrial hemp in the
209 Commonwealth.

210 B. A person issued a registration pursuant to subsection A of § 3.2-4115 shall:

- 211 1. Maintain records that reflect compliance with this chapter;
- 212 2. Retain all industrial hemp growing, ~~dealing~~ handling, or processing records for at least three
213 years;
- 214 3. Allow his production field, ~~dealership~~ handler's storage site, or process site to be inspected by
215 and at the discretion of the Commissioner or his designee, the Department of State Police, or the chief
216 law-enforcement officer of the locality in which the production field, ~~or dealership~~ handler's storage site,
217 or process site exists;
- 218 4. Allow the Commissioner or his designee to monitor and test the grower's, ~~dealer's~~ handler's, or
219 processor's industrial hemp for compliance with tetrahydrocannabinol levels and for other appropriate
220 purposes established pursuant to § 3.2-4114, at the cost of the grower, ~~dealer~~ handler, or processor; and
- 221 5. If required by the Commissioner, destroy, at the cost of the grower, ~~dealer~~ handler, or processor
222 and in a manner approved of and verified by the Commissioner, any Cannabis sativa that the grower
223 grows, ~~the dealer deals in~~ handler handles, or the processor processes that has been tested and, following
224 any re-sampling and retesting as authorized pursuant to the provisions of § 3.2-4114.2, is found to have a
225 concentration of tetrahydrocannabinol that is greater than that allowed by federal law, or any Cannabis
226 sativa product that the processor produces.

227 **§ 3.2-4118. Forfeiture of industrial hemp grower, handler, or processor registration;**
228 **violations.**

229 A. The Commissioner shall deny the application, or suspend or revoke the registration, of any
230 person who, with a culpable mental state greater than negligence, violates any provision of this chapter.
231 The Commissioner shall provide reasonable notice of an informal fact-finding conference pursuant to §
232 2.2-4019 to any person in connection with the denial, suspension, or revocation of a registration.

233 B. If a registration is revoked as the result of an informal hearing, the decision may be appealed,
234 and upon appeal an administrative hearing shall be conducted in accordance with the Administrative
235 Process Act (§ 2.2-4000 et seq.). The grower, ~~dealer~~ handler, or processor may appeal a final order to the
236 circuit court in accordance with the Administrative Process Act.

237 C. A person issued a registration pursuant to ~~subsection A of~~ § 3.2-4115 who negligently (i) fails
238 to provide a description and geographic data sufficient for locating his production field, ~~dealership~~
239 handler's storage site, or process site; (ii) grows, ~~deals in~~ handles, or processes Cannabis sativa with a
240 tetrahydrocannabinol concentration greater than that allowed by federal law; or (iii) produces a Cannabis
241 sativa product shall comply with any corrective action plan established by the Commissioner in
242 accordance with the provisions of subsection E. The Commissioner shall not deem a grower negligent if
243 such grower makes reasonable efforts to grow industrial hemp and grows Cannabis sativa with a
244 tetrahydrocannabinol concentration that does not exceed the total ~~delta-9~~ tetrahydrocannabinol
245 concentration percentage established in federal regulations applicable to negligent violations located at 7
246 C.F.R. § 990.6(b)(3).

247 D. A person who grows, ~~deals in~~ handles, or processes industrial hemp and who negligently fails
248 to register pursuant to ~~subsection A of~~ § 3.2-4115 shall comply with any corrective action plan established
249 by the Commissioner in accordance with the provisions of subsection E.

250 E. A corrective action plan established by the Commissioner in response to a negligent violation
251 of a provision of this chapter shall identify a reasonable date by which the person who is the subject of the
252 plan shall correct the negligent violation and shall require such person to report periodically for not less
253 than two calendar years to the Commissioner on the person's compliance with the provisions of this
254 chapter.

255 F. No person who negligently violates the provisions of this chapter three times in a five-year
256 period shall be eligible to grow, ~~deal in~~ handle, or process industrial hemp for a period of five years
257 beginning on the date of the third violation.

258 **§ 3.2-4119. Eligibility to receive tobacco settlement funds.**

259 Industrial hemp growers, ~~dealers~~ handlers, or processors registered under this chapter or federally
260 licensed hemp producers may be eligible to receive funds from the Tobacco Indemnification and
261 Community Revitalization Fund established pursuant to § 3.2-3106.

262 **§ 3.2-5145.1. Definitions.**

263 As used in this article, unless the context requires a different meaning:

264 "Food" means any article that is intended for human consumption and introduction into commerce,
265 whether the article is simple, mixed, or compound, and all substances or ingredients used in the preparation
266 thereof. "Food" does not mean drug as defined in § 54.1-3401.

267 "Industrial hemp" means a Cannabis sativa plant that has a concentration of tetrahydrocannabinol
268 that is no greater than that allowed by federal law.

269 "Industrial hemp extract" means an extract (i) ~~of a Cannabis sativa plant that has a concentration~~
270 ~~of tetrahydrocannabinol that is no greater than that allowed for industrial hemp by federal law and~~, (ii)
271 that is intended for human consumption, and (iii) when offered for retail sale, that (a) contains a total
272 tetrahydrocannabinol concentration that is no greater than 0.3 percent and (b) contains no more than two
273 milligrams of total tetrahydrocannabinol per package or a ratio of cannabidiol to total
274 tetrahydrocannabinol that is greater than or equal to 30:1. "Industrial hemp extract" is not a hemp seed-
275 derived ingredient that is approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration or is the subject of a
276 generally recognized as safe notice for which the U.S. Food and Drug Administration had no questions.

277 "Tetrahydrocannabinol" means the same as that term is defined in § 3.2-4112.

278 "Total tetrahydrocannabinol" means the same as that term is defined in § 3.2-4112.

279 **§ 3.2-5145.2:1. Sellers or manufacturers of industrial hemp extract; penalties.**

280 A. Any person who manufactures, sells, or offers for sale an industrial hemp extract or food
281 containing an industrial hemp extract shall be subject to the requirements of this chapter and regulations
282 adopted pursuant to this chapter.

283 B. Any person who (i) manufactures, sells, or offers for sale an industrial hemp extract or food
284 containing an industrial hemp extract without first obtaining a permit to do so from the Commissioner
285 pursuant to § 3.2-5100, unless exempt from a permit pursuant to subdivision C 6 of § 3.2-5130; (ii)
286 continues to manufacture, sell, or offer for sale an industrial hemp extract or food containing an industrial
287 hemp extract after revocation or suspension of such permit; (iii) fails to disclose on a form prescribed by
288 the Commissioner that he intends to manufacture, sell, or offer for sale a substance intended to be
289 consumed orally that contains an industrial hemp-derived cannabinoid; (iv) manufactures, sells, or offers
290 for sale a food that (a) has a total tetrahydrocannabinol concentration that is greater than 0.3 percent or (b)

291 contains more than two milligrams of total tetrahydrocannabinol per package or a ratio of cannabidiol to
292 total tetrahydrocannabinol that is greater than or equal to 30:1; (v) manufactures, offers for sale, or sells
293 in violation of this chapter or a regulation adopted pursuant to this chapter a substance intended to be
294 consumed orally that is advertised or labeled as containing an industrial hemp-derived cannabinoid; or
295 (vi) otherwise violates any provision of this chapter or a regulation adopted pursuant to this chapter, in
296 addition to any other penalties provided, is subject to a civil penalty not to exceed \$10,000 for each day a
297 violation occurs. Such penalty shall be collected by the Commissioner and the proceeds shall be payable
298 to the State Treasurer for remittance to the Department.

299 C. Any person who (i) manufactures, sells, or offers for sale an industrial hemp extract or food
300 containing an industrial hemp extract without first obtaining a permit to do so from the Commissioner
301 pursuant to § 3.2-5100, unless exempt from a permit pursuant to subdivision C 6 of § 3.2-5130; (ii)
302 continues to manufacture, sell, or offer for sale an industrial hemp extract or food containing an industrial
303 hemp extract after revocation or suspension of such permit; (iii) fails to disclose on a form prescribed by
304 the Commissioner that he intends to manufacture, sell, or offer for sale a substance intended to be
305 consumed orally that contains an industrial hemp-derived cannabinoid; (iv) manufactures, offers for sale,
306 or sells in violation of this chapter or a regulation adopted pursuant to this chapter a substance intended to
307 be consumed orally that is advertised or labeled as containing an industrial hemp-derived cannabinoid; or
308 (v) otherwise violates any provision of this chapter or a regulation adopted pursuant to this chapter, in
309 addition to any other penalties provided, is guilty of a Class 1 misdemeanor. Each day in which a violation
310 occurs shall constitute a separate offense.

311 D. The Commissioner may, in accordance with the Administrative Process Act (§ 2.2-400 et seq.),
312 deny, suspend, or revoke a permit issued pursuant to § 3.2-5100 if the permitted entity is found to have
313 violated subdivision A 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, or 74 of § 59.1-200 by a court of competent jurisdiction.

314 E. This section shall not apply to a person authorized to offer for sale or sell products that are (i)
315 approved for marketing by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration and scheduled in the Drug Control Act
316 (§ 54.1-3400 et seq.) or (ii) dispensed pursuant to Article 4.2 (§ 54.1-3442.5 et seq.) of Chapter 34 of Title
317 54.1.

318 **§ 3.2-5145.4. Industrial hemp extract requirements.**

319 A. An industrial hemp extract shall (i) be produced from industrial hemp grown in compliance
320 with applicable law and (ii) ~~notwithstanding any authority under federal law to have a greater~~
321 ~~concentration of tetrahydrocannabinol~~, when offered for retail sale, (a) have a total tetrahydrocannabinol
322 concentration of no greater than 0.3 percent and (b) contain no more than two milligrams of total
323 tetrahydrocannabinol per package or a ratio of cannabidiol to total tetrahydrocannabinol that is greater
324 than or equal to 30:1.

325 B. In addition to the requirements of this chapter, an industrial hemp extract or food containing an
326 industrial hemp extract shall comply with regulations adopted by the Board pursuant to § 3.2-5145.5.

327 **§ 3.2-5145.4:1. Labeling and packaging requirements.**

328 A. An industrial hemp extract or food containing an industrial hemp extract shall be contained in
329 child-resistant packaging, as defined in § 4.1-600.

330 B. An industrial hemp extract or food containing an industrial hemp extract shall be packaged and
331 equipped with a label that states, in English and in a font no less than 1/16 of an inch, (i) all ingredients
332 contained in the industrial hemp extract or food containing an industrial hemp extract, (ii) the amount of
333 such industrial hemp extract or food containing an industrial hemp extract that constitutes a single serving,
334 and (iii) the number of milligrams and percent of total tetrahydrocannabinol per serving and number of
335 milligrams and percent of total tetrahydrocannabinol per package.

336 C. Any industrial hemp extract or food containing an industrial hemp extract that contains
337 tetrahydrocannabinol (i) shall be equipped with a label that states that the industrial hemp extract or food
338 containing an industrial hemp extract contains tetrahydrocannabinol and (ii) may not be sold to persons
339 younger than 21 years of age.

340 D. An industrial hemp extract or food containing an industrial hemp extract, when offered for retail
341 sale, shall be accompanied by a certificate of analysis, produced by an independent laboratory that is
342 registered with the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration and is accredited pursuant to standard ISO/IEC
343 17025 of the International Organization for Standardization by a third-party accrediting body, that states
344 the total tetrahydrocannabinol concentration of the substance or the total tetrahydrocannabinol

345 concentration of the batch from which the substance originates. The certificate of accreditation pursuant
346 to standard ISO/IEC 17025 issued by the third-party accrediting body to the independent laboratory shall
347 be available for review at the location at which the industrial hemp extract or food containing an industrial
348 hemp extract is offered for sale or sold.

349 E. A manufacturer shall identify each batch of an industrial hemp extract or a food containing an
350 industrial hemp extract with a unique code for traceability. Julian date coding or any other system
351 developed and documented by the manufacturer for assigning a unique code to a batch may be used. The
352 batch identification shall appear and be legible on the label of an industrial hemp extract or food containing
353 an industrial hemp extract.

354 F. The label of an industrial hemp extract or food containing an industrial hemp extract shall not
355 contain a claim indicating the product is intended for diagnosis, cure, mitigation, treatment, or prevention
356 of disease, which shall render the product a drug, as that term is defined in 21 U.S.C. § 321(g)(1). An
357 industrial hemp extract or food containing an industrial hemp extract with a label that contains a claim
358 indicating the product is intended for diagnosis, cure, mitigation, treatment, or prevention of disease shall
359 be considered misbranded.

360 **§ 3.2-5145.5. Regulations.**

361 A. The Board is authorized to adopt regulations for the efficient enforcement of this article.

362 B. The Board shall adopt regulations identifying contaminants of an industrial hemp extract or a
363 food containing an industrial hemp extract and establishing tolerances for such identified contaminants.

364 ~~C. The Board shall adopt regulations establishing labeling requirements for an industrial hemp~~
365 ~~extract or a food containing an industrial hemp extract. Such regulations shall require that any industrial~~
366 ~~hemp extract or food containing an industrial hemp extract that contains tetrahydrocannabinol be equipped~~
367 ~~with a label that states (i) that the industrial hemp extract or food containing an industrial hemp extract~~
368 ~~contains tetrahydrocannabinol and may not be sold to persons younger than 21 years of age, (ii) all~~
369 ~~ingredients contained in the industrial hemp extract or food containing an industrial hemp extract, (iii) the~~
370 ~~amount of such industrial hemp extract or food containing an industrial hemp extract that constitutes a~~
371 ~~single serving, and (iv) the total percentage and milligrams of tetrahydrocannabinol included in the~~

372 ~~industrial hemp extract or food containing an industrial hemp extract and the number of milligrams of~~
373 ~~tetrahydrocannabinol that are contained in each serving.~~

374 ~~D.~~ The Board shall adopt regulations establishing batch testing requirements for industrial hemp
375 extracts. The Board shall require that batch testing of industrial hemp extracts be conducted by an
376 independent testing laboratory that meets criteria established by the Board.

377 ~~E.-D.~~ With the exception of § 2.2-4031, neither the provisions of the Administrative Process Act
378 (§ 2.2-4000 et seq.) nor public participation guidelines adopted pursuant thereto shall apply to the adoption
379 of any regulation pursuant to this section. Prior to adopting any regulation pursuant to this section, the
380 Board shall publish a notice of opportunity to comment in the Virginia Register of Regulations and post
381 the action on the Virginia Regulatory Town Hall. Such notice of opportunity to comment shall contain (i)
382 a summary of the proposed regulation; (ii) the text of the proposed regulation; and (iii) the name, address,
383 and telephone number of the agency contact person responsible for receiving public comments. Such
384 notice shall be made at least 60 days in advance of the last date prescribed in such notice for submittals of
385 public comment. The legislative review provisions of subsections A and B of § 2.2-4014 shall apply to
386 the promulgation or final adoption process for regulations pursuant to this section. The Board shall
387 consider and keep on file all public comments received for any regulation adopted pursuant to this section.

388 **§ 4.1-600. Definitions.**

389 As used in this subtitle, unless the context requires a different meaning:

390 "Advertisement" or "advertising" means any written or verbal statement, illustration, or depiction
391 that is calculated to induce sales of retail marijuana, retail marijuana products, marijuana plants, or
392 marijuana seeds, including any written, printed, graphic, digital, electronic, or other material, billboard,
393 sign, or other outdoor display, publication, or radio or television broadcast.

394 "Authority" means the Virginia Cannabis Control Authority created pursuant to this subtitle.

395 "Board" means the Board of Directors of the Virginia Cannabis Control Authority.

396 "Cannabis Control Act" means Subtitle II (§ 4.1-600 et seq.).

397 "Child-resistant" means, with respect to packaging or a container, (i) specially designed or
398 constructed to be significantly difficult for a typical child under five years of age to open and not to be

399 significantly difficult for a typical adult to open and reseal and (ii) for any product intended for more than
400 a single use or that contains multiple servings, resealable.

401 "Cultivation" or "cultivate" means the planting, propagation, growing, harvesting, drying, curing,
402 grading, trimming, or other similar processing of marijuana for use or sale. "Cultivation" or "cultivate"
403 does not include manufacturing or testing.

404 "Edible marijuana product" means a marijuana product intended to be consumed orally, including
405 marijuana intended to be consumed orally or marijuana concentrate intended to be consumed orally.

406 "Immature plant" means a nonflowering marijuana plant that is no taller than eight inches and no
407 wider than eight inches, is produced from a cutting, clipping, or seedling, and is growing in a container.

408 "Licensed" means the holding of a valid license granted by the Authority.

409 "Licensee" means any person to whom a license has been granted by the Authority.

410 "Manufacturing" or "manufacture" means the production of marijuana products or the blending,
411 infusing, compounding, or other preparation of marijuana and marijuana products, including marijuana
412 extraction or preparation by means of chemical synthesis. "Manufacturing" or "manufacture" does not
413 include cultivation or testing.

414 "Marijuana" means any part of a plant of the genus Cannabis, whether growing or not, its seeds or
415 resin; and every compound, manufacture, salt, derivative, mixture, or preparation of such plant, its seeds,
416 its resin, or any extract containing one or more cannabinoids. "Marijuana" does not include (i) the mature
417 stalks of such plant, fiber produced from such stalk, or oil or cake made from the seed of such plant, unless
418 such stalks, fiber, oil, or cake is combined with other parts of plants of the genus Cannabis. ~~"Marijuana"~~
419 ~~does not include (i);~~ (ii) industrial hemp, as defined in § 3.2-4112, that is possessed by a person registered
420 pursuant to subsection A of § 3.2-4115 or his agent ~~or (ii);~~ (iii) industrial hemp, as defined in § 3.2-4112,
421 that is possessed by a person who holds a hemp producer license issued by the U.S. Department of
422 Agriculture pursuant to 7 C.F.R. Part 990; (iv) a hemp product, as defined in § 3.2-4112, ~~containing a~~
423 ~~tetrahydrocannabinol concentration of no greater than 0.3 percent that is derived from industrial hemp, as~~
424 ~~defined in § 3.2-4112, that is grown, dealt, or processed in compliance with state or federal law;~~ (v) an
425 industrial hemp extract, as defined in § 3.2-5145.1; or (vi) any substance containing a

426 tetrahydrocannabinol isomer, ester, ether, salt, or salts of such isomer, ester, or ether that has been placed
427 by the Board of Pharmacy into one of the schedules set forth in the Drug Control Act (§ 54.1-3400 et seq.)
428 pursuant to § 54.1-3443.

429 "Marijuana concentrate" means marijuana that has undergone a process to concentrate one or more
430 active cannabinoids, thereby increasing the product's potency. Resin from granular trichomes from a
431 marijuana plant is a concentrate for purposes of this subtitle.

432 "Marijuana cultivation facility" means a facility licensed under this subtitle to cultivate, label, and
433 package retail marijuana; to purchase or take possession of marijuana plants and seeds from other
434 marijuana cultivation facilities; to transfer possession of and sell retail marijuana, immature marijuana
435 plants, and marijuana seeds to marijuana wholesalers and retail marijuana stores; to transfer possession of
436 and sell retail marijuana, marijuana plants, and marijuana seeds to other marijuana cultivation facilities;
437 to transfer possession of and sell retail marijuana to marijuana manufacturing facilities; and to sell
438 immature marijuana plants and marijuana seeds to consumers for the purpose of cultivating marijuana at
439 home for personal use.

440 "Marijuana establishment" means a marijuana cultivation facility, a marijuana testing facility, a
441 marijuana manufacturing facility, a marijuana wholesaler, or a retail marijuana store.

