MEDICAL MARIJUANA TREATMENT CENTER (MTC) VIOLATION GUIDELINES

BOARD OF LICENSING COMMISSIONERS



TOWN OF WEYMOUTH

The following MTC Violations Guidelines are hereby adopted by the Board of Licensing Commissioners on October 31, 2023. Penalties for MTC license holders committing violations to be invoked by the Board of Licensing Commissioners are as follows:

First Offense: 1 to 3 day suspensions.

Second Offense: 3 to 6 day suspensions.

Third Offense: 6 to 12 day suspensions.

Fourth Offense: Show cause hearing for license revocation.

The Licensee shall serve suspensions on consecutive business days beginning on the third Thursday following the assessment of penalties by the Board.

Conduct for MTC Violation Hearings, penalties should be invoked based on the following criteria:

- a) number of prior offenses
- b) degree of inspection, etc. exhibited by licensee
- c) severity and type of offense
- d) efforts to identify purchaser, if any
- e) appearance of purchaser in cases of illegal sales
- f) quality of evidence, i.e., clear cut violation verses somewhat questionable one
- g) general reputation of licensee

The effective date of the guidelines will be November 1, 2023.

All MTC license holders are required to attend an initial Responsible Vendor Training Program (RVT) in accordance with the provisions of 935 CMR 501.105(2)(b). All MTC Agents (with the exception for Administrative Employees) of each licensed MTC are required to attend the four hour RVT training on a yearly basis for certification. Failure to attend the required training could result in the non-renewal of the annual MTC license.

Dated: October 31, 2023