REFERENCE TITLE: medical marijuana; adult-use marijuana

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SB 1466

Introduced by Senator Shope

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTIONS 36-2801, 36-2801.01 AND 36-2803, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; AMENDING TITLE 36, CHAPTER 28.1, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 36-2803.03; AMENDING SECTIONS 36-2804.02 AND 36-2804.05, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; AMENDING TITLE 36, CHAPTER 28.1, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 36-2806.03; AMENDING SECTIONS 36-2817, 36-2822, 36-2854, 36-2854.01, 36-2856 AND 42-5061, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO MARIJUANA.

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

Section 1. Subject to the requirements of article IV, part 1, section 1, Constitution of Arizona, section 36-2801, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

36-2801. Definitions

In this chapter, unless the context otherwise requires:

- 1. "ADVERTISE", "ADVERTISEMENT" AND "ADVERTISING" MEAN ANY PUBLIC COMMUNICATION IN ANY MEDIUM THAT OFFERS OR SOLICITS A COMMERCIAL TRANSACTION INVOLVING THE SALE, PURCHASE OR DELIVERY OF MARIJUANA OR MARIJUANA PRODUCTS.
 - 1. 2. "Allowable amount of marijuana":
 - (a) With respect to a qualifying patient, means:
 - (i) Two and one-half ounces of usable marijuana.
- (ii) If the qualifying patient's registry identification card states that the qualifying patient is authorized to cultivate marijuana, twelve marijuana plants contained in an enclosed, locked facility, except that the plants are not required to be in an enclosed, locked facility if the plants are being transported because the qualifying patient is moving.
- (b) With respect to a designated caregiver, for each patient assisted by the designated caregiver under this chapter, means:
 - (i) Two and one-half ounces of usable marijuana.
- (ii) If the designated caregiver's registry identification card provides that the designated caregiver is authorized to cultivate marijuana, twelve marijuana plants contained in an enclosed, locked facility, except that the plants are not required to be in an enclosed, locked facility if the plants are being transported because the designated caregiver is moving.
- (c) Does not include marijuana that is incidental to medical use, but is not usable marijuana.
- 2. 3. "Cardholder" means a qualifying patient, a designated caregiver, a nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary agent or a independent third-party laboratory agent who has been issued and possesses a valid registry identification card.
- 4. "CHILD-RESISTANT" MEANS DESIGNED OR CONSTRUCTED TO BE SIGNIFICANTLY DIFFICULT FOR CHILDREN UNDER FIVE YEARS OF AGE TO OPEN AND NOT DIFFICULT FOR NORMAL ADULTS TO USE PROPERLY.
- 3. 5. "Debilitating medical condition" means one or more of the following:
- (a) Cancer, glaucoma, positive status for human immunodeficiency virus, acquired immune deficiency syndrome, hepatitis C, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, Crohn's disease or agitation of Alzheimer's disease or the treatment of these conditions.
- (b) A chronic or debilitating disease or medical condition or its treatment that produces one or more of the following:
 - (i) Cachexia or wasting syndrome.