442 "Marijuana manufacturing facility" means a facility licensed under this subtitle to manufacture,
443 label, and package retail marijuana and retail marijuana products; to purchase or take possession of retail
444 marijuana from a marijuana cultivation facility or another marijuana manufacturing facility; and to transfer
445 possession of and sell retail marijuana and retail marijuana products to marijuana wholesalers, retail
446 marijuana stores, or other marijuana manufacturing facilities.

447 "Marijuana paraphernalia" means all equipment, products, and materials of any kind that are either
448 designed for use or are intended for use in planting, propagating, cultivating, growing, harvesting,
449 manufacturing, compounding, converting, producing, processing, preparing, strength testing, analyzing,
450 packaging, repackaging, storing, containing, concealing, ingesting, inhaling, or otherwise introducing into
451 the human body marijuana.

452 "Marijuana products" means (i) products that are composed of marijuana and other ingredients and
453 are intended for use or consumption, ointments, and tinctures or (ii) marijuana concentrate.

454 "Marijuana testing facility" means a facility licensed under this subtitle to develop, research, or
455 test marijuana, marijuana products, and other substances.

456 "Marijuana wholesaler" means a facility licensed under this subtitle to purchase or take possession
457 of retail marijuana, retail marijuana products, immature marijuana plants, and marijuana seeds from a
458 marijuana cultivation facility, a marijuana manufacturing facility, or another marijuana wholesaler and to
459 transfer possession and sell or resell retail marijuana, retail marijuana products, immature marijuana
460 plants, and marijuana seeds to a marijuana cultivation facility, marijuana manufacturing facility, retail
461 marijuana store, or another marijuana wholesaler.

462 "Non-retail marijuana" means marijuana that is not cultivated, manufactured, or sold by a licensed
463 marijuana establishment.

464 "Non-retail marijuana products" means marijuana products that are not manufactured and sold by
465 a licensed marijuana establishment.

466 "Place or premises" means the real estate, together with any buildings or other improvements
467 thereon, designated in the application for a license as the place at which the cultivation, manufacture, sale,
468 or testing of retail marijuana or retail marijuana products shall be performed, except that portion of any
469 such building or other improvement actually and exclusively used as a private residence.

470 "Public place" means any place, building, or conveyance to which the public has, or is permitted
471 to have, access, including restaurants, soda fountains, hotel dining areas, lobbies and corridors of hotels,
472 and any park, place of public resort or amusement, highway, street, lane, or sidewalk adjoining any
473 highway, street, or lane.

474 "Residence" means any building or part of a building or structure where a person resides, but does
475 not include any part of a building that is not actually and exclusively used as a private residence, nor any
476 part of a hotel or club other than a private guest room thereof.

477 "Retail marijuana" means marijuana that is cultivated, manufactured, or sold by a licensed
478 marijuana establishment.

479 "Retail marijuana products" means marijuana products that are manufactured and sold by a
480 licensed marijuana establishment.

481 "Retail marijuana store" means a facility licensed under this subtitle to purchase or take possession
482 of retail marijuana, retail marijuana products, immature marijuana plants, or marijuana seeds from a
483 marijuana cultivation facility, marijuana manufacturing facility, or marijuana wholesaler and to sell retail
484 marijuana, retail marijuana products, immature marijuana plants, or marijuana seeds to consumers.

485 "Sale" and "sell" includes soliciting or receiving an order for; keeping, offering, or exposing for
486 sale; peddling, exchanging, or bartering; or delivering otherwise than gratuitously, by any means, retail
487 marijuana or retail marijuana products.

488 "Special agent" means an employee of the Virginia Cannabis Control Authority whom the Board
489 has designated as a law-enforcement officer pursuant to this subtitle.

490 "Testing" or "test" means the research and analysis of marijuana, marijuana products, or other
491 substances for contaminants, safety, or potency. "Testing" or "test" does not include cultivation or
492 manufacturing.

493 "Tetrahydrocannabinol" means the same as that term is defined in § 3.2-4112.

494 "Total tetrahydrocannabinol" means the same as that term is defined in § 3.2-4112.

495 **§ 18.2-247. Use of terms "controlled substances," "marijuana," "Schedules I, II, III, IV, V,**
496 **and VI," "imitation controlled substance," and "counterfeit controlled substance" in Title 18.2.**

497 A. Wherever the terms "controlled substances" and "Schedules I, II, III, IV, V, and VI" are used
498 in Title 18.2, such terms refer to those terms as they are used or defined in the Drug Control Act (§ 54.1-
499 3400 et seq.).

500 B. The term "imitation controlled substance" when used in this article means (i) a counterfeit
501 controlled substance or (ii) a pill, capsule, tablet, or substance in any form whatsoever which is not a
502 controlled substance subject to abuse, and:

503 1. Which by overall dosage unit appearance, including color, shape, size, marking and packaging
504 or by representations made, would cause the likelihood that such a pill, capsule, tablet, or substance in any
505 other form whatsoever will be mistaken for a controlled substance unless such substance was introduced

506 into commerce prior to the initial introduction into commerce of the controlled substance which it is
507 alleged to imitate; or

508 2. Which by express or implied representations purports to act like a controlled substance as a
509 stimulant or depressant of the central nervous system and which is not commonly used or recognized for
510 use in that particular formulation for any purpose other than for such stimulant or depressant effect, unless
511 marketed, promoted, or sold as permitted by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

512 C. In determining whether a pill, capsule, tablet, or substance in any other form whatsoever, is an
513 "imitation controlled substance," there shall be considered, in addition to all other relevant factors,
514 comparisons with accepted methods of marketing for legitimate nonprescription drugs for medicinal
515 purposes rather than for drug abuse or any similar nonmedicinal use, including consideration of the
516 packaging of the drug and its appearance in overall finished dosage form, promotional materials or
517 representations, oral or written, concerning the drug, and the methods of distribution of the drug and where
518 and how it is sold to the public.

519 D. The term "marijuana" when used in this article means any part of a plant of the genus Cannabis,
520 whether growing or not, its seeds or resin; and every compound, manufacture, salt, derivative, mixture, or
521 preparation of such plant, its seeds, its resin, or any extract containing one or more cannabinoids.
522 "Marijuana" does not include (i) the mature stalks of such plant, fiber produced from such stalk, oil or
523 cake made from the seed of such plant, unless such stalks, fiber, oil or cake is combined with other parts
524 of plants of the genus Cannabis. ~~Marijuana does not include (i);~~ (ii) industrial hemp, as defined in § 3.2-
525 4112, that is possessed by a person registered pursuant to subsection A of § 3.2-4115 or his agent; ~~(ii) (iii)~~
526 industrial hemp, as defined in § 3.2-4112, that is possessed by a person who holds a hemp producer license
527 issued by the U.S. Department of Agriculture pursuant to 7 C.F.R. Part 990; ~~or (iii) (iv)~~ (iv) a hemp product,
528 as defined in § 3.2-4112, ~~containing a tetrahydrocannabinol concentration of no greater than 0.3 percent~~
529 ~~that is derived from industrial hemp, as defined in § 3.2-4112, that is grown, dealt, or processed in~~
530 ~~compliance with state or federal law;~~ (v) an industrial hemp extract, as defined in § 3.2-5145.1; or (vi) any
531 substance containing a tetrahydrocannabinol isomer, ester, ether, salt or salts of such isomer, ester, or ether

532 that has been placed by the Board of Pharmacy into one of the schedules set forth in the Drug Control Act
533 (§ 54.1-3400 et seq.) pursuant to § 54.1-3443.

534 E. The term "counterfeit controlled substance" means a controlled substance that, without
535 authorization, bears, is packaged in a container or wrapper that bears, or is otherwise labeled to bear, the
536 trademark, trade name, or other identifying mark, imprint or device or any likeness thereof, of a drug
537 manufacturer, processor, packer, or distributor other than the manufacturer, processor, packer, or
538 distributor who did in fact so manufacture, process, pack or distribute such drug.

539 F. The term "tetrahydrocannabinol" means any naturally occurring or synthetic
540 tetrahydrocannabinol, including its salts, isomers, and salts of isomers whenever the existence of such
541 salts, isomers, and salts of isomers is possible within the specific chemical designation and any
542 preparation, mixture, or substance containing, or mixed or infused with, any detectable amount of
543 tetrahydrocannabinol. "Tetrahydrocannabinol" includes delta-6a(10a), delta-7, delta-8, delta-9, and delta-
544 10-tetrahydrocannabinol. For the purposes of this definition, "isomer" means the optical, position, and
545 geometric isomers.

546 G. The term "total tetrahydrocannabinol" means the sum, after the application of any necessary
547 conversion factor, of the percentage by weight of tetrahydrocannabinol and the percentage by weight of
548 tetrahydrocannabinolic acid.

549 H. The Department of Forensic Science shall determine the proper methods for detecting the
550 concentration of ~~delta-9-tetrahydrocannabinol (THC)~~ tetrahydrocannabinol in substances for the purposes
551 of this title, Chapter 11 (§ 4.1-1100 et seq.) of Title 4.1, and §§ ~~§ 54.1-3401 and 54.1-3446~~. The testing
552 methodology shall use post-decarboxylation testing or other equivalent method and shall consider the
553 potential conversion of ~~delta-9-tetrahydrocannabinol~~ tetrahydrocannabinolic acid (THC-A) into ~~THC~~
554 tetrahydrocannabinol. ~~The test result shall include the total available THC derived from the sum of the~~
555 ~~THC and THC-A content.~~

556 **§ 18.2-251.1:3. Possession or distribution of cannabis oil, or industrial hemp; laboratories;**
557 **Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Department of Law employees.**

558 A. No person employed by an analytical laboratory to retrieve, deliver, or possess cannabis oil or
559 industrial hemp samples from a permitted pharmaceutical processor, a registered industrial hemp grower,
560 a federally licensed hemp producer, or a registered industrial hemp processor for the purpose of
561 performing required testing shall be prosecuted under Chapter 11 (§ 4.1-1100 et seq.) of Title 4.1 or §
562 18.2-248, 18.2-248.1, 18.2-250, or 18.2-255 for the possession or distribution of cannabis oil or industrial
563 hemp or for storing cannabis oil or industrial hemp for testing purposes in accordance with regulations
564 promulgated by the Board of Pharmacy and the Board of Agriculture and Consumer Services.

565 B. No employee of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services or of the Department of
566 Law shall be prosecuted under § 18.2-247, 18.2-248, 18.2-248.01, 18.2-248.1, or 18.2-250 for the
567 possession or distribution of industrial hemp or any substance containing tetrahydrocannabinol when
568 possession of industrial hemp or any substance containing tetrahydrocannabinol is necessary in the
569 performance of his duties.

570 **§ 18.2-371.2. Prohibiting purchase or possession of tobacco products, nicotine vapor**
571 **products, alternative nicotine products, and hemp products intended for smoking by a person under**
572 **21 years of age or sale of tobacco products, nicotine vapor products, alternative nicotine products,**
573 **and hemp products intended for smoking to persons under 21 years of age; civil penalties.**

574 A. No person shall sell to, distribute to, purchase for, or knowingly permit the purchase by any
575 person less than 21 years of age, knowing or having reason to believe that such person is less than 21 years
576 of age, any tobacco product, nicotine vapor product, alternative nicotine product, or hemp product
577 intended for smoking.

578 Tobacco products, nicotine vapor products, alternative nicotine products, and hemp products
579 intended for smoking may be sold from a vending machine only if the machine is (i) posted with a notice,
580 in a conspicuous manner and place, indicating that the purchase or possession of such products by persons
581 under 21 years of age is unlawful and (ii) located in a place that is not open to the general public and is
582 not generally accessible to persons under 21 years of age. An establishment that prohibits the presence of
583 persons under 21 years of age unless accompanied by a person 21 years of age or older is not open to the
584 general public.

585 B. No person less than 21 years of age shall attempt to purchase, purchase, or possess any tobacco
586 product, nicotine vapor product, alternative nicotine product, or hemp product intended for smoking. The
587 provisions of this subsection shall not be applicable to the possession of tobacco products, nicotine vapor
588 products, alternative nicotine products, or hemp products intended for smoking by a person less than 21
589 years of age (i) making a delivery of tobacco products, nicotine vapor products, alternative nicotine
590 products, or hemp products intended for smoking in pursuance of his employment or (ii) as part of a
591 scientific study being conducted by an organization for the purpose of medical research to further efforts
592 in cigarette and tobacco use prevention and cessation and tobacco product regulation, provided that such
593 medical research has been approved by an institutional review board pursuant to applicable federal
594 regulations or by a research review committee pursuant to Chapter 5.1 (§ 32.1-162.16 et seq.) of Title
595 32.1. This subsection shall not apply to purchase, attempt to purchase, or possession by a law-enforcement
596 officer or his agent when the same is necessary in the performance of his duties.

597 C. No person shall sell a tobacco product, nicotine vapor product, alternative nicotine product, or
598 hemp product intended for smoking to any individual who does not demonstrate, by producing a driver's
599 license or similar photo identification issued by a government agency, that the individual is at least 21
600 years of age. Such identification is not required from an individual whom the person has reason to believe
601 is at least 21 years of age or who the person knows is at least 21 years of age. Proof that the person
602 demanded, was shown, and reasonably relied upon a photo identification stating that the individual was
603 at least 21 years of age shall be a defense to any action brought under this subsection. In determining
604 whether a person had reason to believe an individual is at least 21 years of age, the trier of fact may
605 consider, but is not limited to, proof of the general appearance, facial characteristics, behavior, and manner
606 of the individual.

607 This subsection shall not apply to mail order or Internet sales, provided that the person offering
608 the tobacco product, nicotine vapor product, alternative nicotine product, or hemp product intended for
609 smoking for sale through mail order or the Internet (i) prior to the sale of the tobacco product, nicotine
610 vapor product, alternative nicotine product, or hemp product intended for smoking verifies that the
611 purchaser is at least 21 years of age through a commercially available database that is regularly used by

612 businesses or governmental entities for the purpose of age and identity verification and (ii) uses a method
613 of mailing, shipping, or delivery that requires the signature of a person at least 21 years of age before the
614 tobacco product, nicotine vapor product, alternative nicotine product, or hemp product intended for
615 smoking will be released to the purchaser.

616 D. The provisions of subsections B and C shall not apply to the sale, giving, or furnishing of any
617 tobacco product, nicotine vapor product, alternative nicotine product, or hemp product intended for
618 smoking to any active duty military personnel who are 18 years of age or older. An identification card
619 issued by the Armed Forces of the United States shall be accepted as proof of age for this purpose.

620 E. A violation of subsection A or C by an individual or by a separate retail establishment that
621 involves a nicotine vapor product, alternative nicotine product, hemp product intended for smoking, or
622 tobacco product other than a bidi is punishable by a civil penalty not to exceed \$100 for a first violation,
623 a civil penalty not to exceed \$200 for a second violation, and a civil penalty not to exceed \$500 for a third
624 or subsequent violation.

625 A violation of subsection A or C by an individual or by a separate retail establishment that involves
626 the sale, distribution, or purchase of a bidi is punishable by a civil penalty in the amount of \$500 for a first
627 violation, a civil penalty in the amount of \$1,000 for a second violation, and a civil penalty in the amount
628 of \$2,500 for a third or subsequent violation. Where a defendant retail establishment offers proof that it
629 has trained its employees concerning the requirements of this section, the court shall suspend all of the
630 penalties imposed hereunder. However, where the court finds that a retail establishment has failed to so
631 train its employees, the court may impose a civil penalty not to exceed \$1,000 in lieu of any penalties
632 imposed hereunder for a violation of subsection A or C involving a nicotine vapor product, alternative
633 nicotine product, hemp product intended for smoking, or tobacco product other than a bidi.

634 A violation of subsection B is punishable by a civil penalty not to exceed \$100 for a first violation
635 and a civil penalty not to exceed \$250 for a second or subsequent violation. A court may, as an alternative
636 to the civil penalty, and upon motion of the defendant, prescribe the performance of up to 20 hours of
637 community service for a first violation of subsection B and up to 40 hours of community service for a
638 second or subsequent violation. If the defendant fails or refuses to complete the community service as

639 prescribed, the court may impose the civil penalty. Upon a violation of subsection B, the judge may enter
640 an order pursuant to subdivision A 9 of § 16.1-278.8.

641 Any attorney for the Commonwealth of the county or city in which an alleged violation occurred
642 may bring an action to recover the civil penalty, which shall be paid into the state treasury. Any law-
643 enforcement officer may issue a summons for a violation of subsection A, B, or C.

644 F. 1. Cigarettes and hemp products intended for smoking shall be sold only in sealed packages
645 provided by the manufacturer, with the required health warning. The proprietor of every retail
646 establishment that offers for sale any tobacco product, nicotine vapor product, alternative nicotine product,
647 or hemp product intended for smoking shall post in a conspicuous manner and place a sign or signs
648 indicating that the sale of tobacco products, nicotine vapor products, alternative nicotine products, or hemp
649 products intended for smoking to any person under 21 years of age is prohibited by law. Any attorney for
650 the county, city, or town in which an alleged violation of this subsection occurred may enforce this
651 subsection by civil action to recover a civil penalty not to exceed ~~\$50~~ \$500. The civil penalty shall be paid
652 into the local treasury. No filing fee or other fee or cost shall be charged to the county, city, or town which
653 instituted the action.

654 2. For the purpose of compliance with regulations of the Substance Abuse and Mental Health
655 Services Administration published at 61 Federal Register 1492, the Department of Agriculture and
656 Consumer Services may promulgate regulations which allow the Department to undertake the activities
657 necessary to comply with such regulations.

658 3. Any attorney for the county, city, or town in which an alleged violation of this subsection
659 occurred may enforce this subsection by civil action to recover a civil penalty not to exceed ~~\$100~~ \$500.
660 The civil penalty shall be paid into the local treasury. No filing fee or other fee or cost shall be charged to
661 the county, city, or town which instituted the action.

662 G. Nothing in this section shall be construed to create a private cause of action.

663 H. Agents of the Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Authority designated pursuant to § 4.1-105
664 may issue a summons for any violation of this section.

665 I. As used in this section:

666 "Alternative nicotine product" means any noncombustible product containing nicotine that is
667 intended for human consumption, whether chewed, absorbed, dissolved, or ingested by any other means.

668 "Alternative nicotine product" does not include any nicotine vapor product, tobacco product, or product
669 regulated as a drug or device by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) under Chapter V (21
670 U.S.C. § 351 et seq.) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.

671 "Bidi" means a product containing tobacco that is wrapped in temburni leaf (diospyros
672 melanoxylon) or tendu leaf (diospyros exculpra), or any other product that is offered to, or purchased by,
673 consumers as a bidi or beedie.

674 "Hemp product" means the same as that term is defined in § 3.2-4112.

675 "Nicotine vapor product" means any noncombustible product containing nicotine that employs a
676 heating element, power source, electronic circuit, or other electronic, chemical, or mechanical means,
677 regardless of shape or size, that can be used to produce vapor from nicotine in a solution or other form.

678 "Nicotine vapor product" includes any electronic cigarette, electronic cigar, electronic cigarillo, electronic
679 pipe, or similar product or device and any cartridge or other container of nicotine in a solution or other
680 form that is intended to be used with or in an electronic cigarette, electronic cigar, electronic cigarillo,
681 electronic pipe, or similar product or device. "Nicotine vapor product" does not include any product
682 regulated by the FDA under Chapter V (21 U.S.C. § 351 et seq.) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic
683 Act.

684 "Tobacco product" means any product made of tobacco and includes cigarettes, cigars, smokeless
685 tobacco, pipe tobacco, bidis, and wrappings. "Tobacco product" does not include any nicotine vapor
686 product, alternative nicotine product, or product that is regulated by the FDA under Chapter V (21 U.S.C.
687 § 351 et seq.) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.

688 "Wrappings" includes papers made or sold for covering or rolling tobacco or other materials for
689 smoking in a manner similar to a cigarette or cigar.

