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Marijuana Control Board

Board: Marijuana Control Board

Board identification number: 275

Department: COMMERCE, COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Authority: AS 17.38.080

Status: Active

Sunset date:

Requirements: Legislative Confirmation

Prohibitions: No member may hold any other state or federal office, either elective or appointive. Not more than two members may be engaged in the same business, occupation, or profession.

Term: 3 years

Description: The board consists of five voting members as follows: **O**ne person from the public safety sector; one person from the public health sector; one person currently residing in a rural area; one person actively engaged in the marijuana industry; and one person who is either from the general public or actively engaged in the marijuana industry. For the initial board, this seat must be given to a second person engaged in the marijuana industry. **Not** more than two members of the board may be engaged in the same business, occupation, or profession. A board member representing the general public, the public safety sector, the public health sector, or a rural area, or the member's immediate family member, may not have a financial interest in the marijuana industry

Function: The board shall control the cultivation, manufacture, and sale of marijuana in the state. The board is vested with the powers and duties necessary to enforce this chapter.

Chair: Board selects chair

Special facts: The board is considered a regulatory and quasi-judicial agency. A quorum consists of 3

members, and a majority of whole membership must approve applications, renewals, transfers, etc. Members serve at the pleasure of the Governor. Board selects chair. Vacancies to be filled within 30 days. Governor also appoints Director.

Compensation: Standard Travel and Per Diem No additional compensation

Meetings: The board shall meet at least annually in each judicial district of the state. The board shall meet at the call of the chair.

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