

AN ACT

Bill 20-211

**Emergency
Declaration
Res. 20-88
20 DCStat 1474**

To amend, on an emergency basis, due to Congressional review, the Legalization of Marijuana for Medical Treatment Initiative of 1999 to prohibit locating medical marijuana cultivation centers in certain Retail Priority Areas.

**Codification
District of
Columbia
Official Code
2001 Edition**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the “Medical Marijuana Cultivation Center Congressional Review Emergency Amendment Act of 2013”.

**Medical
Marijuana
Cultivation
Center
Congressional
Review
Emergency
Amendment
Act of 2013**

**Note,
§ 7-1671.06**

Sec. 2. Section 7 of the Legalization of Marijuana for Medical Treatment Initiative of 1999, effective July 27, 2010 (D.C. Law 18-210; D.C. Official Code § 7-1671.06), is amended by adding a new subsection (g-1) to read as follows:

“(g-1)(1) A cultivation center shall not be located within a Retail Priority Area, as designated pursuant to section 4 of the Retail Incentive Act of 2004, effective September 8, 2004 (D.C. Law 15-185; D.C. Official Code § 2-1217.73), and as approved by the Council pursuant to the Great Streets Neighborhood Retail Priority Areas Approval Resolution of 2007, effective July 10, 2007 (Res. 17-025; 54 DCR 7194).

“(2) The prohibition set forth in paragraph (1) of this subsection shall apply only to applications pending as of the effective date of the Medical Marijuana Cultivation Center Emergency Amendment Act of 2012, effective April 7, 2012 (D.C. Act 19-339; 59 DCR 2784).

“(3) Any applicant with a pending application for a registration to operate a cultivation center within a Retail Priority Area as identified in paragraph (1) of this subsection shall be allowed to modify the application within 180 days of the effective date of the Medical Marijuana Cultivation Center Temporary Amendment Act of 2013, signed by the Mayor on March 5, 2013 (D.C. Act 20-13; 60 DCR 3962), without negatively affecting the current status of the application.”.

Sec. 3. Applicability.
This act shall apply as of April 29, 2013.

**Applicable as
of April 29,
2013**

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
D.C. Act 20-61, effective April 27, 2013 (Expiration date July 26, 2013)

20 DCSTAT 1409

Sec. 4. Fiscal impact statement.

The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement of the Budget Director as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(3)).

Sec. 5. Effective date.

This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), and shall remain in effect for no longer than 90 days, as provided for emergency acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in section 412(a) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 788; D.C. Official Code § 1-204.12(a)).