MEDICAL MARIHUANA FACILITIES LICENSING ACT (EXCERPT) Act 281 of 2016

***** 333.27404.new THIS NEW SECTION IS EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 20, 2016 *****

333.27404.new True party of interest.

Sec. 404. (1) The board shall issue a license only in the name of the true party of interest.

- (2) For the following true parties of interest, information concerning the indicated individuals must be included in the disclosures required of an applicant or licensee:
 - (a) For an individual or sole proprietorship: the proprietor and spouse.
- (b) For a partnership and limited liability partnership: all partners and their spouses. For a limited partnership and limited liability limited partnership: all general and limited partners and their spouses. For a limited liability company: all members, managers, and their spouses.
- (c) For a privately held corporation: all corporate officers or persons with equivalent titles and their spouses and all stockholders and their spouses.
- (d) For a publicly held corporation: all corporate officers or persons with equivalent titles and their spouses.
- (e) For a multilevel ownership enterprise: any entity or person that receives or has the right to receive a percentage of the gross or net profit from the enterprise during any full or partial calendar or fiscal year.
- (f) For a nonprofit corporation: all individuals and entities with membership or shareholder rights in accordance with the articles of incorporation or the bylaws and their spouses.
 - (3) For purposes of this section, "true party of interest" does not mean:
- (a) A person or entity receiving reasonable payment for rent on a fixed basis under a bona fide lease or rental obligation, unless the lessor or property manager exercises control over or participates in the management of the business.
- (b) A person who receives a bonus as an employee if the employee is on a fixed wage or salary and the bonus is not more than 25% of the employee's prebonus annual compensation or if the bonus is based on a written incentive/bonus program that is not out of the ordinary for the services rendered.

History: 2016, Act 281, Eff. Dec. 20, 2016.

Compiler's note: Enacting section 2 of Act 281 of 2016 provides:

"Enacting section 2. The legislature finds that the necessity for access to safe sources of marihuana for medical use and the immediate need for growers, processors, secure transporters, provisioning centers, and safety compliance facilities to operate under clear requirements establish the need to promulgate emergency rules to preserve the public health, safety, or welfare."