690 **§ 54.1-3401. Definitions.**

691 As used in this chapter, unless the context requires a different meaning:

692 "Administer" means the direct application of a controlled substance, whether by injection,
693 inhalation, ingestion, or any other means, to the body of a patient or research subject by (i) a practitioner
694 or by his authorized agent and under his direction or (ii) the patient or research subject at the direction and
695 in the presence of the practitioner.

696 "Advertisement" means all representations disseminated in any manner or by any means, other
697 than by labeling, for the purpose of inducing, or which are likely to induce, directly or indirectly, the
698 purchase of drugs or devices.

699 "Agent" means an authorized person who acts on behalf of or at the direction of a manufacturer,
700 distributor, or dispenser. It does not include a common or contract carrier, public warehouseman, or
701 employee of the carrier or warehouseman.

702 "Anabolic steroid" means any drug or hormonal substance, chemically and pharmacologically
703 related to testosterone, other than estrogens, progestins, corticosteroids, and dehydroepiandrosterone.

704 "Animal" means any nonhuman animate being endowed with the power of voluntary action.

705 "Automated drug dispensing system" means a mechanical or electronic system that performs
706 operations or activities, other than compounding or administration, relating to pharmacy services,
707 including the storage, dispensing, or distribution of drugs and the collection, control, and maintenance of
708 all transaction information, to provide security and accountability for such drugs.

709 "Biological product" means a virus, therapeutic serum, toxin, antitoxin, vaccine, blood, blood
710 component or derivative, allergenic product, protein other than a chemically synthesized polypeptide, or
711 analogous product, or arsphenamine or any derivative of arsphenamine or any other trivalent organic
712 arsenic compound, applicable to the prevention, treatment, or cure of a disease or condition of human
713 beings.

714 "Biosimilar" means a biological product that is highly similar to a specific reference biological
715 product, notwithstanding minor differences in clinically inactive compounds, such that there are no
716 clinically meaningful differences between the reference biological product and the biological product that
717 has been licensed as a biosimilar pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 262(k) in terms of safety, purity, and potency of
718 the product.

719 "Board" means the Board of Pharmacy.

720 "Bulk drug substance" means any substance that is represented for use, and that, when used in the
721 compounding, manufacturing, processing, or packaging of a drug, becomes an active ingredient or a
722 finished dosage form of the drug; however, "bulk drug substance" shall not include intermediates that are
723 used in the synthesis of such substances.

724 "Change of ownership" of an existing entity permitted, registered, or licensed by the Board means
725 (i) the sale or transfer of all or substantially all of the assets of the entity or of any corporation that owns
726 or controls the entity; (ii) the creation of a partnership by a sole proprietor, the dissolution of a partnership,
727 or change in partnership composition; (iii) the acquisition or disposal of 50 percent or more of the
728 outstanding shares of voting stock of a corporation owning the entity or of the parent corporation of a
729 wholly owned subsidiary owning the entity, except that this shall not apply to any corporation the voting
730 stock of which is actively traded on any securities exchange or in any over-the-counter market; (iv) the
731 merger of a corporation owning the entity or of the parent corporation of a wholly-owned subsidiary
732 owning the entity with another business or corporation; or (v) the expiration or forfeiture of a corporation's
733 charter.

734 "Co-licensed partner" means a person who, with at least one other person, has the right to engage
735 in the manufacturing or marketing of a prescription drug, consistent with state and federal law.

736 "Compounding" means the combining of two or more ingredients to fabricate such ingredients into
737 a single preparation and includes the mixing, assembling, packaging, or labeling of a drug or device (i) by
738 a pharmacist, or within a permitted pharmacy, pursuant to a valid prescription issued for a medicinal or
739 therapeutic purpose in the context of a bona fide practitioner-patient-pharmacist relationship, or in
740 expectation of receiving a valid prescription based on observed historical patterns of prescribing and
741 dispensing; (ii) by a practitioner of medicine, osteopathy, podiatry, dentistry, or veterinary medicine as an
742 incident to his administering or dispensing, if authorized to dispense, a controlled substance in the course
743 of his professional practice; or (iii) for the purpose of, or as incident to, research, teaching, or chemical
744 analysis and not for sale or for dispensing. The mixing, diluting, or reconstituting of a manufacturer's
745 product drugs for the purpose of administration to a patient, when performed by a practitioner of medicine

746 or osteopathy licensed under Chapter 29 (§ 54.1-2900 et seq.), a person supervised by such practitioner
747 pursuant to subdivision A 6 or 19 of § 54.1-2901, or a person supervised by such practitioner or a licensed
748 nurse practitioner or physician assistant pursuant to subdivision A 4 of § 54.1-2901 shall not be considered
749 compounding.

750 "Controlled substance" means a drug, substance, or immediate precursor in Schedules I through
751 VI of this chapter. The term shall not include distilled spirits, wine, malt beverages, or tobacco as those
752 terms are defined or used in Title 3.2 or Title 4.1. The term "controlled substance" includes a controlled
753 substance analog that has been placed into Schedule I or II by the Board pursuant to the regulatory
754 authority in subsection D of § 54.1-3443.

755 "Controlled substance analog" means a substance the chemical structure of which is substantially
756 similar to the chemical structure of a controlled substance in Schedule I or II and either (i) which has a
757 stimulant, depressant, or hallucinogenic effect on the central nervous system that is substantially similar
758 to or greater than the stimulant, depressant, or hallucinogenic effect on the central nervous system of a
759 controlled substance in Schedule I or II or (ii) with respect to a particular person, which such person
760 represents or intends to have a stimulant, depressant, or hallucinogenic effect on the central nervous
761 system that is substantially similar to or greater than the stimulant, depressant, or hallucinogenic effect on
762 the central nervous system of a controlled substance in Schedule I or II. "Controlled substance analog"
763 does not include (a) any substance for which there is an approved new drug application as defined under
764 § 505 of the federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. § 355) or that is generally recognized as
765 safe and effective pursuant to §§ 501, 502, and 503 of the federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21
766 U.S.C. §§ 351, 352, and 353) and 21 C.F.R. Part 330; (b) with respect to a particular person, any substance
767 for which an exemption is in effect for investigational use for that person under § 505 of the federal Food,
768 Drug, and Cosmetic Act to the extent that the conduct with respect to that substance is pursuant to such
769 exemption; or (c) any substance to the extent not intended for human consumption before such an
770 exemption takes effect with respect to that substance.

771 "DEA" means the Drug Enforcement Administration, U.S. Department of Justice, or its successor
772 agency.

773 "Deliver" or "delivery" means the actual, constructive, or attempted transfer of any item regulated
774 by this chapter, whether or not there exists an agency relationship, including delivery of a Schedule VI
775 prescription device to an ultimate user or consumer on behalf of a medical equipment supplier by a
776 manufacturer, nonresident manufacturer, wholesale distributor, nonresident wholesale distributor,
777 warehouser, nonresident warehouser, third-party logistics provider, or nonresident third-party logistics
778 provider at the direction of a medical equipment supplier in accordance with § 54.1-3415.1.

779 "Device" means instruments, apparatus, and contrivances, including their components, parts, and
780 accessories, intended for use in the diagnosis, cure, mitigation, treatment, or prevention of disease in man
781 or animals or to affect the structure or any function of the body of man or animals.

782 "Dialysis care technician" or "dialysis patient care technician" means an individual who is certified
783 by an organization approved by the Board of Health Professions pursuant to Chapter 27.01 (§ 54.1-2729.1
784 et seq.) and who, under the supervision of a licensed physician, nurse practitioner, physician assistant, or
785 a registered nurse, assists in the care of patients undergoing renal dialysis treatments in a Medicare-
786 certified renal dialysis facility.

787 "Dialysis solution" means either the commercially available, unopened, sterile solutions whose
788 purpose is to be instilled into the peritoneal cavity during the medical procedure known as peritoneal
789 dialysis, or commercially available solutions whose purpose is to be used in the performance of
790 hemodialysis not to include any solutions administered to the patient intravenously.

791 "Dispense" means to deliver a drug to an ultimate user or research subject by or pursuant to the
792 lawful order of a practitioner, including the prescribing and administering, packaging, labeling, or
793 compounding necessary to prepare the substance for that delivery. However, dispensing shall not include
794 the transportation of drugs mixed, diluted, or reconstituted in accordance with this chapter to other sites
795 operated by such practitioner or that practitioner's medical practice for the purpose of administration of
796 such drugs to patients of the practitioner or that practitioner's medical practice at such other sites. For
797 practitioners of medicine or osteopathy, "dispense" shall only include the provision of drugs by a
798 practitioner to patients to take with them away from the practitioner's place of practice.

799 "Dispenser" means a practitioner who dispenses.

800 "Distribute" means to deliver other than by administering or dispensing a controlled substance.

801 "Distributor" means a person who distributes.

802 "Drug" means (i) articles or substances recognized in the official United States Pharmacopoeia
803 National Formulary or official Homeopathic Pharmacopoeia of the United States, or any supplement to
804 any of them; (ii) articles or substances intended for use in the diagnosis, cure, mitigation, treatment, or
805 prevention of disease in man or animals; (iii) articles or substances, other than food, intended to affect the
806 structure or any function of the body of man or animals; (iv) articles or substances intended for use as a
807 component of any article specified in clause (i), (ii), or (iii); or (v) a biological product. "Drug" does not
808 include devices or their components, parts, or accessories.

809 "Drug product" means a specific drug in dosage form from a known source of manufacture,
810 whether by brand or therapeutically equivalent drug product name.

811 "Electronic prescription" means a written prescription that is generated on an electronic application
812 and is transmitted to a pharmacy as an electronic data file; Schedule II through V prescriptions shall be
813 transmitted in accordance with 21 C.F.R. Part 1300.

814 "Facsimile (FAX) prescription" means a written prescription or order that is transmitted by an
815 electronic device over telephone lines that sends the exact image to the receiving pharmacy in hard copy
816 form.

817 "FDA" means the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

818 "Immediate precursor" means a substance which the Board of Pharmacy has found to be and by
819 regulation designates as being the principal compound commonly used or produced primarily for use, and
820 which is an immediate chemical intermediary used or likely to be used in the manufacture of a controlled
821 substance, the control of which is necessary to prevent, curtail, or limit manufacture.

822 "Interchangeable" means a biosimilar that meets safety standards for determining
823 interchangeability pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 262(k)(4).

824 "Label" means a display of written, printed, or graphic matter upon the immediate container of any
825 article. A requirement made by or under authority of this chapter that any word, statement, or other
826 information appear on the label shall not be considered to be complied with unless such word, statement,

827 or other information also appears on the outside container or wrapper, if any, of the retail package of such
828 article or is easily legible through the outside container or wrapper.

829 "Labeling" means all labels and other written, printed, or graphic matter on an article or any of its
830 containers or wrappers, or accompanying such article.

831 "Manufacture" means the production, preparation, propagation, conversion, or processing of any
832 item regulated by this chapter, either directly or indirectly by extraction from substances of natural origin,
833 or independently by means of chemical synthesis, or by a combination of extraction and chemical
834 synthesis, and includes any packaging or repackaging of the substance or labeling or relabeling of its
835 container. This term does not include compounding.

836 "Manufacturer" means every person who manufactures, a manufacturer's co-licensed partner, or a
837 repackager.

838 "Marijuana" means any part of a plant of the genus Cannabis whether growing or not, its seeds, or
839 its resin; and every compound, manufacture, salt, derivative, mixture, or preparation of such plant, its
840 seeds, its resin, or any extract containing one or more cannabinoids. "Marijuana" does not include (i) the
841 mature stalks of such plant, fiber produced from such stalk, or oil or cake made from the seeds of such
842 plant, unless such stalks, fiber, oil, or cake is combined with other parts of plants of the genus Cannabis;
843 ~~Marijuana does not include (i);~~ (ii) industrial hemp, as defined in § 3.2-4112, that is possessed by a person
844 registered pursuant to subsection A of § 3.2-4115 or his agent; ~~(ii);~~ (iii) industrial hemp, as defined in §
845 3.2-4112, that is possessed by a person who holds a hemp producer license issued by the U.S. Department
846 of Agriculture pursuant to 7 C.F.R. Part 990; ~~or (iii);~~ (iv) a hemp product, as defined in § 3.2-4112,
847 ~~containing a tetrahydrocannabinol concentration of no greater than 0.3 percent that is derived from~~
848 ~~industrial hemp, as defined in § 3.2-4112, that is grown, dealt, or processed in compliance with state or~~
849 ~~federal law;~~ (v) an industrial hemp extract, as defined in § 3.2-5145.1; or (vi) any substance containing a
850 tetrahydrocannabinol isomer, ester, ether, salt, or salts of such isomer, ester, or ether that has been placed
851 by the Board of Pharmacy into one of the schedules set forth in the Drug Control Act (§ 54.1-3400 et seq.)
852 pursuant to § 54.1-3443.

853 "Medical equipment supplier" means any person, as defined in § 1-230, engaged in the delivery to
854 the ultimate consumer, pursuant to the lawful order of a practitioner, of hypodermic syringes and needles,
855 medicinal oxygen, Schedule VI controlled devices, those Schedule VI controlled substances with no
856 medicinal properties that are used for the operation and cleaning of medical equipment, solutions for
857 peritoneal dialysis, and sterile water or saline for irrigation.

858 "Narcotic drug" means any of the following, whether produced directly or indirectly by extraction
859 from substances of vegetable origin, or independently by means of chemical synthesis, or by a
860 combination of extraction and chemical synthesis: (i) opium, opiates, and any salt, compound, derivative,
861 or preparation of opium or opiates; (ii) any salt, compound, isomer, derivative, or preparation thereof
862 which is chemically equivalent or identical with any of the substances referred to in clause (i), but not
863 including the isoquinoline alkaloids of opium; (iii) opium poppy and poppy straw; (iv) coca leaves and
864 any salt, compound, derivative, or preparation of coca leaves, and any salt, compound, isomer, derivative,
865 or preparation thereof which is chemically equivalent or identical with any of these substances, but not
866 including decocainized coca leaves or extraction of coca leaves which do not contain cocaine or ecgonine.

867 "New drug" means (i) any drug, except a new animal drug or an animal feed bearing or containing
868 a new animal drug, the composition of which is such that such drug is not generally recognized, among
869 experts qualified by scientific training and experience to evaluate the safety and effectiveness of drugs, as
870 safe and effective for use under the conditions prescribed, recommended, or suggested in the labeling,
871 except that such a drug not so recognized shall not be deemed to be a "new drug" if at any time prior to
872 the enactment of this chapter it was subject to the Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, as amended, and
873 if at such time its labeling contained the same representations concerning the conditions of its use, or (ii)
874 any drug, except a new animal drug or an animal feed bearing or containing a new animal drug, the
875 composition of which is such that such drug, as a result of investigations to determine its safety and
876 effectiveness for use under such conditions, has become so recognized, but which has not, otherwise than
877 in such investigations, been used to a material extent or for a material time under such conditions.

878 "Nuclear medicine technologist" means an individual who holds a current certification with the
879 American Registry of Radiological Technologists or the Nuclear Medicine Technology Certification
880 Board.

881 "Official compendium" means the official United States Pharmacopoeia National Formulary,
882 official Homeopathic Pharmacopoeia of the United States, or any supplement to any of them.

883 "Official written order" means an order written on a form provided for that purpose by the U.S.
884 Drug Enforcement Administration, under any laws of the United States making provision therefor, if such
885 order forms are authorized and required by federal law, and if no such order form is provided then on an
886 official form provided for that purpose by the Board of Pharmacy.

887 "Opiate" means any substance having an addiction-forming or addiction-sustaining liability
888 similar to morphine or being capable of conversion into a drug having such addiction-forming or
889 addiction-sustaining liability. It does not include, unless specifically designated as controlled under Article
890 4 (§ 54.1-3437 et seq.), the dextrorotatory isomer of 3-methoxy-n-methylmorphinan and its salts
891 (dextromethorphan). It does include its racemic and levorotatory forms.

892 "Opium poppy" means the plant of the species *Papaver somniferum* L., except the seeds thereof.

893 "Original package" means the unbroken container or wrapping in which any drug or medicine is
894 enclosed together with label and labeling, put up by or for the manufacturer, wholesaler, or distributor for
895 use in the delivery or display of such article.

896 "Outsourcing facility" means a facility that is engaged in the compounding of sterile drugs and is
897 currently registered as an outsourcing facility with the U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services and
898 that complies with all applicable requirements of federal and state law, including the Federal Food, Drug,
899 and Cosmetic Act.

900 "Person" means both the plural and singular, as the case demands, and includes an individual,
901 partnership, corporation, association, governmental agency, trust, or other institution or entity.

902 "Pharmacist-in-charge" means the person who, being licensed as a pharmacist, signs the
903 application for a pharmacy permit and assumes full legal responsibility for the operation of the relevant
904 pharmacy in a manner complying with the laws and regulations for the practice of pharmacy and the sale

905 and dispensing of controlled substances; the "pharmacist-in-charge" shall personally supervise the
906 pharmacy and the pharmacy's personnel as required by § 54.1-3432.

907 "Poppy straw" means all parts, except the seeds, of the opium poppy, after mowing.

908 "Practitioner" means a physician, dentist, licensed nurse practitioner pursuant to § 54.1-2957.01,
909 licensed physician assistant pursuant to § 54.1-2952.1, pharmacist pursuant to § 54.1-3300, TPA-certified
910 optometrist pursuant to Article 5 (§ 54.1-3222 et seq.) of Chapter 32, veterinarian, scientific investigator,
911 or other person licensed, registered, or otherwise permitted to distribute, dispense, prescribe and
912 administer, or conduct research with respect to a controlled substance in the course of professional practice
913 or research in the Commonwealth.

914 "Prescriber" means a practitioner who is authorized pursuant to §§ 54.1-3303 and 54.1-3408 to
915 issue a prescription.

916 "Prescription" means an order for drugs or medical supplies, written or signed or transmitted by
917 word of mouth, telephone, telegraph, or other means of communication to a pharmacist by a duly licensed
918 physician, dentist, veterinarian, or other practitioner authorized by law to prescribe and administer such
919 drugs or medical supplies.

920 "Prescription drug" means any drug required by federal law or regulation to be dispensed only
921 pursuant to a prescription, including finished dosage forms and active ingredients subject to § 503(b) of
922 the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. § 353(b)).

923 "Production" or "produce" includes the manufacture, planting, cultivation, growing, or harvesting
924 of a controlled substance or marijuana.

925 "Proprietary medicine" means a completely compounded nonprescription drug in its unbroken,
926 original package which does not contain any controlled substance or marijuana as defined in this chapter
927 and is not in itself poisonous, and which is sold, offered, promoted, or advertised directly to the general
928 public by or under the authority of the manufacturer or primary distributor, under a trademark, trade name,
929 or other trade symbol privately owned, and the labeling of which conforms to the requirements of this
930 chapter and applicable federal law. However, this definition shall not include a drug that is only advertised
931 or promoted professionally to licensed practitioners, a narcotic or drug containing a narcotic, a drug that

932 may be dispensed only upon prescription or the label of which bears substantially the statement "Warning
933 — may be habit-forming," or a drug intended for injection.

934 "Radiopharmaceutical" means any drug that exhibits spontaneous disintegration of unstable nuclei
935 with the emission of nuclear particles or photons and includes any non-radioactive reagent kit or
936 radionuclide generator that is intended to be used in the preparation of any such substance, but does not
937 include drugs such as carbon-containing compounds or potassium-containing salts that include trace
938 quantities of naturally occurring radionuclides. The term also includes any biological product that is
939 labeled with a radionuclide or intended solely to be labeled with a radionuclide.

