

IMPACT STATEMENT

Legislation title: * Amend regulations for marijuana businesses to address regulations for Laboratories and Research Certificate Holders and clarify Director's authority to determine violations of Chapter 14B.130. (Ordinance; amend Portland City Code Chapter 14B.130.020, 14B.130.040 F-G, and 14B.130.100 B.1, amend Fee Schedule.)

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Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:

On September 30th, 2015, Council adopted Ordinance No. 187259, adding license procedures and requirements for marijuana businesses to Portland City Code Chapter 14B.130, to reasonably regulate the marijuana industry and provide mechanisms for communicating with the state agencies about siting of marijuana businesses. The Oregon Liquor Control Commission is moving forward with licensing two other categories of marijuana businesses not reflected in Chapter 14B.130: Laboratories and Research Certificate Holders.

The proposed amendment addresses regulations of Laboratories and Research Certificate Holders, and also clarifies that a director may determine that a violation of this Chapter has occurred by someone other than a Marijuana Regulatory License holder, clarifying the intent of the City to address unlicensed locations and illegal operations.

Financial and budgetary impacts:

The proposed legislation is accompanied by an amended fee schedule (Exhibit B) that reflects the additional costs associated with processing a land use compatibility statement for Laboratories and Research Certificate Holders, in order to cover the cost of administering the program.

Community impacts and community involvement:

This change is made with the intent that community expectations are reflected in the siting of Laboratories and Research Certificate Holders.

Budgetary Impact Worksheet

Does this action change appropriations?

- YES:** Please complete the information below.
 NO: Skip this section

Fund	Fund Center	Commitment Item	Functional Area	Funded Program	Grant	Sponsored Program	Amount