Form MJ-03: Retail Marijuana Store Operating Plan Supplemental

Section 2 – Overview of Operations

2.1. Provide an overview of your proposed facility's operations. Include information regarding the intake and flow of marijuana and marijuana product at your premises, and a description of what a standard customer visit to your establishment would entail:

Each shipment of marijuana and marijuana product that arrives at the Nome Grown retail store will be inspected by a member of the management team before it is accepted and added to the store's inventory. The shipment will be reconciled with the transport manifest, shipment labels and packaging labels to ensure consistency. All product will be weighed by Nome Grown and reconciled with the weight listed on the manifest and labels. Any shipments with discrepancies will be rejected. Shipments that pass initial inspection will be accepted into the facility, entered into METRC and the point of sale software and added to the store's inventory storage or display cases. At the end of each business day, the management team will reconcile the sale's transactions from the point of sale software with the inventory on hand and with METRC to ensure consistency and that any discrepancies are immediately addressed. Customers will be greeted at the store's entrance by a Nome Grown employee who will check their identification and watch for signs of impairment. If cleared by security, customers will enter the sales floor where they will be greeted by the sales team. They would then be able to inspect and choose marijuana or marijuana product that is out of their reach only accessible by an properly credentialed agent of the company whom would assist them. Customers could browse the retail section of the store while enjoying a hot refreshing beverage, such as coffee while making their selection among the various products.

Section 3 – Prohibitions

Review the requirements under 3 AAC 306.310.

3.1. Describe how you will ensure that the retail marijuana store will not sell, give, distribute, or deliver marijuana or marijuana product to a person who is under the influence of an alcoholic beverage, inhalant, or controlled substance:

Nome Grown will ensure that no marijuana or marijuana products are sold to, given, distributed, or delivered to a person who is under the influence of an alcoholic beverage, inhalant, or controlled substance by observing behavior of the individual while entering the building or during the identification process. Employees will be educated in the signs of intoxication. Nome Grown reserves the right to refuse service to anyone.

3.2. I certify that the retail marijuana store will not: Initials

a. **sell, give, distribute, deliver, or offer to sell, give, distribute, or deliver marijuana or marijuana product in a quantity exceeding the limit set out in 3 AAC 306.355;** [initials]

b. **sell, give, distribute, deliver, or offer to sell, give, distribute, or deliver marijuana or marijuana product over the internet;** [initials]

c. **offer or deliver to a consumer, as a marketing promotion or for any other reason, free marijuana or marijuana product, including a sample;** [initials]

d. **offer or deliver to a consumer, as a marketing promotion or for any other reason, alcoholic beverages, free or for compensation; or** [initials]

e. **allow a person to consume marijuana or a marijuana product on the licensed premises.** [initials]

Answer "Yes" or "No" to the following question:	Yes	No
3.3. Do you plan to request future approval of the Marijuana Control Board to permit consumption of marijuana or marijuana product in a designated area on the proposed premises?	☑	☐

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Section 4 – Signage and Advertising

Review the requirements under 3 AAC 306.360 and 3 AAC 306.365. All licensed retail marijuana stores must meet minimum standards for signage and advertising.

You must be able to certify each statement below. Read the following and then sign your initials in the corresponding box: Initials

4.1. I understand and agree to follow the limitations regarding the number, placement, and size of signs on my proposed establishment, set forth in 3 AAC 306.360(a).

4.2. The retail marijuana store will not use giveaway coupons as promotional materials, or conduct promotional activities such as games or competitions to encourage the sale of marijuana or marijuana products.

4.3. All advertising for marijuana or marijuana product will contain the warnings required under 3 AAC 306.360(e).

4.4. I understand and agree to post, in a conspicuous location visible to customers, the notification signs required under 3 AAC 306.365.

4.5. I certify that no advertisement for marijuana or marijuana product will contain any statement or illustration that:

- **a. is false or misleading;**
- **b. promotes excessive consumption;**
- **c. represents that the use of marijuana has curative or therapeutic effects;**
- **d. depicts a person under the age of 21 consuming marijuana; or**
- **e. includes an object or character, including a toy, a cartoon character, or any other depiction designed to appeal to a child or other person under the age of 21, that promotes consumption of marijuana.**

4.6. I certify that no advertisement for marijuana or marijuana product will be placed:

- **a. within 1,000 feet of the perimeter of any child-centered facility, including a school, childcare facility, or other facility providing services to children, a playground or recreation center, a public park, a library, or a game arcade that is open to persons under the age of 21;**
- **b. on or in a public transit vehicle or public transit shelter;**
- **c. on or in a publicly owned or operated property;**
- **d. within 1,000 feet of a substance abuse or treatment facility; or**
- **e. on a campus for postsecondary education.**

Section 5 – Displays and Sales

5.1. Describe how marijuana and marijuana products at the retail marijuana store will be displayed and sold:

Marijuana and marijuana product will be displayed and sold at Nome Grown using glass display cases that have functioning locks that only authorized staff will have access to. Signage stating, "Restricted Access Area: Visitors Must Be Escorted" will be posted at the access points that lead behind the counter. We will also utilize slotted wall board which will be fastened to the wall behind the glass cases out of customer's reach and only accessible to agents of Nome Grown LLC. Product displays will be in full view of a working video surveillance camera at all times that marijuana or marijuana product is stored in the display. Marijuana and marijuana products will be secured in a locked case at all times. All employees will be trained and regularly monitored to ensure compliance with the display and closing policies, and that all product is secured and accounted for at all times. Marijuana and marijuana product will be sold using the traceability program, "Greenbits" (capable of electronic communication with METRC). Employees will ensure that each marijuana product is in fully opaque and child-resistant packaging before a customer exits the store with it.

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