940 "Reference biological product" means the single biological product licensed pursuant to 42 U.S.C.
941 § 262(a) against which a biological product is evaluated in an application submitted to the U.S. Food and
942 Drug Administration for licensure of biological products as biosimilar or interchangeable pursuant to 42
943 U.S.C. § 262(k).

944 "Sale" includes barter, exchange, or gift, or offer therefor, and each such transaction made by any
945 person, whether as an individual, proprietor, agent, servant, or employee.

946 "Tetrahydrocannabinol" means any naturally occurring or synthetic tetrahydrocannabinol,
947 including its salts, isomers, and salts of isomers whenever the existence of such salts, isomers, and salts
948 of isomers is possible within the specific chemical designation and any preparation, mixture, or substance
949 containing, or mixed or infused with, any detectable amount of tetrahydrocannabinol.

950 "Tetrahydrocannabinol" includes delta-6a(10a), delta-7, delta-8, delta-9, and delta-10
951 tetrahydrocannabinol. For the purposes of this definition, "isomer" means the optical, position, and
952 geometric isomers.

953 "Therapeutically equivalent drug products" means drug products that contain the same active
954 ingredients and are identical in strength or concentration, dosage form, and route of administration and
955 that are classified as being therapeutically equivalent by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration pursuant
956 to the definition of "therapeutically equivalent drug products" set forth in the most recent edition of the
957 Approved Drug Products with Therapeutic Equivalence Evaluations, otherwise known as the "Orange
958 Book."

959 "Third-party logistics provider" means a person that provides or coordinates warehousing of or
960 other logistics services for a drug or device in interstate commerce on behalf of a manufacturer, wholesale
961 distributor, or dispenser of the drug or device but does not take ownership of the product or have
962 responsibility for directing the sale or disposition of the product.

963 "Total tetrahydrocannabinol" means the sum, after the application of any necessary conversion
964 factor, of the percentage by weight of tetrahydrocannabinol and the percentage by weight of
965 tetrahydrocannabinolic acid.

966 "USP-NF" means the current edition of the United States Pharmacopeia-National Formulary.

967 "Warehouser" means any person, other than a wholesale distributor, manufacturer, or third-party
968 logistics provider, engaged in the business of (i) selling or otherwise distributing prescription drugs or
969 devices to any person who is not the ultimate user or consumer and (ii) delivering Schedule VI prescription
970 devices to the ultimate user or consumer pursuant to § 54.1-3415.1. No person shall be subject to any state
971 or local tax by reason of this definition.

972 "Wholesale distribution" means (i) distribution of prescription drugs to persons other than
973 consumers or patients and (ii) delivery of Schedule VI prescription devices to the ultimate user or
974 consumer pursuant to § 54.1-3415.1, subject to the exemptions set forth in the federal Drug Supply Chain
975 Security Act.

976 "Wholesale distributor" means any person other than a manufacturer, a manufacturer's co-licensed
977 partner, a third-party logistics provider, or a repackager that engages in wholesale distribution.

978 The words "drugs" and "devices" as used in Chapter 33 (§ 54.1-3300 et seq.) and in this chapter
979 shall not include surgical or dental instruments, physical therapy equipment, X-ray apparatus, or glasses
980 or lenses for the eyes.

981 The terms "pharmacist," "pharmacy," and "practice of pharmacy" as used in this chapter shall be
982 defined as provided in Chapter 33 (§ 54.1-3300 et seq.) unless the context requires a different meaning.

983 **§ 54.1-3408.3. Certification for use of cannabis oil for treatment.**

984 A. As used in this section:

985 "Botanical cannabis" means cannabis that is composed wholly of usable cannabis from the same
986 parts of the same chemovar of cannabis plant.

987 "Cannabis oil" means any formulation of processed Cannabis plant extract, which may include
988 industrial hemp extracts, including isolates and distillates, acquired by a pharmaceutical processor
989 pursuant to § 54.1-3442.6, or a dilution of the resin of the Cannabis plant that contains no more than 10
990 milligrams of ~~delta-9 tetrahydrocannabinol~~ tetrahydrocannabinol per dose. "Cannabis oil" does not
991 include industrial hemp, as defined in § 3.2-4112, that is grown, ~~dealt~~ handled, or processed in compliance
992 with state or federal law, unless it has been grown and processed in the Commonwealth by a registered
993 industrial hemp processor and acquired and formulated by a pharmaceutical processor.

994 "Cannabis product" means a product that is (i) produced by a pharmaceutical processor, registered
995 with the Board, and compliant with testing requirements and (ii) composed of cannabis oil or botanical
996 cannabis.

997 "Designated caregiver facility" means any hospice or hospice facility licensed pursuant to § 32.1-
998 162.3, or home care organization as defined in § 32.1-162.7 that provides pharmaceutical services or home
999 health services, private provider licensed by the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental
1000 Services pursuant to Article 2 (§ 37.2-403 et seq.) of Chapter 4 of Title 37.2, assisted living facility
1001 licensed pursuant to § 63.2-1701, or adult day care center licensed pursuant to § 63.2-1701.

1002 "Practitioner" means a practitioner of medicine or osteopathy licensed by the Board of Medicine,
1003 a physician assistant licensed by the Board of Medicine, or a nurse practitioner jointly licensed by the
1004 Board of Medicine and the Board of Nursing.

1005 "Registered agent" means an individual designated by a patient who has been issued a written
1006 certification, or, if such patient is a minor or a vulnerable adult as defined in § 18.2-369, designated by
1007 such patient's parent or legal guardian, and registered with the Board pursuant to subsection G.

1008 "Usable cannabis" means any cannabis plant material, including seeds, but not (i) resin that has
1009 been extracted from any part of the cannabis plant, its seeds, or its resin; (ii) the mature stalks, fiber
1010 produced from the stalks, or any other compound, manufacture, salt, or derivative, mixture, or preparation
1011 of the mature stalks; or (iii) oil or cake made from the seeds of the plant.

1012 B. A practitioner in the course of his professional practice may issue a written certification for the
1013 use of cannabis products for treatment or to alleviate the symptoms of any diagnosed condition or disease
1014 determined by the practitioner to benefit from such use. The practitioner shall use his professional
1015 judgment to determine the manner and frequency of patient care and evaluation and may employ the use
1016 of telemedicine, provided that the use of telemedicine includes the delivery of patient care through real-
1017 time interactive audio-visual technology. If a practitioner determines it is consistent with the standard of
1018 care to dispense botanical cannabis to a minor, the written certification shall specifically authorize such
1019 dispensing. If not specifically included on the initial written certification, authorization for botanical
1020 cannabis may be communicated verbally or in writing to the pharmacist at the time of dispensing.

1021 C. The written certification shall be on a form provided by the Board of Pharmacy. Such written
1022 certification shall contain the name, address, and telephone number of the practitioner; the name and
1023 address of the patient issued the written certification; the date on which the written certification was made;
1024 and the signature or authentic electronic signature of the practitioner. Such written certification issued
1025 pursuant to subsection B shall expire no later than one year after its issuance unless the practitioner
1026 provides in such written certification an earlier expiration. A written certification shall not be issued to a
1027 patient by more than one practitioner during any given time period.

1028 D. No practitioner shall be prosecuted under § 18.2-248 or 18.2-248.1 for the issuance of a
1029 certification for the use of cannabis products for the treatment or to alleviate the symptoms of a patient's
1030 diagnosed condition or disease pursuant to a written certification issued pursuant to subsection B. Nothing
1031 in this section shall preclude the Board of Medicine from sanctioning a practitioner for failing to properly
1032 evaluate or treat a patient's medical condition or otherwise violating the applicable standard of care for
1033 evaluating or treating medical conditions.

1034 E. A practitioner who issues a written certification to a patient pursuant to this section shall register
1035 with the Board and shall hold sufficient education and training to exercise appropriate professional
1036 judgment in the certification of patients. The Board shall not limit the number of patients to whom a
1037 practitioner may issue a written certification. The Board may report information to the applicable licensing
1038 board on unusual patterns of certifications issued by a practitioner.

1039 F. No patient shall be required to physically present the written certification after the initial
1040 dispensing by any pharmaceutical processor or cannabis dispensing facility under each written
1041 certification, provided that the pharmaceutical processor or cannabis dispensing facility maintains an
1042 electronic copy of the written certification. Pharmaceutical processors and cannabis dispensing facilities
1043 shall electronically transmit, on a monthly basis, all new written certifications received by the
1044 pharmaceutical processor or cannabis dispensing facility to the Board.

1045 G. A patient, or, if such patient is a minor or a vulnerable adult as defined in § 18.2-369, such
1046 patient's parent or legal guardian, may designate an individual to act as his registered agent for the purposes
1047 of receiving cannabis products pursuant to a valid written certification. Such designated individual shall
1048 register with the Board. The Board may set a limit on the number of patients for whom any individual is
1049 authorized to act as a registered agent.

1050 H. Upon delivery of a cannabis product by a pharmaceutical processor or cannabis dispensing
1051 facility to a designated caregiver facility, any employee or contractor of a designated caregiver facility,
1052 who is licensed or registered by a health regulatory board and who is authorized to possess, distribute, or
1053 administer medications, may accept delivery of the cannabis product on behalf of a patient or resident for
1054 subsequent delivery to the patient or resident and may assist in the administration of the cannabis product
1055 to the patient or resident as necessary.

1056 I. Information obtained under the registration process shall be confidential and shall not be subject
1057 to the disclosure provisions of the Virginia Freedom of Information Act (§ 2.2-3700 et seq.). However,
1058 reasonable access to registry information shall be provided to (i) the Chairmen of the House Committee
1059 for Courts of Justice and the Senate Committee on the Judiciary, (ii) state and federal agencies or local
1060 law enforcement for the purpose of investigating or prosecuting a specific individual for a specific
1061 violation of law, (iii) licensed practitioners or pharmacists, or their agents, for the purpose of providing
1062 patient care and drug therapy management and monitoring of drugs obtained by a patient, (iv) a
1063 pharmaceutical processor or cannabis dispensing facility involved in the treatment of a patient, or (v) a
1064 registered agent, but only with respect to information related to such patient.

1065 § 54.1-3423. Board to issue registration unless inconsistent with public interest;
1066 authorization to conduct research; application and fees.

1067 A. The Board shall register an applicant to manufacture or distribute controlled substances
1068 included in Schedules I through V unless it determines that the issuance of that registration would be
1069 inconsistent with the public interest. In determining the public interest, the Board shall consider the
1070 following factors:

1071 1. Maintenance of effective controls against diversion of controlled substances into other than
1072 legitimate medical, scientific, or industrial channels;

1073 2. Compliance with applicable state and local law;

1074 3. Any convictions of the applicant under any federal and state laws relating to any controlled
1075 substance;

1076 4. Past experience in the manufacture or distribution of controlled substances, and the existence in
1077 the applicant's establishment of effective controls against diversion;

1078 5. Furnishing by the applicant of false or fraudulent material in any application filed under this
1079 chapter;

1080 6. Suspension or revocation of the applicant's federal registration to manufacture, distribute, or
1081 dispense controlled substances as authorized by federal law; and

1082 7. Any other factors relevant to and consistent with the public health and safety.

1083 B. Registration under subsection A does not entitle a registrant to manufacture and distribute
1084 controlled substances in Schedule I or II other than those specified in the registration.

1085 C. Practitioners must be registered to conduct research or laboratory analysis with controlled
1086 substances in Schedules II through VI, ~~tetrahydrocannabinol~~, or marijuana. Practitioners registered under
1087 federal law to conduct research with Schedule I substances, other than ~~tetrahydrocannabinol~~ marijuana,
1088 may conduct research with Schedule I substances within ~~this~~ the Commonwealth upon furnishing the
1089 evidence of that federal registration.

1090 D. The Board may register other persons or entities to possess controlled substances listed on
1091 Schedules II through VI upon a determination that (i) there is a documented need, (ii) the issuance of the

1092 registration is consistent with the public interest, (iii) the possession and subsequent use of the controlled
1093 substances complies with applicable state and federal laws and regulations, and (iv) the subsequent
1094 storage, use, and recordkeeping of the controlled substances will be under the general supervision of a
1095 licensed pharmacist, practitioner of medicine, osteopathy, podiatry, dentistry, or veterinary medicine as
1096 specified in the Board's regulations. The Board shall consider, at a minimum, the factors listed in
1097 subsection A of this section in determining whether the registration shall be issued. Notwithstanding the
1098 exceptions listed in § 54.1-3422 A, the Board may mandate a controlled substances registration for sites
1099 maintaining certain types and quantities of Schedules II through VI controlled substances as it may specify
1100 in its regulations. The Board shall promulgate regulations related to requirements or criteria for the
1101 issuance of such controlled substances registration, storage, security, supervision, and recordkeeping.

1102 E. The Board may register a public or private animal shelter as defined in § 3.2-6500 to purchase,
1103 possess, and administer certain Schedule II through VI controlled substances approved by the State
1104 Veterinarian for the purpose of euthanizing injured, sick, homeless, and unwanted domestic pets and
1105 animals and to purchase, possess, and administer certain Schedule VI drugs and biological products for
1106 the purpose of preventing, controlling, and treating certain communicable diseases that failure to control
1107 would result in transmission to the animal population in the shelter. Controlled substances used for
1108 euthanasia shall be administered only in accordance with protocols established by the State Veterinarian
1109 and only by persons trained in accordance with instructions by the State Veterinarian. The list of Schedule
1110 VI drugs and biological products used for treatment and prevention of communicable diseases within the
1111 shelter shall be determined by the supervising veterinarian of the shelter and the drugs and biological
1112 products shall be administered only pursuant to written protocols established or approved by the
1113 supervising veterinarian of the shelter and only by persons who have been trained in accordance with
1114 instructions established or approved by the supervising veterinarian. The shelter shall maintain a copy of
1115 the approved list of drugs and biological products, written protocols for administering, and training records
1116 of those persons administering drugs and biological products on the premises of the shelter.

1117 F. The Board may register a crisis stabilization unit established pursuant to § 37.2-500 or 37.2-601
1118 and licensed by the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services to maintain a stock of

1119 Schedule VI controlled substances necessary for immediate treatment of patients admitted to the crisis
1120 stabilization unit, which may be accessed and administered by a nurse pursuant to a written or oral order
1121 of a prescriber in the absence of a prescriber. Schedule II through Schedule V controlled substances shall
1122 only be maintained if so authorized by federal law and Board regulations.

1123 G. The Board may register an entity at which a patient is treated by the use of instrumentation and
1124 diagnostic equipment through which images and medical records may be transmitted electronically for the
1125 purpose of establishing a bona fide practitioner-patient relationship and is prescribed Schedule II through
1126 VI controlled substances when such prescribing is in compliance with federal requirements for the practice
1127 of telemedicine and the patient is not in the physical presence of a practitioner registered with the U.S.
1128 Drug Enforcement Administration. In determining whether the registration shall be issued, the Board shall
1129 consider (i) the factors listed in subsection A, (ii) whether there is a documented need for such registration,
1130 and (iii) whether the issuance of the registration is consistent with the public interest.

1131 H. Applications for controlled substances registration certificates and renewals thereof shall be
1132 made on a form prescribed by the Board and such applications shall be accompanied by a fee in an amount
1133 to be determined by the Board.

1134 I. Upon (i) any change in ownership or control of a business, (ii) any change of location of the
1135 controlled substances stock, (iii) the termination of authority by or of the person named as the responsible
1136 party on a controlled substances registration, or (iv) a change in the supervising practitioner, if applicable,
1137 the registrant or responsible party shall immediately surrender the registration. The registrant shall, within
1138 14 days following surrender of a registration, file a new application and, if applicable, name the new
1139 responsible party or supervising practitioner.

1140 **§ 54.1-3442.6. Permit to operate pharmaceutical processor or cannabis dispensing facility.**

1141 A. No person shall operate a pharmaceutical processor or a cannabis dispensing facility without
1142 first obtaining a permit from the Board. The application for such permit shall be made on a form provided
1143 by the Board and signed by a pharmacist who will be in full and actual charge of the pharmaceutical
1144 processor's dispensing area or cannabis dispensing facility. The Board shall establish an application fee
1145 and other general requirements for such application.

1146 B. Each permit shall expire annually on a date determined by the Board in regulation. The number
1147 of permits that the Board may issue or renew in any year is limited to one pharmaceutical processor and
1148 up to five cannabis dispensing facilities for each health service area established by the Board of Health.
1149 Permits shall be displayed in a conspicuous place on the premises of the pharmaceutical processor and
1150 cannabis dispensing facility.

1151 C. The Board shall adopt regulations establishing health, safety, and security requirements for
1152 pharmaceutical processors and cannabis dispensing facilities. Such regulations shall include requirements
1153 for (i) physical standards; (ii) location restrictions; (iii) security systems and controls; (iv) minimum
1154 equipment and resources; (v) recordkeeping; (vi) labeling, including the potency of each botanical
1155 cannabis product and the amounts recommended by the practitioner or dispensing pharmacist, and
1156 packaging; (vii) routine inspections no more frequently than once annually; (viii) processes for safely and
1157 securely dispensing and delivering in person cannabis products to a patient, his registered agent, or, if
1158 such patient is a minor or a vulnerable adult as defined in § 18.2-369, such patient's parent or legal
1159 guardian; (ix) dosage limitations for cannabis oil that provide that each dispensed dose of cannabis oil not
1160 exceed 10 milligrams of ~~delta-9 tetrahydrocannabinol~~ tetrahydrocannabinol; (x) a process for the
1161 wholesale distribution of and the transfer of usable cannabis, botanical cannabis, cannabis oil, and
1162 cannabis products between pharmaceutical processors, between a pharmaceutical processors and a
1163 cannabis dispensing facility, and between cannabis dispensing facilities; (xi) an allowance for the sale of
1164 devices for administration of dispensed cannabis products and hemp-based CBD products that meet the
1165 applicable standards set forth in state and federal law, including the laboratory testing standards set forth
1166 in subsection M; (xii) an allowance for the use and distribution of inert product samples containing no
1167 cannabinoids for patient demonstration exclusively at the pharmaceutical processor or cannabis dispensing
1168 facility, and not for further distribution or sale, without the need for a written certification; (xiii) a process
1169 for acquiring industrial hemp extracts and formulating such extracts into cannabis products; and (xiv) an
1170 allowance for the advertising and promotion of the pharmaceutical processor's products and operations,
1171 which shall not limit the pharmaceutical processor from the provision of educational material to
1172 practitioners who issue written certifications and patients. The Board shall also adopt regulations for

1173 pharmaceutical processors that include requirements for (a) processes for safely and securely cultivating
1174 Cannabis plants intended for producing cannabis products, (b) the secure disposal of agricultural waste,
1175 and (c) a process for registering cannabis oil products.

1176 D. The Board shall require that, after processing and before dispensing any cannabis products, a
1177 pharmaceutical processor shall make a sample available from each batch of cannabis product for testing
1178 by an independent laboratory located in Virginia meeting Board requirements. A valid sample size for
1179 testing shall be determined by each laboratory and may vary due to sample matrix, analytical method, and
1180 laboratory-specific procedures. A minimum sample size of 0.5 percent of individual units for dispensing
1181 or distribution from each homogenized batch of cannabis oil is required to achieve a representative
1182 cannabis oil sample for analysis. A minimum sample size, to be determined by the certified testing
1183 laboratory, from each batch of botanical cannabis is required to achieve a representative botanical cannabis
1184 sample for analysis. Botanical cannabis products shall only be tested for the following: total cannabidiol
1185 (CBD); total tetrahydrocannabinol (THC); terpenes; pesticide chemical residue; heavy metals;
1186 mycotoxins; moisture; and microbiological contaminants. Testing thresholds shall be consistent with
1187 generally accepted cannabis industry thresholds. The pharmaceutical processor may remediate botanical
1188 cannabis or cannabis oil that fails any quality testing standard except pesticides. Following remediation,
1189 all remediated botanical cannabis or cannabis oil shall be subject to laboratory testing and approved upon
1190 satisfaction of applicable testing standards, which shall not be more stringent than initial testing prior to
1191 remediation. If a batch of botanical cannabis fails retesting after remediation, it shall be considered usable
1192 cannabis and may be processed into cannabis oil. Stability testing shall not be required for any cannabis
1193 product with an expiration date assigned by the pharmaceutical processor of six months or less from the
1194 date of the cannabis product registration approval. Stability testing required for assignment of an
1195 expiration date longer than six months shall be limited to microbial testing, on a pass/fail basis, and
1196 potency testing, on a 10 percent deviation basis, of active ingredients.