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- (ii) Severe and chronic pain.
- (iii) Severe nausea.
- (iv) Seizures, including those characteristic of epilepsy.
- (v) Severe and persistent muscle spasms, including those characteristic of multiple sclerosis.
 - (c) POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER.
- (d) AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER THAT IS DIAGNOSED BY A LICENSED PHYSICIAN OR LICENSED PSYCHOLOGIST ACTING WITHIN HIS OR HER SCOPE OF PRACTICE.
- (c) (e) Any other medical condition or its treatment added by the department pursuant to section 36-2801.01.
- 4.6. "Department" means the department of health services or its successor agency.
 - 5. 7. "Designated caregiver" means a person who:
 - (a) Is at least twenty-one years of age.
 - (b) Has agreed to assist with a patient's medical use of marijuana.
 - (c) Has not been convicted of an excluded felony offense.
- (d) Assists not more than five qualifying patients with the medical use of marijuana.
- (e) May receive reimbursement for actual costs incurred in assisting a registered qualifying patient's medical use of marijuana if the registered designated caregiver is connected to the registered qualifying patient through the department's registration process. The designated caregiver may not be paid any fee or compensation for service as a caregiver. Payment for costs under this subdivision does not constitute an offense under title 13, chapter 34 or under title 36, chapter 27, article 4.
- 6.8. "Enclosed, locked facility" means a closet, room, greenhouse or other enclosed area that is equipped with locks or other security devices that permit ALLOW access only by a cardholder.
 - 7. 9. "Excluded felony offense" means:
- (a) A violent crime as defined in section 13-901.03, subsection B, that was classified as a felony in the jurisdiction where the person was convicted.
- (b) A violation of a state or federal controlled substance law that was classified as a felony in the jurisdiction where the person was convicted but does not include:
- (i) An offense for which the sentence, including any term of probation, incarceration or supervised release, was completed ten or more years earlier.
- (ii) An offense involving conduct that would be immune from arrest, prosecution or penalty under section 36-2811, except that the conduct occurred before December 14, 2010 or was prosecuted by an authority other than the state of Arizona.

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- 8. 10. "Independent third-party laboratory" means an entity that has a national or international accreditation and that is certified by the department to analyze marijuana cultivated for medical use.
- 9. 11. "Independent third-party laboratory agent" means an owner, employee or volunteer of a certified independent third-party laboratory who is at least twenty-one years of age and who has not been convicted of an excluded felony offense.
- 10. 12. "Marijuana": means all parts of any plant of the genus cannabis whether growing or not, and the seeds of such plant.
- (a) MEANS ALL PARTS OF THE PLANT OF THE GENUS CANNABIS, WHETHER GROWING OR NOT, AS WELL AS THE SEEDS FROM THE PLANT, THE RESIN EXTRACTED FROM ANY PART OF THE PLANT, AND EVERY COMPOUND, MANUFACTURE, SALT, DERIVATIVE, MIXTURE OR PREPARATION OF THE PLANT OR ITS SEEDS OR RESIN.
 - (b) INCLUDES CANNABIS AS DEFINED IN SECTION 13-3401.
- (c) DOES NOT INCLUDE INDUSTRIAL HEMP, THE FIBER PRODUCED FROM THE STALKS OF THE PLANT OF THE GENUS CANNABIS, OIL OR CAKE MADE FROM THE SEEDS OF THE PLANT, STERILIZED SEEDS OF THE PLANT THAT ARE INCAPABLE OF GERMINATION, OR THE WEIGHT OF ANY OTHER INGREDIENT COMBINED WITH MARIJUANA TO PREPARE TOPICAL OR ORAL ADMINISTRATIONS, FOOD, DRINK OR OTHER PRODUCTS.
- 13. "MARIJUANA PRODUCT" MEANS MARIJUANA CONCENTRATE AND ANY PRODUCT THAT IS COMPOSED OF MARIJUANA AND OTHER INGREDIENTS AND THAT IS INTENDED FOR USE OR CONSUMPTION, INCLUDING EDIBLE PRODUCTS, OINTMENTS AND TINCTURES.
- 11. 14. "Medical use" means the acquisition, possession, cultivation, manufacture, use, administration, delivery, transfer transportation of marijuana or paraphernalia relating administration of marijuana to treat or alleviate a registered qualifying patient's debilitating medical condition or symptoms associated with the patient's debilitating medical condition.
- 12. 15. "Nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary" means a not-for-profit entity that acquires, possesses, cultivates, manufactures, delivers, transfers, transports, supplies, sells or dispenses marijuana or related supplies and educational materials to cardholders. A nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary may receive payment for all expenses incurred in its operation.
- 13. 16. "Nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary agent" means a principal officer, board member, employee or volunteer of a nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary who is at least twenty-one years of age and has not been convicted of an excluded felony offense.
- 14. 17. "Physician" means a doctor of medicine who holds a valid and existing license to practice medicine pursuant to title 32, chapter 13 or its successor, a doctor of osteopathic medicine who holds a valid and existing license to practice osteopathic medicine pursuant to title 32, chapter 17 or its successor, a naturopathic physician who holds a valid and existing license to practice naturopathic medicine pursuant to title

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32, chapter 14 or its successor or a homeopathic physician who holds a valid and existing license to practice homeopathic medicine pursuant to title 32, chapter 29 or its successor.

