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COUNCILMEMBER CATE RELEASES NON-RETAIL MARIJUANA BUSINESS REGULATIONS
Proposal includes clear rules regarding cultivation, manufacturing, distribution, and testing

San Diego, CA: On September 11, 2017, the City Council is currently scheduled to consider regulations on non-retail marijuana businesses, including cultivation, manufacturing, distribution, and testing.

“As Chair of the Public Safety and Livable Neighborhoods Committee, my top priority during these deliberations is to ensure that marijuana related businesses are well regulated in order to guarantee that they are operating safely and in a manner that promotes public safety,” stated Councilmember Chris Cate.

While Proposition 64 sets many base-line public safety-related regulations and the State Legislature continues its process to establish additional regulations, it’s crucial that the City of San Diego makes clear what it expects from businesses when they apply for a Conditional Use Permit to operate within our jurisdiction.

As such, this memo outlines a list of my proposals regarding public safety related regulations on non-retail marijuana businesses that all applicants must comply with in order to be eligible to obtain and retain a Conditional Use Permit (CUP) from the City of San Diego. Many of these proposals are currently established or being considered in other cities in California and other states that allow non-retail marijuana businesses.

“In addition, as Chair of the Public Safety and Livable Neighborhoods Committee, I intend to present proposals in early 2018 before the Committee to improve regulations regarding retail marijuana outlets, including regulations relating to marijuana advertisements in the City of San Diego.”

View Councilmember Cate’s Memorandum: <http://bit.ly/2g9m1Oz>

View Councilmember Cate’s Proposal: <http://bit.ly/2wrl62C>