1197 E. A laboratory testing samples for a pharmaceutical processor shall obtain a controlled substances
1198 registration certificate pursuant to § 54.1-3423 and shall comply with quality standards established by the
1199 Board in regulation.

1200 F. Every pharmaceutical processor's dispensing area or cannabis dispensing facility shall be under
1201 the personal supervision of a licensed pharmacist on the premises of the pharmaceutical processor or
1202 cannabis dispensing facility. The pharmaceutical processor shall ensure that security measures are
1203 adequate to protect the cannabis from diversion at all times, and the pharmacist-in-charge shall have
1204 concurrent responsibility for preventing diversion from the dispensing area.

1205 Every pharmaceutical processor shall designate a person who shall have oversight of the
1206 cultivation and production areas of the pharmaceutical processor and shall provide such information to
1207 the Board. The Board shall direct all communications related to enforcement of requirements related to
1208 cultivation and production of cannabis oil products by the pharmaceutical processor to such designated
1209 person.

1210 G. The Board shall require the material owners of an applicant for a pharmaceutical processor or
1211 cannabis dispensing facility permit to submit to fingerprinting and provide personal descriptive
1212 information to be forwarded along with his fingerprints through the Central Criminal Records Exchange
1213 to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for the purpose of obtaining criminal history record information
1214 regarding the applicant's material owners. The cost of fingerprinting and the criminal history record search
1215 shall be paid by the applicant. The Central Criminal Records Exchange shall forward the results of the
1216 criminal history background check to the Board or its designee, which shall be a governmental entity. A
1217 pharmaceutical processor shall maintain evidence of criminal background checks for all employees and
1218 delivery agents of the pharmaceutical processor. Criminal background checks of employees and delivery
1219 agents may be conducted by any service sufficient to disclose any federal and state criminal convictions.

1220 H. In addition to other employees authorized by the Board, a pharmaceutical processor may
1221 employ individuals who may have less than two years of experience (i) to perform cultivation-related
1222 duties under the supervision of an individual who has received a degree in a field related to the cultivation
1223 of plants or a certification recognized by the Board or who has at least two years of experience cultivating
1224 plants, (ii) to perform extraction-related duties under the supervision of an individual who has a degree in
1225 chemistry or pharmacology or at least two years of experience extracting chemicals from plants, and (iii)

1226 to perform duties at the pharmaceutical processor and cannabis dispensing facility upon certification as a
1227 pharmacy technician.

1228 I. A pharmaceutical processor to whom a permit has been issued by the Board may establish up to
1229 five cannabis dispensing facilities for the dispensing of cannabis products that have been cultivated and
1230 produced on the premises of a pharmaceutical processor permitted by the Board. Each cannabis dispensing
1231 facility shall be located within the same health service area as the pharmaceutical processor.

1232 J. No person who has been convicted of a felony under the laws of the Commonwealth or another
1233 jurisdiction within the last five years shall be employed by or act as an agent of a pharmaceutical processor
1234 or cannabis dispensing facility.

1235 K. Every pharmaceutical processor or cannabis dispensing facility shall adopt policies for pre-
1236 employment drug screening and regular, ongoing, random drug screening of employees.

1237 L. A pharmacist at the pharmaceutical processor's dispensing area and the cannabis dispensing
1238 facility shall determine the number of pharmacy interns, pharmacy technicians, and pharmacy technician
1239 trainees who can be safely and competently supervised at one time; however, no pharmacist shall supervise
1240 more than six persons performing the duties of a pharmacy technician at one time in the pharmaceutical
1241 processor's dispensing area or cannabis dispensing facility.

1242 M. A pharmaceutical processor may acquire industrial hemp extracts grown and processed in
1243 Virginia, and in compliance with state or federal law, from a registered industrial hemp dealer or
1244 processor. A pharmaceutical processor may process and formulate such extracts into an allowable dosage
1245 of cannabis product. Industrial hemp extracts acquired and formulated by a pharmaceutical processor are
1246 subject to the same third-party testing requirements that may apply to cannabis plant extract. Testing shall
1247 be performed by a laboratory located in Virginia and in compliance with state law governing the testing
1248 of cannabis products. The industrial hemp dealer or processor shall provide such third-party testing results
1249 to the pharmaceutical processor before industrial hemp extracts may be acquired.

1250 N. With the exception of § 2.2-4031, neither the provisions of the Administrative Process Act (§
1251 2.2-4000 et seq.) nor public participation guidelines adopted pursuant thereto shall apply to the adoption
1252 of any regulation pursuant to this section. Prior to adopting any regulation pursuant to this section, the

1253 Board of Pharmacy shall publish a notice of opportunity to comment in the Virginia Register of
1254 Regulations and post the action on the Virginia Regulatory Town Hall. Such notice of opportunity to
1255 comment shall contain (i) a summary of the proposed regulation; (ii) the text of the proposed regulation;
1256 and (iii) the name, address, and telephone number of the agency contact person responsible for receiving
1257 public comments. Such notice shall be made at least 60 days in advance of the last date prescribed in such
1258 notice for submittals of public comment. The legislative review provisions of subsections A and B of §
1259 2.2-4014 shall apply to the promulgation or final adoption process for regulations pursuant to this section.
1260 The Board of Pharmacy shall consider and keep on file all public comments received for any regulation
1261 adopted pursuant to this section.

1262 O. The Board shall register all cannabis products that meet testing, labeling, and packaging
1263 standards.

1264 **§ 54.1-3442.7. Dispensing cannabis products; report.**

1265 A. A pharmaceutical processor or cannabis dispensing facility shall dispense or deliver cannabis
1266 products only in person to (i) a patient who is a Virginia resident or temporarily resides in Virginia and
1267 has been issued a valid written certification; (ii) such patient's registered agent; or (iii) if such patient is a
1268 minor or a vulnerable adult as defined in § 18.2-369, such patient's parent or legal guardian who is a
1269 Virginia resident or temporarily resides in Virginia. A companion may accompany a patient into a
1270 pharmaceutical processor's dispensing area or cannabis dispensing facility. Prior to the initial dispensing
1271 of cannabis products pursuant to each written certification, a pharmacist or pharmacy technician employed
1272 by the pharmaceutical processor or cannabis dispensing facility shall make and maintain, on site or
1273 remotely by electronic means, for two years a paper or electronic copy of the written certification that
1274 provides an exact image of the document that is clearly legible; shall view, in person or by audiovisual
1275 means, a current photo identification of the patient, registered agent, parent, or legal guardian; and shall
1276 verify current board registration of the practitioner and the corresponding registered agent if applicable.
1277 Thereafter, an initial dispensing may be delivered to the patient, registered agent, parent, legal guardian,
1278 or designated caregiver facility. Prior to any subsequent dispensing of cannabis products pursuant to each
1279 written certification, an employee or delivery agent shall view a current photo identification of the patient,

1280 registered agent, parent, or legal guardian and the current board registration issued to the registered agent
1281 if applicable. No pharmaceutical processor or cannabis dispensing facility shall dispense more than a 90-
1282 day supply, as determined by the dispensing pharmacist or certifying practitioner, for any patient during
1283 any 90-day period. A pharmaceutical processor or cannabis dispensing facility may dispense less than a
1284 90-day supply of a cannabis product for any patient during any 90-day period; however, a pharmaceutical
1285 processor or cannabis dispensing facility may dispense more than one cannabis product to a patient at one
1286 time. No more than four ounces of botanical cannabis shall be dispensed for each 30-day period for which
1287 botanical cannabis is dispensed. The Board shall establish in regulation an amount of cannabis oil that
1288 constitutes a 90-day supply to treat or alleviate the symptoms of a patient's diagnosed condition or disease.
1289 In determining the appropriate amount of a cannabis product to be dispensed to a patient, a pharmaceutical
1290 processor or cannabis dispensing facility shall consider all cannabis products dispensed to the patient and
1291 adjust the amount dispensed accordingly.

1292 B. A pharmaceutical processor or cannabis dispensing facility shall dispense only cannabis
1293 products produced on the premises of a pharmaceutical processor permitted by the Board or cannabis
1294 products that have been formulated with extracts from industrial hemp acquired by a pharmaceutical
1295 processor from a registered industrial hemp dealer or processor pursuant to § 54.1-3442.6. A
1296 pharmaceutical processor may begin cultivation upon being issued a permit by the Board.

1297 C. The Board shall report annually by December 1 to the Chairmen of the House Committee for
1298 Health, Welfare and Institutions and the Senate Committee on Education and Health on the operation of
1299 pharmaceutical processors and cannabis dispensing facilities issued a permit by the Board.

1300 D. The concentration of ~~delta-9-tetrahydrocannabinol~~ tetrahydrocannabinol in any cannabis
1301 product on site may be up to 10 percent greater than or less than the level of ~~delta-9-tetrahydrocannabinol~~
1302 tetrahydrocannabinol measured for labeling. A pharmaceutical processor and cannabis dispensing facility
1303 shall ensure that such concentration in any cannabis product on site is within such range. A pharmaceutical
1304 processor producing cannabis products shall establish a stability testing schedule of cannabis products.

1305 **§ 54.1-3443. Board to administer article.**

1306 A. The Board shall administer this article and may add substances to or deschedule or reschedule
1307 all substances enumerated in the schedules in this article pursuant to the procedures of the Administrative
1308 Process Act (§ 2.2-4000 et seq.). In making a determination regarding a substance, the Board shall consider
1309 the following:

- 1310 1. The actual or relative potential for abuse;
- 1311 2. The scientific evidence of its pharmacological effect, if known;
- 1312 3. The state of current scientific knowledge regarding the substance;
- 1313 4. The history and current pattern of abuse;
- 1314 5. The scope, duration, and significance of abuse;
- 1315 6. The risk to the public health;
- 1316 7. The potential of the substance to produce psychic or physical dependence; and
- 1317 8. Whether the substance is an immediate precursor of a substance already controlled under this
1318 article.

1319 B. After considering the factors enumerated in subsection A, the Board shall make findings and
1320 issue a regulation controlling the substance if it finds the substance has a potential for abuse.

1321 C. If the Board designates a substance as an immediate precursor, substances which are precursors
1322 of the controlled precursor shall not be subject to control solely because they are precursors of the
1323 controlled precursor.

1324 D. If the Board, in consultation with the Department of Forensic Science, determines the substance
1325 shall be placed into Schedule I or II pursuant to § 54.1-3445 or 54.1-3447, the Board may amend its
1326 regulations pursuant to Article 2 (§ 2.2-4006 et seq.) of the Administrative Process Act. Prior to making
1327 such amendments, the Board shall conduct a public hearing. At least 30 days prior to conducting such
1328 hearing, it shall post notice of the hearing on the Virginia Regulatory Town Hall and shall send notice of
1329 the hearing to any persons requesting to be notified of a regulatory action. In the notice, the Board shall
1330 include a list of all substances it intends to schedule by regulation. The Board shall notify the House
1331 Committee for Courts of Justice and the Senate Committee on the Judiciary of any new substance added
1332 to Schedule I or II pursuant to this subsection. Any substance added to Schedule I or II pursuant to this

1333 subsection shall remain on Schedule I or II for a period of 18 months. Upon expiration of such 18-month
1334 period, such substance shall be descheduled unless a general law is enacted adding such substance to
1335 Schedule I or II. Nothing in this subsection shall preclude the Board from adding substances to or
1336 descheduling or rescheduling all substances enumerated in the schedules pursuant to the provisions of
1337 subsections A, B, and E.

1338 E. If any substance is designated, rescheduled, or descheduled as a controlled substance under
1339 federal law and notice of such action is given to the Board, the Board may similarly control the substance
1340 under this chapter after the expiration of 30 days from publication in the Federal Register of a final or
1341 interim final order or rule designating a substance as a controlled substance or rescheduling or
1342 descheduling a substance by amending its regulations in accordance with the requirements of Article 2 (§
1343 2.2-4006 et seq.) of the Administrative Process Act. Prior to making such amendments, the Board shall
1344 post notice of the hearing on the Virginia Regulatory Town Hall and shall send notice of the hearing to
1345 any persons requesting to be notified of a regulatory action. The Board shall include a list of all substances
1346 it intends to schedule by regulation in such notice.

1347 F. Authority to control under this section does not extend to distilled spirits, wine, malt beverages,
1348 or tobacco as those terms are defined or used in Title 4.1.

1349 G. The Board shall exempt any nonnarcotic substance from a schedule if such substance may,
1350 under the provisions of the federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. § 301 et seq.) or state law,
1351 be lawfully sold over the counter without a prescription.

1352 H. Any tetrahydrocannabinol isomer, ester, ether, salt, or salts of such isomer, ester, or ether
1353 scheduled pursuant to this section shall not be included in the definition of marijuana set forth in § 4.1-
1354 600, 18.2-247, or 54.1-3401.

1355 **§ 54.1-3446. Schedule I.**

1356 The controlled substances listed in this section are included in Schedule I:

1357 1. Any of the following opiates, including their isomers, esters, ethers, salts, and salts of isomers,
1358 esters, and ethers, unless specifically excepted, whenever the existence of these isomers, esters, ethers and
1359 salts is possible within the specific chemical designation:

- 1360** 1-{1-[1-(4-bromophenyl)ethyl]-4-piperidinyl}-1,3-dihydro-2H-benzimidazol-2-one (other name:
1361 Brorphine);
- 1362** 1-[2-methyl-4-(3-phenyl-2-propen-1-yl)-1-piperazinyl]-1-butanone (other name: 2-methyl AP-
1363 237);
- 1364** 1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-phenyl-4-acetyloxypiperidine (other name: PEPAP);
- 1365** 1-methyl-4-phenyl-4-propionoxypiperidine (other name: MPPP);
- 1366** 2-[(4-methoxyphenyl)methyl]-N,N-diethyl-5-nitro-1H-benzimidazole-1-ethanamine (other name:
1367 Metonitazene);
- 1368** 2-methoxy-N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-acetamide (other name: Methoxyacetyl
1369 fentanyl);
- 1370** 3,4-dichloro-N-[2-(dimethylamino)cyclohexyl]-N-methyl-benzamide (other name: U-47700);
- 1371** 3,4-dichloro-N-[[1-(dimethylamino)cyclohexyl]methyl]benzamide (other name: AH-7921);
- 1372** Acetyl fentanyl (other name: desmethyl fentanyl);
- 1373** Acetylmethadol;
- 1374** Allylprodine;
- 1375** Alphacetylmethadol (except levo-alphacetylmethadol, also known as levo-alpha-acetylmethadol,
1376 levomethadyl acetate, or LAAM);
- 1377** Alphameprodine;
- 1378** Alphamethadol;
- 1379** Benzethidine;
- 1380** Betacetylmethadol;
- 1381** Betameprodine;
- 1382** Betamethadol;
- 1383** Betaprodine;
- 1384** Clonitazene;
- 1385** Dextromoramide;
- 1386** Diampromide;

- 1387 Diethylthiambutene;
- 1388 Difenoquin;
- 1389 Dimenoxadol;
- 1390 Dimepheptanol;
- 1391 Dimethylthiambutene;
- 1392 Dioxaphetylbutyrate;
- 1393 Dipipanone;
- 1394 Ethylmethylthiambutene;
- 1395 Etonitazene;
- 1396 Etoxadine;
- 1397 Furethidine;
- 1398 Hydroxypethidine;
- 1399 Ketobemidone;
- 1400 Levomoramide;
- 1401 Levophenacymorphan;
- 1402 Morpheridine;
- 1403 MT-45 (1-cyclohexyl-4-(1,2-diphenylethyl)piperazine);
- 1404 N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylcyclopropanecarboxamide (other name: Cyclopropyl
1405 fentanyl);
- 1406 N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenyltetrahydrofuran-2-carboxamide (other name:
1407 Tetrahydrofuran fentanyl);
- 1408 N-[1-[1-methyl-2-(2-thienyl)ethyl]-4-piperidyl]-N-phenylpropanamide (other name: alpha-
1409 methylthiofentanyl);
- 1410 N-[1-(1-methyl-2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidyl]-N-phenylacetamide (other name: acetyl-alpha-
1411 methylfentanyl);
- 1412 N-{1-[2-hydroxy-2-(2-thienyl)ethyl]-4-piperidinyl}-N-phenylpropanamide (other name: beta-
1413 hydroxythiofentanyl);

- 1414 N-[1-(2-hydroxy-2-phenyl)ethyl-4-piperidyl]-N-phenylpropanamide (other name: beta-
1415 hydroxyfentanyl);
- 1416 N-[1-(alpha-methyl-beta-phenyl)ethyl-4-piperidyl]propionanilide (other names: 1-(1-methyl-2-
1417 phenylethyl)-4-(N-propanilido) piperidine, alpha-methylfentanyl);
- 1418 N-(2-fluorophenyl)-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-propanamide (other names: 2-
1419 fluorofentanyl, ortho-fluorofentanyl);
- 1420 N-(3-fluorophenyl)-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-propanamide (other name: 3-
1421 fluorofentanyl);
- 1422 N-[3-methyl-1-(2-hydroxy-2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidyl]-N-phenylpropanamide (other name: beta-
1423 hydroxy-3-methylfentanyl);
- 1424 N-[3-methyl-1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidyl]-N-phenylpropanamide (other name: 3-
1425 methylfentanyl);
- 1426 N-[3-methyl-1-(2-thienyl)ethyl-4-piperidinyl]-N-phenylpropanamide (other name: 3-
1427 methylthiofentanyl);
- 1428 N-(4-chlorophenyl)-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-propanamide (other names: para-
1429 chlorofentanyl, 4-chlorofentanyl);
- 1430 N-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-methyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-propanamide (other name:
1431 para-fluoroisobutyryl fentanyl);
- 1432 N-(4-fluorophenyl)-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-butanamide (other name: para-
1433 fluorobutyrylfentanyl);
- 1434 N-(4-fluorophenyl)-N-1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-propanamide (other name: para-
1435 fluorofentanyl);
- 1436 N,N-diethyl-2-(2-(4-isopropoxybenzyl)-5-nitro-1H-benzimidazol-1-yl)ethan-1-amine (other
1437 name: Isotonitazene);
- 1438 N,N-diethyl-2-[[4-ethoxyphenyl] methyl]-1H-benzimidazol-1-yl}-ethan-1-amine (other names:
1439 Etazene, Desnitroetonitazene);

- 1440 N,N-diethyl-2-[(4-methoxyphenyl)methyl]-1H-benzimidazole-1-ethanamine (other name:
1441 Metodesnitazene);
- 1442 N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylmethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-2-furancarboxamide (other name: N-benzyl
1443 Furanyl norfentanyl);
- 1444 N-phenyl-N-(4-piperidinyl)-propanamide (other name: Norfentanyl);
- 1445 Noracymethadol;
- 1446 Norlevorphanol;
- 1447 Normethadone;
- 1448 Norpipanone;
- 1449 N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-2-furancarboxamide (other name: Furanyl
1450 fentanyl);
- 1451 N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-2-propenamide (other name: Acryl fentanyl);
- 1452 N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-butanamide (other name: butyryl fentanyl);
- 1453 N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-pentanamide (other name: Pentanoyl fentanyl);
- 1454 N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-thienyl)ethyl-4-piperidinyl]-propanamide (other name: thiofentanyl);
- 1455 Phenadoxone;
- 1456 Phenampromide;
- 1457 Phenomorphan;
- 1458 Phenoperidine;
- 1459 Piritramide;
- 1460 Proheptazine;
- 1461 Properidine;
- 1462 Propiram;
- 1463 Racemoramide;
- 1464 Tilidine;
- 1465 Trimeperidine;

- 1466** N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-1,3-benzodioxole-5-carboxamide (other name:
1467 Benzodioxole fentanyl);
- 1468** 3,4-dichloro-N-[2-(diethylamino)cyclohexyl]-N-methylbenzamide (other name: U-49900);
- 1469** 2-(2,4-dichlorophenyl)-N-[2-(dimethylamino)cyclohexyl]-N-methyl acetamide (other name: U-
1470 48800);
- 1471** 2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-N-[2-(dimethylamino)cyclohexyl]-N-methyl acetamide (other name: U-
1472 51754);
- 1473** N-(2-fluorophenyl)-2-methoxy-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-acetamide (other name:
1474 Ocfentanil);
- 1475** N-(4-methoxyphenyl)-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-butanamide (other name: 4-
1476 methoxybutyrylfentanyl);
- 1477** N-phenyl-2-methyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-propanamide (other name: Isobutyryl
1478 fentanyl);
- 1479** N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-cyclopentanecarboxamide (other name:
1480 Cyclopentyl fentanyl);
- 1481** N-phenyl-N-(1-methyl-4-piperidinyl)-propanamide (other name: N-methyl norfentanyl);
- 1482** N-[2-(dimethylamino)cyclohexyl]-N-methyl-1,3-benzodioxole-5-carboxamide (other names: 3,4-
1483 methylenedioxy U-47700 or 3,4-MDO-U-47700);
- 1484** N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-2-butenamide (other name: Crotonyl fentanyl);
- 1485** N-phenyl-N-[4-phenyl-1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-propanamide (other name: 4-
1486 phenylfentanyl);
- 1487** N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-benzamide (other names: Phenyl fentanyl, Benzoyl
1488 fentanyl);
- 1489** N-[2-(dimethylamino)cyclohexyl]-N-phenylfuran-2-carboxamide (other name: Furanyl UF-17);
- 1490** N-[2-(dimethylamino)cyclohexyl]-N-phenylpropionamide (other name: UF-17);
- 1491** 3,4-dichloro-N-[2-(dimethylamino)cyclohexyl]-N-isopropyl-benzamide (other name: Isopropyl
1492 U-47700).