15. 18. "Qualifying patient" means a person who has been diagnosed by a physician as having a debilitating medical condition.

16. 19. "Registry identification card" means a document issued by the department that identifies a person as a registered qualifying patient, a registered designated caregiver, a registered nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary agent or a registered independent third-party laboratory agent.

20. "TELEHEALTH" HAS THE SAME MEANING PRESCRIBED IN SECTION 36-3601.

17. 21. "Usable marijuana":

- (a) Means the dried flowers of the marijuana plant, and any mixture or preparation thereof.
 - (b) Does not include:
 - (i) The seeds, stalks and roots of the plant.
- (ii) The weight of any non-marijuana ingredients combined with marijuana and prepared for consumption as food or drink.
- 18. 22. "Verification system" means a secure, password-protected, web-based system that is established and maintained by the department and that is available to law enforcement personnel and nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary agents on a twenty-four-hour basis for verifying registry identification cards.
 - 19. 23. "Visiting qualifying patient" means a person:
- (a) Who is not a resident of Arizona or who has been a resident of Arizona less than thirty days.
- (b) Who has been diagnosed with a debilitating medical condition by a person who is licensed with authority to prescribe drugs to humans in the state of the person's residence or, in the case of a person who has been a resident of Arizona less than thirty days, the state of the person's former residence.
- 20. 24. "Written certification" means a document dated and signed by a physician, stating that in the physician's professional opinion the patient is likely to receive therapeutic or palliative benefit from the medical use of marijuana to treat or alleviate the patient's debilitating medical condition or symptoms associated with the debilitating medical condition. The physician must:
- (a) Specify the qualifying patient's debilitating medical condition in the written certification.
- (b) Sign and date the written certification only in the course of a physician-patient relationship after the physician has completed a full assessment of the qualifying patient's medical history EITHER IN PERSON OR BY THE USE OF TELEHEALTH.

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 Sec. 2. Subject to the requirements of article IV, part 1, section 1, Constitution of Arizona, section 36-2801.01, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

36-2801.01. Addition of debilitating medical conditions

The public may petition the department to add debilitating medical conditions or treatments to the list of debilitating medical conditions set forth in section 36-2801, paragraph 3 5. The department shall consider petitions in the manner required by department rule, including public notice and hearing. The department shall approve or deny a petition within one-hundred-eighty ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY days of AFTER its submission. The approval or denial of a petition is a final decision of the department subject to judicial review pursuant to title 12, chapter 7, article 6. Jurisdiction and venue are vested in the superior court.

Sec. 3. Subject to the requirements of article IV, part 1, section 1, Constitution of Arizona, section 36-2803, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

36-2803. <u>Rulemaking; notice; testing of marijuana and marijuana products; fees</u>

- A. The department shall adopt rules:
- 1. Governing the manner in which the department considers petitions from the public to add debilitating medical conditions or treatments to the list of debilitating medical conditions set forth in section 36-2801, paragraph 3—5, including public notice of, and an opportunity to comment in a public hearing on, petitions.
- 2. Establishing the form and content of registration and renewal applications submitted under this chapter.
- 3. Governing the manner in which the department considers applications for and renewals of registry identification cards.
- 4. Governing nonprofit medical marijuana dispensaries to protect against diversion and theft without imposing an undue burden on nonprofit medical marijuana dispensaries or compromising the confidentiality of cardholders, including:
- (a) The manner in which the department considers applications for and renewals of registration certificates.
- (b) Minimum oversight requirements for nonprofit medical marijuana dispensaries.
- (c) Minimum recordkeeping requirements for nonprofit medical marijuana dispensaries.
- (d) Minimum security requirements for nonprofit medical marijuana dispensaries, including requirements to protect each registered nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary location by a fully operational security alarm system.
- (e) Procedures for suspending or revoking the registration certificate of nonprofit medical marijuana dispensaries that violate this chapter or the rules adopted pursuant to this section.

