

[Health, Police Codes - Cannabis Sunset Dates]

Ordinance amending the Health Code and Police Code to extend the sunset date for provisions governing Medical Cannabis Dispensaries from December 31, 2022, to December 31, 2024; and to allow the extension of Temporary Cannabis Business Permits for additional 120-day terms through December 31, 2024, rather than December 31, 2022; affirming the Planning Department’s determination under the California Environmental Quality Act; and making findings of consistency with the General Plan, and the eight priority policies of Planning Code, Section 101.1.

NOTE: **Unchanged Code text and uncodified text** are in plain Arial font. **Additions to Codes** are in *single-underline italics Times New Roman font*. **Deletions to Codes** are in *strikethrough italics Times New Roman font*. **Board amendment additions** are in double-underlined Arial font. **Board amendment deletions** are in ~~strikethrough Arial font~~. **Asterisks (\* \* \* \*)** indicate the omission of unchanged Code subsections or parts of tables.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

Section 1. Findings.

(a) The Planning Department has determined that the actions contemplated in this ordinance comply with the California Environmental Quality Act (California Public Resources Code Sections 21000 et seq.). Said determination is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 221002 and is incorporated herein by reference. The Board affirms this determination.

(b) On July 21, 2021, the Planning Department determined that the actions contemplated in this ordinance are consistent, on balance, with the City’s General Plan and eight priority policies of Planning Code Section 101.1. The Board adopts this determination

1 as its own. A copy of said determination is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in  
2 File No. 221002, and is incorporated herein by reference.

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4 Section 2. Article 33 of the Health Code is hereby amended by revising Section 3323,  
5 to read as follows:

6 **SEC. 3323. SUNSET PROVISION.**

7 This Article 33 shall expire by operation of law on December 31, ~~2022~~2024. All  
8 permits authorizing the operation of a Medical Cannabis Dispensary issued under this Article  
9 33 shall be rendered invalid after December 31, 2018, except for those permits issued under  
10 this Article 33 where the permit holder has applied for a Police Code Article 16 permit, which  
11 shall be rendered invalid on December 31, ~~2022~~2024. Upon expiration of the Article, the City  
12 Attorney shall cause it to be removed from the Health Code.

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14 Section 3. Article 16 of the Police Code is hereby amended by revising Section 1605  
15 to read as follows:

16 **SEC. 1605. TRANSITION PROVISION.**

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18 (h) **Duration.** A Temporary Cannabis Business Permit issued under this Section  
19 1605 shall be valid for a period of 120 days and may be extended for additional 120-day  
20 periods at the discretion of the Director. Notwithstanding the prior sentence, the Director shall  
21 not issue a new temporary permit after January 1, 2019, and shall not extend the term of a  
22 Temporary Cannabis Business Permit issued to an applicant for a Cannabis Business Permit  
23 under this Article 16 past December 31, ~~2022~~2024.

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1 Section 4. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective 30 days after  
2 enactment. Enactment occurs when the Mayor signs the ordinance, the Mayor returns the  
3 ordinance unsigned or does not sign the ordinance within ten days of receiving it, or the Board  
4 of Supervisors overrides the Mayor's veto of the ordinance.

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6 Section 5. Scope of Ordinance. In enacting this ordinance, the Board of Supervisors  
7 intends to amend only those words, phrases, paragraphs, subsections, sections, articles,  
8 numbers, punctuation marks, charts, diagrams, or any other constituent parts of the Municipal  
9 Code that are explicitly shown in this ordinance as additions, deletions, Board amendment  
10 additions, and Board amendment deletions in accordance with the "Note" that appears under  
11 the official title of the ordinance.

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13 APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
DAVID CHIU, City Attorney

14 By: /s/ Sarah Crowley  
15 SARAH CROWLEY  
Deputy City Attorney

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October 06, 2022 Government Audit and Oversight Committee - RECOMMENDED

October 18, 2022 Board of Supervisors - PASSED ON FIRST READING

Ayes: 11 - Chan, Dorsey, Mandelman, Mar, Melgar, Peskin, Preston, Ronen, Safai, Stefani and Walton

October 25, 2022 Board of Supervisors - FINALLY PASSED

Ayes: 11 - Chan, Dorsey, Mandelman, Mar, Melgar, Peskin, Preston, Ronen, Safai, Stefani and Walton

File No. 221002

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was FINALLY PASSED on 10/25/2022 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo  
Clerk of the Board

London N. Breed  
Mayor

11/4/22

Date Approved