1493 2. Any of the following opium derivatives, their salts, isomers and salts of isomers, unless
1494 specifically excepted, whenever the existence of these salts, isomers and salts of isomers is possible within
1495 the specific chemical designation:

1496 Acetorphine;
1497 Acetyldihydrocodeine;
1498 Benzylmorphine;
1499 Codeine methylbromide;
1500 Codeine-N-Oxide;
1501 Cyprenorphine;
1502 Desomorphine;
1503 Dihydromorphine;
1504 Drotebanol;
1505 Etorphine;
1506 Heroin;
1507 Hydromorphanol;
1508 Methyldesorphine;
1509 Methyldihydromorphine;
1510 Morphine methylbromide;
1511 Morphine methylsulfonate;
1512 Morphine-N-Oxide;
1513 Myrophine;
1514 Nicocodeine;
1515 Nicomorphine;
1516 Normorphine;
1517 Pholcodine;
1518 Thebacon.

1519 3. Unless specifically excepted or unless listed in another schedule, any material, compound,
1520 mixture, or preparation, which contains any quantity of the following hallucinogenic substances, or which
1521 contains any of its salts, isomers, and salts of isomers, whenever the existence of such salts, isomers, and
1522 salts of isomers is possible within the specific chemical designation (for purposes of this subdivision only,
1523 the term "isomer" includes the optical, position, and geometric isomers):

1524 Alpha-ethyltryptamine (some trade or other names: Monase; a-ethyl-1H-indole-3-ethanamine; 3-
1525 2-aminobutyl] indole; a-ET; AET);

1526 4-Bromo-2,5-dimethoxyphenethylamine (some trade or other names: 2-4-bromo-2,5-
1527 dimethoxyphenyl]-1-aminoethane; alpha-desmethyl DOB; 2C-B; Nexus);

1528 3,4-methylenedioxy amphetamine;

1529 5-methoxy-3,4-methylenedioxy amphetamine;

1530 3,4,5-trimethoxy amphetamine;

1531 Alpha-methyltryptamine (other name: AMT);

1532 Bufotenine;

1533 Diethyltryptamine;

1534 Dimethyltryptamine;

1535 4-methyl-2,5-dimethoxyamphetamine;

1536 2,5-dimethoxy-4-ethylamphetamine (DOET);

1537 4-fluoro-N-ethylamphetamine;

1538 2,5-dimethoxy-4-(n)-propylthiophenethylamine (other name: 2C-T-7);

1539 Ibogaine;

1540 5-methoxy-N,N-diisopropyltryptamine (other name: 5-MeO-DIPT);

1541 Lysergic acid diethylamide;

1542 Mescaline;

1543 Parahexyl (some trade or other names: 3-Hexyl-1-hydroxy-7,8,9,10-tetrahydro-6,6,9-trimethyl-
1544 6H-dibenzo [b,d] pyran; Synhexyl);

1545 Peyote;

- 1546 N-ethyl-3-piperidyl benzilate;
- 1547 N-methyl-3-piperidyl benzilate;
- 1548 Psilocybin;
- 1549 Psilocyn;
- 1550 Salvinorin A;
- 1551 ~~Tetrahydrocannabinols, except as present in (i) industrial hemp, as defined in § 3.2-4112, that is~~
- 1552 ~~possessed by a person registered pursuant to subsection A of § 3.2-4115 or his agent; (ii) a hemp product,~~
- 1553 ~~as defined in § 3.2-4112, containing a tetrahydrocannabinol concentration of no greater than 0.3 percent~~
- 1554 ~~that is derived from industrial hemp, as defined in § 3.2-4112, that is grown, dealt, or processed in~~
- 1555 ~~compliance with state or federal law; (iii) marijuana; (iv) dronabinol in sesame oil and encapsulated in a~~
- 1556 ~~soft gelatin capsule in a drug product approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration; or (v) industrial~~
- 1557 ~~hemp, as defined in § 3.2-4112, that is possessed by a person who holds a hemp producer license issued~~
- 1558 ~~by the U.S. Department of Agriculture pursuant to 7 C.F.R. Part 990;~~
- 1559 2,5-dimethoxyamphetamine (some trade or other names: 2,5-dimethoxy-a-methylphenethylamine;
- 1560 2,5-DMA);
- 1561 3,4-methylenedioxyamphetamine (MDMA), its optical, positional and geometric isomers,
- 1562 salts and salts of isomers;
- 1563 3,4-methylenedioxy-N-ethylamphetamine (also known as N-ethyl-alpha-methyl-3,4
- 1564 (methylenedioxy)phenethylamine, N-ethyl MDA, MDE, MDEA);
- 1565 N-hydroxy-3,4-methylenedioxyamphetamine (some other names: N-hydroxy-alpha-methyl-
- 1566 3,4(methylenedioxy)phenethylamine, and N-hydroxy MDA);
- 1567 4-bromo-2,5-dimethoxyamphetamine (some trade or other names: 4-bromo-2,5-dimethoxy-a-
- 1568 methylphenethylamine; 4-bromo-2,5-DMA);
- 1569 4-methoxyamphetamine (some trade or other names: 4-methoxy-a-methylphenethylamine;
- 1570 paramethoxyamphetamine; PMA);
- 1571 Ethylamine analog of phencyclidine (some other names: N-ethyl-1-phenylcyclohexylamine, (1-
- 1572 phenylcyclohexyl) ethylamine, N-(1-phenylcyclohexyl) ethylamine, cyclohexamine, PCE);

- 1573 Pyrrolidine analog of phencyclidine (some other names: 1-(1-phenylcyclohexyl)-pyrrolidine,
1574 PCPy, PHP);
- 1575 Thiophene analog of phencyclidine (some other names: 1-[1-(2-thienyl)-cyclohexyl]-piperidine,
1576 2-thienyl analog of phencyclidine, TPCP, TCP);
- 1577 1-1-(2-thienyl)cyclohexyl]pyrrolidine (other name: TCPy);
- 1578 3,4-methylenedioxypropylvalerone (other name: MDPV);
- 1579 4-methylmethcathinone (other names: mephedrone, 4-MMC);
- 1580 3,4-methylenedioxymethcathinone (other name: methylone);
- 1581 Naphthylpyrovalerone (other name: naphyrone);
- 1582 4-fluoromethcathinone (other names: flephedrone, 4-FMC);
- 1583 4-methoxymethcathinone (other names: methedrone; bk-PMMA);
- 1584 Ethcathinone (other name: N-ethylcathinone);
- 1585 3,4-methylenedioxyethylcathinone (other name: ethylone);
- 1586 Beta-keto-N-methyl-3,4-benzodioxolylbutanamine (other name: butylone);
- 1587 N,N-dimethylcathinone (other name: metamfepramone);
- 1588 Alpha-pyrrolidinopropiophenone (other name: alpha-PPP);
- 1589 4-methoxy-alpha-pyrrolidinopropiophenone (other name: MOPPP);
- 1590 3,4-methylenedioxy-alpha-pyrrolidinopropiophenone (other name: MDPPP);
- 1591 Alpha-pyrrolidinovalerophenone (other name: alpha-PVP);
- 1592 6,7-dihydro-5H-indeno-(5,6-d)-1,3-dioxol-6-amine (other name: MDAI);
- 1593 3-fluoromethcathinone (other name: 3-FMC);
- 1594 4-Ethyl-2,5-dimethoxyphenethylamine (other name: 2C-E);
- 1595 4-Iodo-2,5-dimethoxyphenethylamine (other name: 2C-I);
- 1596 4-Methylethcathinone (other name: 4-MEC);
- 1597 4-Ethylmethcathinone (other name: 4-EMC);
- 1598 N,N-diallyl-5-methoxytryptamine (other name: 5-MeO-DALT);
- 1599 Beta-keto-methylbenzodioxolylpentanamine (other names: Pentylone, bk-MBDP);

- 1600** Alpha-methylamino-butyrophenone (other name: Buphedrone);
- 1601** Alpha-methylamino-valerophenone (other name: Pentedrone);
- 1602** 3,4-Dimethylmethcathinone (other name: 3,4-dmmc);
- 1603** 4-methyl-alpha-pyrrolidinopropiophenone (other name: MPPP);
- 1604** 4-Iodo-2,5-dimethoxy-N-[(2-methoxyphenyl)methyl]-benzeneethanamine (other names: 25-I,
- 1605** 25I-NBOMe, 2C-I-NBOMe);
- 1606** Methoxetamine (other names: MXE, 3-MeO-2-Oxo-PCE);
- 1607** 4-Fluoromethamphetamine (other name: 4-FMA);
- 1608** 4-Fluoroamphetamine (other name: 4-FA);
- 1609** 2-(2,5-Dimethoxy-4-methylphenyl)ethanamine (other name: 2C-D);
- 1610** 2-(4-Chloro-2,5-dimethoxyphenyl)ethanamine (other name: 2C-C);
- 1611** 2-[4-(Ethylthio)-2,5-dimethoxyphenyl]ethanamine (other name: 2C-T-2);
- 1612** 2-[4-(Isopropylthio)-2,5-dimethoxyphenyl]ethanamine (other name: 2C-T-4);
- 1613** 2-(2,5-Dimethoxyphenyl)ethanamine (other name: 2C-H);
- 1614** 2-(2,5-Dimethoxy-4-nitro-phenyl)ethanamine (other name: 2C-N);
- 1615** 2-(2,5-Dimethoxy-4-(n)-propylphenyl)ethanamine (other name: 2C-P);
- 1616** (2-aminopropyl)benzofuran (other name: APB);
- 1617** (2-aminopropyl)-2,3-dihydrobenzofuran (other name: APDB);
- 1618** 4-chloro-2,5-dimethoxy-N-[(2-methoxyphenyl)methyl]-benzeneethanamine (other names: 2C-C-
- 1619** NBOMe, 25C-NBOMe, 25C);
- 1620** 4-bromo-2,5-dimethoxy-N-[(2-methoxyphenyl)methyl]-benzeneethanamine (other names: 2C-B-
- 1621** NBOMe, 25B-NBOMe, 25B);
- 1622** Acetoxymethyltryptamine (other names: AcO-Psilocin, AcO-DMT, Psilacetin);
- 1623** Benocyclidine (other names: BCP, BTCP);
- 1624** Alpha-pyrrolidinobutiophenone (other name: alpha-PBP);
- 1625** 3,4-methylenedioxy-N,N-dimethylcathinone (other names: Dimethylone, bk-MDDMA);
- 1626** 4-bromomethcathinone (other name: 4-BMC);

- 1627 4-chloromethcathinone (other name: 4-CMC);
- 1628 4-Iodo-2,5-dimethoxy-N-[(2-hydroxyphenyl)methyl]-benzeneethanamine (other name: 25I-
1629 NBOH);
- 1630 Alpha-Pyrrolidinohexiophenone (other name: alpha-PHP);
- 1631 Alpha-Pyrrolidinoheptiophenone (other name: PV8);
- 1632 5-methoxy-N,N-methylisopropyltryptamine (other name: 5-MeO-MIPT);
- 1633 Beta-keto-N,N-dimethylbenzodioxolylbutanamine (other names: Dibutylone, bk-DMBDB);
- 1634 Beta-keto-4-bromo-2,5-dimethoxyphenethylamine (other name: bk-2C-B);
- 1635 1-(1,3-benzodioxol-5-yl)-2-(ethylamino)-1-pentanone (other name: N-ethylpentylone);
- 1636 1-[1-(3-methoxyphenyl)cyclohexyl]piperidine (other name: 3-methoxy PCP);
- 1637 1-[1-(4-methoxyphenyl)cyclohexyl]piperidine (other name: 4-methoxy PCP);
- 1638 4-Chloroethcathinone (other name: 4-CEC);
- 1639 3-Methoxy-2-(methylamino)-1-(4-methylphenyl)-1-propanone (other name: Mexedrone);
- 1640 1-propionyl lysergic acid diethylamide (other name: 1P-LSD);
- 1641 (2-Methylaminopropyl)benzofuran (other name: MAPB);
- 1642 1-(1,3-benzodioxol-5-yl)-2-(dimethylamino)-1-pentanone (other names: N,N-Dimethylpentylone,
1643 Dipentylone);
- 1644 1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-(pyrrolidin-1-yl)octan-1-one (other name: 4-methoxy-PV9);
- 1645 3,4-tetramethylene-alpha-pyrrolidinovalerophenone (other name: TH-PVP);
- 1646 4-allyloxy-3,5-dimethoxyphenethylamine (other name: Allylescaline);
- 1647 4-Bromo-2,5-dimethoxy-N-[(2-hydroxyphenyl)methyl]-benzeneethanamine (other name: 25B-
1648 NBOH);
- 1649 4-chloro-alpha-methylamino-valerophenone (other name: 4-chloropentedrone);
- 1650 4-chloro-alpha-Pyrrolidinovalerophenone (other name: 4-chloro-alpha-PVP);
- 1651 4-fluoro-alpha-Pyrrolidinoheptiophenone (other name: 4-fluoro-PV8);
- 1652 4-hydroxy-N,N-diisopropyltryptamine (other name: 4-OH-DIPT);
- 1653 4-methyl-alpha-ethylaminopentiophenone;

- 1654 4-methyl-alpha-Pyrrolidinohexiophenone (other name: MPHP);
- 1655 5-methoxy-N,N-dimethyltryptamine (other name: 5-MeO-DMT);
- 1656 5-methoxy-N-ethyl-N-isopropyltryptamine (other name: 5-MeO-EIPT);
- 1657 6-ethyl-6-nor-lysergic acid diethylamide (other name: ETH-LAD);
- 1658 6-allyl-6-nor-lysergic acid diethylamide (other name: AL-LAD);
- 1659 (N-methyl aminopropyl)-2,3-dihydrobenzofuran (other name: MAPDB);
- 1660 2-(methylamino)-2-phenyl-cyclohexanone (other name: Deschloroketamine);
- 1661 2-(ethylamino)-2-phenyl-cyclohexanone (other name: deschloro-N-ethyl-ketamine);
- 1662 2-methyl-1-(4-(methylthio)phenyl)-2-morpholinopropiophenone (other name: MMMP);
- 1663 Alpha-ethylaminohexanophenone (other name: N-ethylhexedrone);
- 1664 N-ethyl-1-(3-methoxyphenyl)cyclohexylamine (other name: 3-methoxy-PCE);
- 1665 4-fluoro-alpha-pyrrolidinohexiophenone (other name: 4-fluoro-alpha-PHP);
- 1666 N-ethyl-1,2-diphenylethylamine (other name: Ephedrine);
- 1667 2,5-dimethoxy-4-chloroamphetamine (other name: DOC);
- 1668 3,4-methylenedioxy-N-tert-butylcathinone;
- 1669 Alpha-pyrrolidinoisohexiophenone (other name: alpha-PiHP);
- 1670 1-[1-(3-hydroxyphenyl)cyclohexyl]piperidine (other name: 3-hydroxy PCP);
- 1671 4-acetyloxy-N,N-diallyltryptamine (other name: 4-AcO-DALT);
- 1672 4-hydroxy-N,N-methylisopropyltryptamine (other name: 4-hydroxy-MiPT);
- 1673 3,4-Methylenedioxy-alpha-pyrrolidinohexanophenone (other name: MDPHP);
- 1674 5-methoxy-N,N-dibutyltryptamine (other name: 5-methoxy-DBT);
- 1675 1-(1,3-benzodioxol-5-yl)-2-(ethylamino)-1-butanone (other names: Eutylone, bk-EBDB);
- 1676 1-(1,3-benzodioxol-5-yl)-2-(butylamino)-1-pentanone (other name: N-butylpentylone);
- 1677 N-benzyl-3,4-dimethoxyamphetamine (other name: N-benzyl-3,4-DMA);
- 1678 1-(benzo[d][1,3]dioxol-5-yl)-2-(sec-butylamino)pentan-1-one (other name: N-sec-butyl
- 1679 Pentylone);
- 1680 1-cyclopropionyl lysergic acid diethylamide (other name: 1cP-LSD);

