

# *The Cannabis Pharmaceutical Coalition*

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## *"Combining The Terms Rx, Cannabis & Consumer Protection"*

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For purposes of this ordinance, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

- (a) "Recommend" means to fill a written doctor's prescription by a licensed pharmacist, supplier or distributor.
- (b) "Patient's primary caregiver" means a spouse, blood relative, designated representative, or in-law of the patient.
- (c) Organic - In order to ensure quality control, as used in this chapter, the term "organic" means grown with no chemical pesticides.
- (d) Marijuana - For purposes of this section, marijuana is defined as a Cannabis plant of either Indica or Sitiva varieties that has a THC level of more than 3.0
- (e) Class - A 7 hour course required when patients or their representatives opt to "grow their own" after receiving a prescription from a physician.
- (f) Records - Information kept by the police with respect to the patient's Medicinal Cannabis history.
- (g) Patient - Someone given a prescription to use Cannabis for medical purposes.
- (h) Instructors - Those licensed by the state to teach the science of Cannabis.

For purposes of this ordinance, all of the following shall apply:

- (a) Cannabis for medical purposes may be grown in or around one's home, only by a patient grower, or in the case of extreme illness, by the patient's primary caregiver.
  - (1) All plants shall be grown organically or with approved pesticides.
  - 2) Each plant shall be registered and numbered yearly with Sacramento City Police, cross referenced and documented. A \$10 fee shall accompany the registration. Upon registry, the City will provide a registration card and law enforcement coverage to the grower.
  - 3) Each registration shall include the name of the grower, including address, phone number and prescription number documenting the patients right to grow Cannabis.
  - 4) All users and/or growers shall complete an educational training program. The hours of training shall contain no less than 7 class hours. The training shall focus on ensuring that growers understand the law, growing requirements, and pharmacology of Cannabis.

5) All cultivation shall be done by a licensed cultivator or the patients primary caregiver. Any person not exempted by law and caught growing, selling or distributing Cannabis shall be in violation of laws regulating growing, sale and distribution of Cannabis.

6) Medicinal Cannabis must be grown under the following conditions:

a) The registration process as outlined above;

b) Class is attended and graduated by the user;

c) The Medicinal Cannabis is: 1) Grown out of sight or smell from the general public; 2) Is no taller than the fencing codes allow; 3) Is grown in a way to eliminate adverse secondary effects and 4) Restricts access to the product from minors.

7) Taxation - Cannabis grown by a patient or primary caregiver for patient use is not taxable. The registration fee is not a tax.

8) It is a felony to steal Medical Cannabis.

