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***“Cannabis and Employment:
Balancing Safety and Equity in a Post-Proposition 64 (2016) Workplace”***

Friday, November 8, 2019
State Capitol, Room 2040 - 1:00 p.m.

AGENDA

Welcome and Opening Remarks: Senator Jerry Hill

Panel I: The Future of Medical Cannabis and Employment Rights – Applications within the Workers’ Compensation system and employee rights.

- ◆ Igor Grant, Director of Center for Medicinal Cannabis Research at UCSD
- ◆ Ellen Komp, Deputy Director of CA Norml

Panel II: Cannabis Industry Stakeholders – Regulatory impacts on hiring and employment.

- ◆ Morgan Sokol, Executive Vice President of Regulatory Affairs, MedMen
- ◆ Lindsay Robinson, Director of the California Cannabis Industry Association
- ◆ Erik Sklar, CEO of Fumé, a Napa-based Cannabis Retailer

Panel III: Employer Stakeholders – Drug testing policies and federal compliance.

- ◆ Robert Moutrie, Policy Advocate at the California Chamber of Commerce
- ◆ Nicole Rice, Policy Director of Government Relations at the California Manufacturers and Technology Association

Panel IV: Labor Stakeholders – Opportunities for high-skill, high-wage jobs.

- ◆ Jeff Ferro, Executive Assistant at the United Food and Commercial Workers
- ◆ Kristin Heidenbach, Director of the Teamsters Cannabis Division

Public Comment



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