

**WORK GROUP ANNOUNCEMENT
MARIJUANA ENFORCEMENT DIVISION**

HB19-1090 (“MEASURES TO ALLOW GREATER INVESTMENT FLEXIBILITY”)

The Colorado Department of Revenue’s Marijuana Enforcement Division (CDOR MED) is facilitating the following stakeholder work group to provide an opportunity for stakeholder collaboration on the implementation details of **House Bill 19-1090 (“Measures to Allow Greater Investment Flexibility”)**, to include proposed rules, forms, and process updates.

The Division received a significant number of requests to participate in this work group, which warrants appreciation to all stakeholders expressing their willingness to contribute their time and subject matter expertise to the implementation of HB19-1090. It is important to note that stakeholders not selected to serve on the work group panel can still take an active role in the rulemaking process. The meeting is open to the public and interested parties are encouraged to attend work group meetings, offer oral comments during the public comment portion of the meetings, and submit written comments on proposed rules.

Work Group: Legislation Implementation HB19-1090 (“Measures to Allow Greater Investment Flexibility”)

First Meeting: Monday, June 17, 2019, 1:00 pm

Second Meeting: Monday, July 15, 2019, 1:00 pm

Location

**Marijuana Enforcement Division
1707 Cole Blvd., Suite 300, Red Rocks Room
Lakewood, CO 80401**

Work Group Chairs

- Dominique Mendiola (Deputy Director, CDOR MED)
- Jean Robinison (Legislative Liaison, CDOR)

Work Group Participants:

- Lu Cordova, Executive Director, Colorado Department of Revenue (or designee)
- Courtney Krause (Office of the Governor)
- Ean Seeb (Office of the Governor)
- Richard Hollar (Agent in Charge, Business Licensing and Investigations, MED)
- Matt Gray (State Representative)
- Andy Williams (Marijuana Business Representative)
- Charles Aloviseti (Attorney)
- Christopher Stefan (Financial Services Practitioner)
- C. J. Chapman (Attorney and Marijuana Business Representative)
- Dean Heizer (Attorney and Marijuana Business Representative)
- Eric Speidell (Marijuana Business Representative)
- Keith "Toby" Nuber (Marijuana Business Representative)
- Jennifer Kealy (Marijuana Business Representative)
- Jordan Cornelius (Certified Public Accountant)
- Laura Haynes (Attorney)
- Meghan Brennan (Attorney)
- Michael McCloskey (Attorney)
- Michael Rollin (Attorney)
- Richard Batenburg (Marijuana Business Representative and Investor)
- Roxane Peyser (Attorney)

The Division may seek to amend the composition of the work group based on the subject matter of each meeting and the ability to accommodate alternative or additional participants. Further, in order to support all aspects of the HB19-1090 implementation process, the Division may announce additional work group meetings or break-out sessions with additional stakeholders.

Meeting Preparation and Rulemaking Notice

Leading up to each scheduled work group meeting, the Division will provide written materials for work group members and other interested parties to review and prepare for the meeting, including proposed rules, potential questions for discussion/input, and subject matter outlines. For purposes of implementation of HB19-1090, the Division intends to submit final proposed HB19-1090-related emergency rules to the State Licensing Authority for adoption by August 1, 2019. Following the adoption of emergency rules, the Division will continue the permanent rulemaking process pursuant to the Colorado Administrative Procedure Act, 24-4-101, *et seq.*, C.R.S.

Public Hearing

The State Licensing Authority will hold a formal, public hearing regarding the permanent rules for these and other topics. Any member of the public may testify and testimony will be considered part of the formal record. The date and location of the hearing will be reflected in the Permanent Rulemaking Notice. The expected date and location of the hearings is as follows:

Hearing Schedule: Tuesday, October 15, 2019, 9:00 a.m.

Location: Marijuana Enforcement Division
1707 Cole Blvd., Suite 300, Red Rocks Room
Lakewood, CO 80401

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