- 1681 2-(ethylamino)-1-phenylheptan-1-one (other name: N-ethylheptedrone);
- 1682 (2-ethylaminopropyl)benzofuran (other name: EAPB);
- 1683 4-ethyl-2,5-dimethoxy-N-[(2-hydroxyphenyl)methyl]-benzeneethanamine (other name: 25E-
- 1684 NBOH);
- 1685 2-fluoro-Deschloroketamine (other name: 2-(2-fluorophenyl)-2-(methylamino)-cyclohexanone);
- 1686 4-hydroxy-N-ethyl-N-propyltryptamine (other name: 4-hydroxy-EPT);
- 1687 2-(isobutylamino)-1-phenylhexan-1-one (other names: N-Isobutyl Hexedrone, alpha-
- 1688 isobutylaminohexanphenone);
- 1689 1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-N-methylpropan-2-amine (other names: para-Methoxymethamphetamine,
- 1690 PMMA);
- 1691 N-ethyl-1-(3-hydroxyphenyl)cyclohexylamine (other name: 3-hydroxy-PCE);
- 1692 N-heptyl-3,4-dimethoxyamphetamine (other name: N-heptyl-3,4-DMA);
- 1693 N-hexyl-3,4-dimethoxyamphetamine (other name: N-hexyl-3,4-DMA);
- 1694 4-fluoro-3-methyl-alpha-pyrrolidinovalerophenone (other name: 4-fluoro-3-methyl-alpha-PVP);
- 1695 4-fluoro-alpha-methylamino-valerophenone (other name: 4-fluoropentedrone);
- 1696 N-(1,4-dimethylpentyl)-3,4-dimethoxyamphetamine (other name: N-(1,4-dimethylpentyl)-3,4-
- 1697 DMA);
- 1698 4,5-methylenedioxy-N,N-diisopropyltryptamine (other name: 4,5-MDO-DiPT);
- 1699 Alpha-pyrrolidinocyclohexanophenone (other name: alpha-PCYP);
- 1700 3,4-methylenedioxy-alpha-pyrrolidinoheptiophenone (other name: MDPV8);
- 1701 4-chloro-alpha-methylaminobutiophenone (other name: 4-chloro Buphedrone).
- 1702 4. Unless specifically excepted or unless listed in another schedule, any material, compound,
- 1703 mixture or preparation which contains any quantity of the following substances having a depressant effect
- 1704 on the central nervous system, including its salts, isomers and salts of isomers whenever the existence of
- 1705 such salts, isomers and salts of isomers is possible within the specific chemical designation:
- 1706 5-(2-chlorophenyl)-1,3-dihydro-3-methyl-7-nitro-2H-1,4-benzodiazepin-2-one (other name:
- 1707 Meclonazepam);

- 1708 7-chloro-5-(2-fluorophenyl)-1,3-dihydro-1,4-benzodiazepin-2-one (other name:
1709 Norfludiazepam);
- 1710 Bromazolam;
- 1711 Clonazolam;
- 1712 Deschloroetizolam;
- 1713 Etizolam;
- 1714 Flualprazolam;
- 1715 Flubromazepam;
- 1716 Flubromazolam;
- 1717 Gamma hydroxybutyric acid (some other names include GHB; gamma hydroxybutyrate; 4-
1718 hydroxybutyrate; 4-hydroxybutanoic acid; sodium oxybate; sodium oxybutyrate);
- 1719 Mecloqualone;
- 1720 Methaqualone.
- 1721 5. Unless specifically excepted or unless listed in another schedule, any material, compound,
1722 mixture or preparation which contains any quantity of the following substances having a stimulant effect
1723 on the central nervous system, including its salts, isomers and salts of isomers:
- 1724 2-(3-fluorophenyl)-3-methylmorpholine (other name: 3-fluorophenmetrazine);
- 1725 Aminorex (some trade or other names; aminoxaphen; 2-amino-5-phenyl-2-oxazoline; 4,5-dihydro-
1726 5-phenyl-2-oxazolamine);
- 1727 Cathinone (some trade or other names: 2-amino-1-phenyl-1-propanone, alpha-
1728 aminopropiophenone, 2-aminopropiophenone, norephedrone), and any plant material from which
1729 Cathinone may be derived;
- 1730 Cis-4-methylaminorex (other name: cis-4,5-dihydro-4-methyl-5-phenyl-2-oxazolamine);
- 1731 Ethylamphetamine;
- 1732 Ethyl phenyl(piperidin-2-yl)acetate (other name: Ethylphenidate);
- 1733 Fenethylamine;

- 1734 Methcathinone (some other names: 2-(methylamino)-propiofenone; alpha-(methylamino)-
1735 propiofenone; 2-(methylamino)-1-phenylpropan-1-one; alpha-N-methylaminopropiofenone;
1736 monomethylpropion; ephedrone; N-methylcathinone; methylcathinone; AL-464; AL-422; AL-463 and
1737 UR 1432);
- 1738 N-Benzylpiperazine (some other names: BZP, 1-benzylpiperazine);
- 1739 N,N-dimethylamphetamine (other names: N,N-alpha-trimethyl-benzeneethanamine, N,N-alpha-
1740 trimethylphenethylamine);
- 1741 Methyl 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-(2-piperidinyl)acetate (other name: 4-fluoromethylphenidate);
- 1742 Isopropyl-2-phenyl-2-(2-piperidinyl)acetate (other name: Isopropylphenidate);
- 1743 4-chloro-N,N-dimethylcathinone;
- 1744 3,4-methylenedioxy-N-benzylcathinone (other name: BMDP).
- 1745 6. Any substance that contains one or more cannabimimetic agents or that contains their salts,
1746 isomers, and salts of isomers whenever the existence of such salts, isomers, and salts of isomers is possible
1747 within the specific chemical designation, and any preparation, mixture, or substance containing, or mixed
1748 or infused with, any detectable amount of one or more cannabimimetic agents.
- 1749 a. "Cannabimimetic agents" includes any substance that is within any of the following structural
1750 classes:
- 1751 2-(3-hydroxycyclohexyl)phenol with substitution at the 5-position of the phenolic ring by alkyl or
1752 alkenyl, whether or not substituted on the cyclohexyl ring to any extent;
- 1753 3-(1-naphthoyl)indole or 1H-indol-3-yl-(1-naphthyl)methane with substitution at the nitrogen
1754 atom of the indole ring, whether or not further substituted on the indole ring to any extent, whether or not
1755 substituted on the naphthoyl or naphthyl ring to any extent;
- 1756 3-(1-naphthoyl)pyrrole with substitution at the nitrogen atom of the pyrrole ring, whether or not
1757 further substituted in the pyrrole ring to any extent, whether or not substituted on the naphthoyl ring to
1758 any extent;

1759 1-(1-naphthylmethyl)indene with substitution of the 3-position of the indene ring, whether or not
1760 further substituted in the indene ring to any extent, whether or not substituted on the naphthyl ring to any
1761 extent;

1762 3-phenylacetylindole or 3-benzoylindole with substitution at the nitrogen atom of the indole ring,
1763 whether or not further substituted in the indole ring to any extent, whether or not substituted on the phenyl
1764 ring to any extent;

1765 3-cyclopropoylindole with substitution at the nitrogen atom of the indole ring, whether or not
1766 further substituted on the indole ring to any extent, whether or not substituted on the cyclopropyl ring to
1767 any extent;

1768 3-adamantoylindole with substitution at the nitrogen atom of the indole ring, whether or not further
1769 substituted on the indole ring to any extent, whether or not substituted on the adamantyl ring to any extent;

1770 N-(adamantyl)-indole-3-carboxamide with substitution at the nitrogen atom of the indole ring,
1771 whether or not further substituted on the indole ring to any extent, whether or not substituted on the
1772 adamantyl ring to any extent; and

1773 N-(adamantyl)-indazole-3-carboxamide with substitution at a nitrogen atom of the indazole ring,
1774 whether or not further substituted on the indazole ring to any extent, whether or not substituted on the
1775 adamantyl ring to any extent.

1776 b. The term "cannabimimetic agents" includes:

1777 5-(1,1-Dimethylheptyl)-2-[3-hydroxycyclohexyl]-phenol (other name: CP 47,497);

1778 5-(1,1-Dimethylhexyl)-2-[3-hydroxycyclohexyl]-phenol (other name: CP 47,497 C6 homolog);

1779 5-(1,1-Dimethyloctyl)-2-[3-hydroxycyclohexyl]-phenol (other name: CP 47,497 C8 homolog);

1780 5-(1,1-Dimethylnonyl)-2-[3-hydroxycyclohexyl]-phenol (other name: CP 47,497 C9 homolog);

1781 1-pentyl-3-(1-naphthoyl)indole (other names: JWH-018, AM-678);

1782 1-butyl-3-(1-naphthoyl)indole (other name: JWH-073);

1783 1-pentyl-3-(2-methoxyphenylacetyl)indole (other name: JWH-250);

1784 1-hexyl-3-(naphthalen-1-oyl)indole (other name: JWH-019);

1785 1-[2-(4-morpholinyl)ethyl]-3-(1-naphthoyl)indole (other name: JWH-200);

- 1786** (6aR,10aR)-9-(hydroxymethyl)-6,6-dimethyl-3-(2-methyloctan-2-yl)-6a,7,10,10a-tetrahydrobenzo[c]chromen-1-ol (other name: HU-210);
- 1787** 1-pentyl-3-(4-methoxy-1-naphthoyl)indole (other name: JWH-081);
- 1788** 1-pentyl-3-(4-methyl-1-naphthoyl)indole (other name: JWH-122);
- 1789** 1-pentyl-3-(2-chlorophenylacetyl)indole (other name: JWH-203);
- 1790** 1-pentyl-3-(4-ethyl-1-naphthoyl)indole (other name: JWH-210);
- 1791** 1-pentyl-3-(4-chloro-1-naphthoyl)indole (other name: JWH-398);
- 1792** 1-(5-fluoropentyl)-3-(2-iodobenzoyl)indole (other name: AM-694);
- 1793** 1-((N-methylpiperidin-2-yl)methyl)-3-(1-naphthoyl)indole (other name: AM-1220);
- 1794** 1-(5-fluoropentyl)-3-(1-naphthoyl)indole (other name: AM-2201);
- 1795** 1-[(N-methylpiperidin-2-yl)methyl]-3-(2-iodobenzoyl)indole (other name: AM-2233);
- 1796** Pravadoline (4-methoxyphenyl)-[2-methyl-1-(2-(4-morpholinyl)ethyl)indol-3-yl]methanone (other name: WIN 48,098);
- 1797** 1-pentyl-3-(4-methoxybenzoyl)indole (other names: RCS-4, SR-19);
- 1800** 1-(2-cyclohexylethyl)-3-(2-methoxyphenylacetyl)indole (other names: RCS-8, SR-18);
- 1801** 1-pentyl-3-(2,2,3,3-tetramethylcyclopropylmethanone)indole (other name: UR-144);
- 1802** 1-(5-fluoropentyl)-3-(2,2,3,3-tetramethylcyclopropylmethanone)indole (other names: XLR-11, 5-fluoro-UR-144);
- 1803** N-adamantyl-1-fluoropentylindole-3-carboxamide (other name: STS-135);
- 1804** N-adamantyl-1-pentylindazole-3-carboxamide (other names: AKB48, APINACA);
- 1805** 1-pentyl-3-(1-adamantoyl)indole (other name: AB-001);
- 1806** (8-quinolinyl)(1-pentylindol-3-yl)carboxylate (other name: PB-22);
- 1807** (8-quinolinyl)(1-(5-fluoropentyl)indol-3-yl)carboxylate (other name: 5-fluoro-PB-22);
- 1808** (8-quinolinyl)(1-cyclohexylmethyl-indol-3-yl)carboxylate (other name: BB-22);
- 1809** N-(1-amino-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-pentylindazole-3-carboxamide (other name: AB-PINACA);
- 1810** PINACA);
- 1811**

- 1812** N-(1-amino-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(4-fluorobenzyl)indazole-3-carboxamide (other name:
1813 AB-FUBINACA);
- 1814** 1-(5-fluoropentyl)-3-(1-naphthoyl)indazole (other name: THJ-2201);
- 1815** N-(1-amino-3,3-dimethyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-pentylindazole-3-carboxamide (other name: ADB-
1816 PINACA);
- 1817** N-(1-amino-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(cyclohexylmethyl)indazole-3-carboxamide (other
1818 name: AB-CHMINACA);
- 1819** N-(1-amino-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(5-fluoropentyl)indazole-3-carboxamide (other name:
1820 5-fluoro-AB-PINACA);
- 1821** N-(1-amino-3,3-dimethyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(cyclohexylmethyl)indazole-3-carboxamide (other
1822 names: ADB-CHMINACA, MAB-CHMINACA);
- 1823** Methyl-2-(1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamido)-3-methylbutanoate (other name: 5-
1824 fluoro-AMB);
- 1825** 1-naphthalenyl 1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxylate (other name: NM-2201);
- 1826** 1-(4-fluorobenzyl)-3-(2,2,3,3-tetramethylcyclopropylmethanone)indole (other name: FUB-144);
- 1827** 1-(5-fluoropentyl)-3-(4-methyl-1-naphthoyl)indole (other name MAM-2201);
- 1828** N-(1-Amino-3,3-dimethyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-[(4-fluorophenyl)methyl]-1H-indazole-3-
1829 carboxamide (other name: ADB-FUBINACA);
- 1830** Methyl 2-[1-[(4-fluorophenyl)methyl]-1H-indazole-3-carboxamido]-3,3-dimethylbutanoate
1831 (other name: MDMB-FUBINACA);
- 1832** Methyl 2-[1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamido]-3,3-dimethylbutanoate (other names:
1833 5-fluoro-ADB, 5-Fluoro-MDMB-PINACA);
- 1834** Methyl 2-({1-[(4-fluorophenyl)methyl]-1H-indazole-3-carbonyl} amino)-3-methylbutanoate
1835 (other names: AMB-FUBINACA, FUB-AMB);
- 1836** N-(adamantan-1-yl)-1-(4-fluorobenzyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide (other names: FUB-AKB48,
1837 5F-APINACA);
- 1838** N-(adamantan-1-yl)-1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide (other name: 5F-AKB48);

- 1839 N-(adamantanyl)-1-(5-chloropentyl) indazole-3-carboxamide (other name: 5-chloro-AKB48);
- 1840 Naphthalen-1-yl 1-pentyl-1H-indazole-3-carboxylate (other name: SDB-005);
- 1841 N-(1-amino-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(cyclohexylmethyl)indole-3-carboxamide (other name:
- 1842 AB-CHMICA);
- 1843 1-pentyl-N-(phenylmethyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxamide (other name: SDB-006);
- 1844 Quinolin-8-yl 1-(4-fluorobenzyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxylate (other name: FUB-PB-22);
- 1845 Methyl N-[1-(cyclohexylmethyl)-1H-indole-3-carbonyl]valinate (other name: MMB-CHMICA);
- 1846 N-(1-amino-3,3-dimethyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(5-fluoropentyl)indazole-3-carboxamide (other
- 1847 name: 5-fluoro-ADB-PINACA);
- 1848 1-(4-cyanobutyl)-N-(1-methyl-1-phenylethyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide (other name: 4-cyano
- 1849 CUMYL-BUTINACA);
- 1850 Methyl 2-[1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxamido]-3,3-dimethylbutanoate (other names: 5-
- 1851 fluoro MDMB-PICA, 5F-MDMB-PICA);
- 1852 Ethyl 2-({1-[(4-fluorophenyl)methyl]-1H-indazole-3-carbonyl} amino)-3-methylbutanoate (other
- 1853 name: EMB-FUBINACA);
- 1854 Methyl 2-[1-4-fluorobutyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamido]-3,3-dimethylbutanoate (other name: 4-
- 1855 fluoro-MDMB-BUTINACA);
- 1856 1-(5-fluoropentyl)-N-(1-methyl-1-phenylethyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxamide (other name: 5-fluoro
- 1857 CUMYL-PICA);
- 1858 Methyl 2-[1-(pent-4-enyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamido]-3,3-dimethylbutanoate (other name:
- 1859 MDMB-4en-PINACA);
- 1860 Methyl 2-({1-[(4-fluorophenyl)methyl]-1H-indole-3-carbonyl} amino)-3-methylbutanoate (other
- 1861 names: MMB-FUBICA, AMB-FUBICA);
- 1862 Methyl 2-[1-(4-penten-1-yl)-1H-indole-3-carboxamido]-3-methylbutanoate (other names:
- 1863 MMB022, MMB-4en-PICA);
- 1864 Methyl 2-[1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxamido]-3-methylbutanoate (other name: MMB
- 1865 2201);

- 1866 Methyl 2-[1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxamido]-3-phenylpropanoate (other name: 5-
1867 fluoro-MPP-PICA);
- 1868 N-(1-amino-3,3-dimethyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-butylindazole-3-carboxamide (other name: ADB-
1869 BUTINACA);
- 1870 N-(1-amino-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(5-chloropentyl)indazole-3-carboxamide (other name:
1871 5-chloro-AB-PINACA);
- 1872 1-(5-fluoropentyl)-N-(2-phenylpropan-2-yl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide (other names: 5F-
1873 CUMYL-PINACA, 5-fluoro CUMYL-PINACA, CUMYL-5F-PINACA);
- 1874 Ethyl 2-[1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamido]-3,3-dimethylbutanoate (other names:
1875 5F-EDMB-PINACA, 5-fluoro EDMB-PINACA);
- 1876 Ethyl-2-[1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamido]-3-methylbutanoate (other names: 5-
1877 fluoro-EMB-PINACA, 5F-AEB);
- 1878 Ethyl 2-[1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxamido]-3-methylbutanoate (other name: 5-fluoro-
1879 EMB-PICA);
- 1880 Ethyl-2-[1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxamido]-3,3-dimethylbutanoate (other name: 5-
1881 fluoro EDMB-PICA);
- 1882 Methyl 2-[1-(4-fluorobutyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxamido]-3,3-dimethylbutanoate (other name: 4-
1883 fluoro-MDMB-BUTICA);
- 1884 Methyl 2-(1-(cyclohexylmethyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxamido)-3,3-dimethylbutanoate (other names:
1885 MDMB-CHMICA, MMB-CHMINACA);
- 1886 N-(1-amino-3,3-dimethyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(pent-4-enyl)indazole-3-carboxamide (other name:
1887 ADB-4en-PINACA).

1888 **§ 59.1-200. Prohibited practices.**

1889 A. The following fraudulent acts or practices committed by a supplier in connection with a
1890 consumer transaction are hereby declared unlawful:

- 1891 1. Misrepresenting goods or services as those of another;
- 1892 2. Misrepresenting the source, sponsorship, approval, or certification of goods or services;

1893 3. Misrepresenting the affiliation, connection, or association of the supplier, or of the goods or
1894 services, with another;

1895 4. Misrepresenting geographic origin in connection with goods or services;

1896 5. Misrepresenting that goods or services have certain quantities, characteristics, ingredients, uses,
1897 or benefits;

1898 6. Misrepresenting that goods or services are of a particular standard, quality, grade, style, or
1899 model;

1900 7. Advertising or offering for sale goods that are used, secondhand, repossessed, defective,
1901 blemished, deteriorated, or reconditioned, or that are "seconds," irregulars, imperfects, or "not first class,"
1902 without clearly and unequivocally indicating in the advertisement or offer for sale that the goods are used,
1903 secondhand, repossessed, defective, blemished, deteriorated, reconditioned, or are "seconds," irregulars,
1904 imperfects or "not first class";

1905 8. Advertising goods or services with intent not to sell them as advertised, or with intent not to sell
1906 at the price or upon the terms advertised.

1907 In any action brought under this subdivision, the refusal by any person, or any employee, agent,
1908 or servant thereof, to sell any goods or services advertised or offered for sale at the price or upon the terms
1909 advertised or offered, shall be prima facie evidence of a violation of this subdivision. This paragraph shall
1910 not apply when it is clearly and conspicuously stated in the advertisement or offer by which such goods
1911 or services are advertised or offered for sale, that the supplier or offeror has a limited quantity or amount
1912 of such goods or services for sale, and the supplier or offeror at the time of such advertisement or offer
1913 did in fact have or reasonably expected to have at least such quantity or amount for sale;

1914 9. Making false or misleading statements of fact concerning the reasons for, existence of, or
1915 amounts of price reductions;

1916 10. Misrepresenting that repairs, alterations, modifications, or services have been performed or
1917 parts installed;

1918 11. Misrepresenting by the use of any written or documentary material that appears to be an invoice
1919 or bill for merchandise or services previously ordered;

1920 12. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, using in any manner the words "wholesale,"
1921 "wholesaler," "factory," or "manufacturer" in the supplier's name, or to describe the nature of the supplier's
1922 business, unless the supplier is actually engaged primarily in selling at wholesale or in manufacturing the
1923 goods or services advertised or offered for sale;

1924 13. Using in any contract or lease any liquidated damage clause, penalty clause, or waiver of
1925 defense, or attempting to collect any liquidated damages or penalties under any clause, waiver, damages,
1926 or penalties that are void or unenforceable under any otherwise applicable laws of the Commonwealth, or
1927 under federal statutes or regulations;

1928 13a. Failing to provide to a consumer, or failing to use or include in any written document or
1929 material provided to or executed by a consumer, in connection with a consumer transaction any statement,
1930 disclosure, notice, or other information however characterized when the supplier is required by 16 C.F.R.
1931 Part 433 to so provide, use, or include the statement, disclosure, notice, or other information in connection
1932 with the consumer transaction;

1933 14. Using any other deception, fraud, false pretense, false promise, or misrepresentation in
1934 connection with a consumer transaction;

1935 15. Violating any provision of § 3.2-6509, 3.2-6512, 3.2-6513, 3.2-6513.1, 3.2-6514, 3.2-6515,
1936 3.2-6516, or 3.2-6519 is a violation of this chapter;

1937 16. Failing to disclose all conditions, charges, or fees relating to:

1938 a. The return of goods for refund, exchange, or credit. Such disclosure shall be by means of a sign
1939 attached to the goods, or placed in a conspicuous public area of the premises of the supplier, so as to be
1940 readily noticeable and readable by the person obtaining the goods from the supplier. If the supplier does
1941 not permit a refund, exchange, or credit for return, he shall so state on a similar sign. The provisions of
1942 this subdivision shall not apply to any retail merchant who has a policy of providing, for a period of not
1943 less than 20 days after date of purchase, a cash refund or credit to the purchaser's credit card account for
1944 the return of defective, unused, or undamaged merchandise upon presentation of proof of purchase. In the
1945 case of merchandise paid for by check, the purchase shall be treated as a cash purchase and any refund
1946 may be delayed for a period of 10 banking days to allow for the check to clear. This subdivision does not

1947 apply to sale merchandise that is obviously distressed, out of date, post season, or otherwise reduced for
1948 clearance; nor does this subdivision apply to special order purchases where the purchaser has requested
1949 the supplier to order merchandise of a specific or unusual size, color, or brand not ordinarily carried in the
1950 store or the store's catalog; nor shall this subdivision apply in connection with a transaction for the sale or
1951 lease of motor vehicles, farm tractors, or motorcycles as defined in § 46.2-100;

1952 b. A layaway agreement. Such disclosure shall be furnished to the consumer (i) in writing at the
1953 time of the layaway agreement, or (ii) by means of a sign placed in a conspicuous public area of the
1954 premises of the supplier, so as to be readily noticeable and readable by the consumer, or (iii) on the bill of
1955 sale. Disclosure shall include the conditions, charges, or fees in the event that a consumer breaches the
1956 agreement;

1957 16a. Failing to provide written notice to a consumer of an existing open-end credit balance in
1958 excess of \$5 (i) on an account maintained by the supplier and (ii) resulting from such consumer's
1959 overpayment on such account. Suppliers shall give consumers written notice of such credit balances within
1960 60 days of receiving overpayments. If the credit balance information is incorporated into statements of
1961 account furnished consumers by suppliers within such 60-day period, no separate or additional notice is
1962 required;

1963 17. If a supplier enters into a written agreement with a consumer to resolve a dispute that arises in
1964 connection with a consumer transaction, failing to adhere to the terms and conditions of such an
1965 agreement;

1966 18. Violating any provision of the Virginia Health Club Act, Chapter 24 (§ 59.1-294 et seq.);

1967 19. Violating any provision of the Virginia Home Solicitation Sales Act, Chapter 2.1 (§ 59.1-21.1
1968 et seq.);

1969 20. Violating any provision of the Automobile Repair Facilities Act, Chapter 17.1 (§ 59.1-207.1
1970 et seq.);

1971 21. Violating any provision of the Virginia Lease-Purchase Agreement Act, Chapter 17.4 (§ 59.1-
1972 207.17 et seq.);

1973 22. Violating any provision of the Prizes and Gifts Act, Chapter 31 (§ 59.1-415 et seq.);

- 1974** 23. Violating any provision of the Virginia Public Telephone Information Act, Chapter 32 (§ 59.1-
- 1975** 424 et seq.);
- 1976** 24. Violating any provision of § 54.1-1505;
- 1977** 25. Violating any provision of the Motor Vehicle Manufacturers' Warranty Adjustment Act,
- 1978** Chapter 17.6 (§ 59.1-207.34 et seq.);
- 1979** 26. Violating any provision of § 3.2-5627, relating to the pricing of merchandise;
- 1980** 27. Violating any provision of the Pay-Per-Call Services Act, Chapter 33 (§ 59.1-429 et seq.);
- 1981** 28. Violating any provision of the Extended Service Contract Act, Chapter 34 (§ 59.1-435 et seq.);
- 1982** 29. Violating any provision of the Virginia Membership Camping Act, Chapter 25 (§ 59.1-311 et
- 1983** seq.);
- 1984** 30. Violating any provision of the Comparison Price Advertising Act, Chapter 17.7 (§ 59.1-207.40
- 1985** et seq.);
- 1986** 31. Violating any provision of the Virginia Travel Club Act, Chapter 36 (§ 59.1-445 et seq.);
- 1987** 32. Violating any provision of §§ 46.2-1231 and 46.2-1233.1;
- 1988** 33. Violating any provision of Chapter 40 (§ 54.1-4000 et seq.) of Title 54.1;
- 1989** 34. Violating any provision of Chapter 10.1 (§ 58.1-1031 et seq.) of Title 58.1;
- 1990** 35. Using the consumer's social security number as the consumer's account number with the
- 1991** supplier, if the consumer has requested in writing that the supplier use an alternate number not associated
- 1992** with the consumer's social security number;
- 1993** 36. Violating any provision of Chapter 18 (§ 6.2-1800 et seq.) of Title 6.2;
- 1994** 37. Violating any provision of § 8.01-40.2;
- 1995** 38. Violating any provision of Article 7 (§ 32.1-212 et seq.) of Chapter 6 of Title 32.1;
- 1996** 39. Violating any provision of Chapter 34.1 (§ 59.1-441.1 et seq.);
- 1997** 40. Violating any provision of Chapter 20 (§ 6.2-2000 et seq.) of Title 6.2;
- 1998** 41. Violating any provision of the Virginia Post-Disaster Anti-Price Gouging Act, Chapter 46 (§
- 1999** 59.1-525 et seq.);
- 2000** 42. Violating any provision of Chapter 47 (§ 59.1-530 et seq.);

- 2001 43. Violating any provision of § 59.1-443.2;
- 2002 44. Violating any provision of Chapter 48 (§ 59.1-533 et seq.);
- 2003 45. Violating any provision of Chapter 25 (§ 6.2-2500 et seq.) of Title 6.2;
- 2004 46. Violating the provisions of clause (i) of subsection B of § 54.1-1115;
- 2005 47. Violating any provision of § 18.2-239;
- 2006 48. Violating any provision of Chapter 26 (§ 59.1-336 et seq.);
- 2007 49. Selling, offering for sale, or manufacturing for sale a children's product the supplier knows or
- 2008 has reason to know was recalled by the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission. There is a rebuttable
- 2009 presumption that a supplier has reason to know a children's product was recalled if notice of the recall has
- 2010 been posted continuously at least 30 days before the sale, offer for sale, or manufacturing for sale on the
- 2011 website of the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission. This prohibition does not apply to children's
- 2012 products that are used, secondhand or "seconds";
- 2013 50. Violating any provision of Chapter 44.1 (§ 59.1-518.1 et seq.);
- 2014 51. Violating any provision of Chapter 22 (§ 6.2-2200 et seq.) of Title 6.2;
- 2015 52. Violating any provision of § 8.2-317.1;
- 2016 53. Violating subsection A of § 9.1-149.1;
- 2017 54. Selling, offering for sale, or using in the construction, remodeling, or repair of any residential
- 2018 dwelling in the Commonwealth, any drywall that the supplier knows or has reason to know is defective
- 2019 drywall. This subdivision shall not apply to the sale or offering for sale of any building or structure in
- 2020 which defective drywall has been permanently installed or affixed;
- 2021 55. Engaging in fraudulent or improper or dishonest conduct as defined in § 54.1-1118 while
- 2022 engaged in a transaction that was initiated (i) during a declared state of emergency as defined in § 44-
- 2023 146.16 or (ii) to repair damage resulting from the event that prompted the declaration of a state of
- 2024 emergency, regardless of whether the supplier is licensed as a contractor in the Commonwealth pursuant
- 2025 to Chapter 11 (§ 54.1-1100 et seq.) of Title 54.1;
- 2026 56. Violating any provision of Chapter 33.1 (§ 59.1-434.1 et seq.);
- 2027 57. Violating any provision of § 18.2-178, 18.2-178.1, or 18.2-200.1;

- 2028 58. Violating any provision of Chapter 17.8 (§ 59.1-207.45 et seq.);
- 2029 59. Violating any provision of subsection E of § 32.1-126;
- 2030 60. Violating any provision of § 54.1-111 relating to the unlicensed practice of a profession
- 2031 licensed under Chapter 11 (§ 54.1-1100 et seq.) or Chapter 21 (§ 54.1-2100 et seq.) of Title 54.1;
- 2032 61. Violating any provision of § 2.2-2001.5;
- 2033 62. Violating any provision of Chapter 5.2 (§ 54.1-526 et seq.) of Title 54.1;
- 2034 63. Violating any provision of § 6.2-312;
- 2035 64. Violating any provision of Chapter 20.1 (§ 6.2-2026 et seq.) of Title 6.2;
- 2036 65. Violating any provision of Chapter 26 (§ 6.2-2600 et seq.) of Title 6.2;
- 2037 66. Violating any provision of Chapter 54 (§ 59.1-586 et seq.);
- 2038 67. Knowingly violating any provision of § 8.01-27.5;
- 2039 68. Failing to make available a conspicuous online option to cancel a recurring purchase of a good
- 2040 or service as required by § 59.1-207.46;
- 2041 69. Selling or offering for sale any substance intended for human consumption, orally or by
- 2042 inhalation, that contains a synthetic derivative of tetrahydrocannabinol. As used in this subdivision,
- 2043 "synthetic derivative" means a chemical compound produced by man through a chemical transformation
- 2044 to turn a compound into a different compound by adding or subtracting molecules to or from the original
- 2045 compound. This subdivision shall not (i) apply to products that are approved for marked by the U.S. Food
- 2046 and Drug Administration and scheduled in the Drug Control Act (§ 54.1-3400 et seq.) or (ii) be construed
- 2047 to prohibit any conduct permitted under Article 4.2 (§ 54.1-3442.5 et seq.) of Chapter 34 of Title 54.1.
- 2048 70. Selling or offering for sale to a person younger than 21 years of age any substance intended
- 2049 for human consumption, orally or by inhalation, that contains tetrahydrocannabinol. This subdivision shall
- 2050 not (i) apply to products that are approved for marketing by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration and
- 2051 scheduled in the Drug Control Act (§ 54.1-3400 et seq.) or (ii) be construed to prohibit any conduct
- 2052 permitted under Article 4.2 of Chapter 34 of Title 54.1 of the Code of Virginia;
- 2053 ~~70-71.~~ Selling or offering for sale any substance intended for human consumption, orally or by
- 2054 inhalation, that contains tetrahydrocannabinol, unless such substance is (i) contained in child-resistant

2055 packaging, as defined in § 4.1-600; (ii) equipped with a label that states, in English and in a font no less
2056 than 1/16 of an inch, (a) that the substance contains tetrahydrocannabinol and may not be sold to persons
2057 younger than 21 years of age, (b) all ingredients contained in the substance, (c) the amount of such
2058 substance that constitutes a single serving, and (d) the total percentage and milligrams of
2059 tetrahydrocannabinol included in the substance and the number of milligrams of tetrahydrocannabinol that
2060 are contained in each serving; and (iii) accompanied by a certificate of analysis, produced by an
2061 independent laboratory that is registered with the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration and accredited
2062 pursuant to standard ISO/IEC 17025 of the International Organization of Standardization by a third-party
2063 accrediting body, that states the tetrahydrocannabinol concentration of the substance or the
2064 tetrahydrocannabinol concentration of the batch from which the substance originates. This subdivision
2065 shall not (i) apply to products that are approved for marketing by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration
2066 and scheduled in the Drug Control Act (§ 54.1-3400 et seq.) or (ii) be construed to prohibit any conduct
2067 permitted under Article 4.2 of Chapter 34 of Title 54.1 of the Code of Virginia;

2068 ~~71.~~ 72. Manufacturing, offering for sale at retail, or selling at retail an industrial hemp extract, as
2069 defined in § 3.2-5145.1, a food containing an industrial hemp extract, or a substance containing
2070 tetrahydrocannabinol that depicts or is in the shape of a human, animal, vehicle, or fruit; ~~and~~

2071 ~~72.~~ 73. Selling or offering for sale any substance intended for human consumption, orally or by
2072 inhalation, that contains tetrahydrocannabinol and, without authorization, bears, is packaged in a container
2073 or wrapper that bears, or is otherwise labeled to bear the trademark, trade name, famous mark as defined
2074 in 15 U.S.C. § 1125, or other identifying mark, imprint, or device, or any likeness thereof, of a
2075 manufacturer, processor, packer, or distributor of a product intended for human consumption other than
2076 the manufacturer, processor, packer, or distributor that did in fact so manufacture, process, pack, or
2077 distribute such substance; and

2078 74. Selling or offering for sale a topical hemp product that does not contain a bittering agent that
2079 renders the product unpalatable. As used in this subdivision, "topical hemp product" means a hemp
2080 product, as defined in § 3.2-4112, that (i) is intended to be rubbed, poured, sprinkled, or sprayed on,
2081 introduced into, or otherwise applied to the human body and (ii) is not intended to be consumed orally or

2082 by inhalation. This subdivision shall not (a) apply to products that are approved for marketing by the U.S.
2083 Food and Drug Administration and scheduled in the Drug Control Act (§ 54.1-3400 et seq.) or (b) be
2084 construed to prohibit any conduct permitted under Article 4.2 (§ 54.1-3442.5 et seq.) of Chapter 34 of
2085 Title 54.1.

2086 B. Nothing in this section shall be construed to invalidate or make unenforceable any contract or
2087 lease solely by reason of the failure of such contract or lease to comply with any other law of the
2088 Commonwealth or any federal statute or regulation, to the extent such other law, statute, or regulation
2089 provides that a violation of such law, statute, or regulation shall not invalidate or make unenforceable such
2090 contract or lease.

2091 **§ 59.1-203. Restraining prohibited acts.**

2092 A. Notwithstanding any other provisions of law to the contrary, the Attorney General, any attorney
2093 for the Commonwealth, or the attorney for any city, county, or town may cause an action to be brought in
2094 the appropriate circuit court in the name of the Commonwealth, or of the county, city, or town to enjoin
2095 any violation of § 59.1-200 or 59.1-200.1. The circuit court having jurisdiction may enjoin such violations
2096 notwithstanding the existence of an adequate remedy at law. In any action under this section, it shall not
2097 be necessary that damages be proved.

2098 B. Unless the Attorney General, any attorney for the Commonwealth, or the attorney for any
2099 county, city, or town determines that a person subject to the provisions of this chapter intends to depart
2100 from this Commonwealth or to remove his property herefrom, or to conceal himself or his property herein,
2101 or on a reasonable determination that irreparable harm may occur if immediate action is not taken, he
2102 shall, before initiating any legal proceedings as provided in this section, give notice in writing that such
2103 proceedings are contemplated, and allow such person a reasonable opportunity to appear before said
2104 attorney and show that a violation did not occur or execute an assurance of voluntary compliance, as
2105 provided in § 59.1-202.

2106 C. The circuit courts are authorized to issue temporary or permanent injunctions to restrain and
2107 prevent violations of § 59.1-200 or 59.1-200.1.

2108 D. The Commissioner of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, or his duly
2109 authorized representative, shall have the power to inquire into possible violations of subdivisions A 18,
2110 28, 29, 31, 39, ~~and~~ 41, as it relates to motor fuels, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, and 74 of § 59.1-200 and § 59.1-
2111 335.12, and, if necessary, to request, but not to require, an appropriate legal official to bring an action to
2112 enjoin such violation.

2113 **§ 59.1-206. Civil penalties; attorney's fees.**

2114 A. In any action brought under this chapter, if the court finds that a person has willfully engaged
2115 in an act or practice in violation of § 59.1-200 or 59.1-200.1, the Attorney General, the attorney for the
2116 Commonwealth, or the attorney for the county, city, or town may recover for the Literary Fund, upon
2117 petition to the court, a civil penalty of not more than \$2,500 per violation. If the court finds that a person
2118 has willfully committed a second or subsequent violation of subdivision A 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, or 74 of §
2119 59.1-200, the Attorney General, the attorney for the Commonwealth, or the attorney for the county, city,
2120 or town may recover for the Literary Fund, upon petition to the court, a civil penalty of not more than
2121 \$5,000 per violation.

2122 B. For purposes of this section, prima facie evidence of a willful violation may be shown when the
2123 Attorney General, the attorney for the Commonwealth, or the attorney for the county, city, or town notifies
2124 the alleged violator by certified mail that an act or practice is a violation of § 59.1-200 or 59.1-200.1, and
2125 the alleged violator, after receipt of said notice, continues to engage in the act or practice.

2126 ~~B.~~ C. Any person who willfully violates the terms of an assurance of voluntary compliance or an
2127 injunction issued under § 59.1-203 shall forfeit and pay to the Literary Fund a civil penalty of not more
2128 than \$5,000 per violation. For purposes of this section, the circuit court issuing an injunction shall retain
2129 jurisdiction, and the cause shall be continued, and in such cases the Attorney General, the attorney for the
2130 Commonwealth, or the attorney for the county, city, or town may petition for recovery of civil penalties.

2131 ~~C.~~ D. In any action pursuant to subsection A ~~or~~ B, or C and in addition to any other amount
2132 awarded, the Attorney General, the attorney for the Commonwealth, or the attorney for the county, city,
2133 or town may recover any applicable civil penalty or penalties, costs, reasonable expenses incurred by the
2134 state or local agency in investigating and preparing the case not to exceed \$1,000 per violation, and

2135 attorney's fees. Such civil penalty or penalties, costs, reasonable expenses, and attorney's fees shall be paid
2136 into the general fund of the Commonwealth or of the county, city, or town which such attorney
2137 represented.

2138 ~~D.~~E. Nothing in this section shall be construed as limiting the power of the court to punish as
2139 contempt the violation of any order issued by the court, or as limiting the power of the court to enter other
2140 orders under § 59.1-203 or 59.1-205.

2141 ~~E.~~F. The right of trial by jury as provided by law shall be preserved in actions brought under this
2142 section.

2143 **2. That the provisions of this act may result in a net increase in periods of imprisonment or**
2144 **commitment. Pursuant to § 30-19.1:4 of the Code of Virginia, the estimated amount of the necessary**
2145 **appropriation is _____ for periods of imprisonment in state adult correctional facilities;**
2146 **therefore, Chapter 2 of the Acts of Assembly of 2022, Special Session I, requires the Virginia**
2147 **Criminal Sentencing Commission to assign a minimum fiscal impact of \$50,000. Pursuant to § 30-**
2148 **19.1:4 of the Code of Virginia, the estimated amount of the necessary appropriation is _____ for**
2149 **periods of commitment to the custody of the Department of Juvenile Justice.**

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