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- 5. Establishing application and renewal fees for registry identification cards, nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary registration certificates and independent third-party laboratory certificates, according to the following:
- (a) The total amount of all fees shall generate revenues that are sufficient to implement and administer this chapter, except that fee revenue may be offset or supplemented by private donations.
- (b) Nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary application fees may not exceed \$5,000.
- (c) Nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary renewal fees may not exceed \$1,000.
- (d) The total amount of revenue generated from nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary application and renewal fees, registry identification card fees for nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary agents and independent third-party laboratory agents and application and renewal fees for independent third-party laboratories shall be sufficient to implement and administer this chapter, including the verification system, except that the fee revenue may be offset or supplemented by private donations.
- (e) The department may establish a sliding scale of patient application and renewal fees that are based on a qualifying patient's household income and that are reasonable and related to the actual costs of processing applications and renewals.
- (f) The department may consider private donations under section 36-2817 to reduce application and renewal fees.
- B. The department of health services shall adopt rules that require each nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary to display in a conspicuous location a sign that warns pregnant women about the potential dangers to fetuses caused by smoking or ingesting marijuana while pregnant or to infants while breastfeeding and the risk of being reported to the department of child safety during pregnancy or at the birth of the child by persons who are required to report. The rules shall include the specific warning language that must be included on the sign. The cost and display of the sign required by rule shall be borne by the nonprofit marijuana dispensary. The rules shall also require certifying physician to attest that the physician has provided information to each qualifying female patient that warns about the potential dangers to fetuses caused by smoking or ingesting marijuana while pregnant or to infants while breastfeeding and the risk of being reported to the department of child safety during pregnancy or at the birth of the child by persons who are required to report.
- C. The department is authorized to adopt the rules set forth in subsections A and B of this section and shall adopt those rules pursuant to title 41, chapter 6.

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- D. The department of health services shall post prominently on its public website a warning about the potential dangers to fetuses caused by smoking or ingesting marijuana while pregnant or to infants while breastfeeding and the risk of being reported to the department of child safety during pregnancy or at the birth of the child by persons who are required to report.
- E. NOT LATER THAN DECEMBER 31, 2023, ANY MARIJUANA OR MARIJUANA PRODUCT PACKAGING LABELED FOR SALE SHALL INCLUDE A CONSUMER SCANNABLE TETRAHYDROCANNABINOL QUICK RESPONSE CODE OR SIMILAR TECHNOLOGY LINKING TO A WEBPAGE THAT DISPLAYS ALL OF THE FOLLOWING FOR THE SPECIFIC MARIJUANA PRODUCT:
 - 1. THE DATE OF HARVEST OF THE MARIJUANA.
- 2. THE TETRAHYDROCANNABINOL STRAIN OF THE MARIJUANA OR MARIJUANA PRODUCT.
- 3. THE TETRAHYDROCANNABINOL EXTRACTION METHOD USED TO EXTRACT THE TETRAHYDROCANNABINOL FROM THE MARIJUANA PRODUCT.
 - 4. THE TEST RESULTS FOR THE MARIJUANA OR MARIJUANA PRODUCT.
 - 5. THE DATE OF MANUFACTURE OF THE MARIJUANA PRODUCT.
 - 6. REQUIRED WARNINGS AS DETERMINED BY THE DEPARTMENT.
- 7. A WARNING THAT STATES, "KEEP ALL MARIJUANA PRODUCTS SAFE AND AWAY FROM CHILDREN. IF INGESTED, CALL POISON CONTROL: (800) 222-1222."
- F. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL DETERMINE AND ADOPT RULES REGARDING REQUIRED INFORMATION FOR THE MARIJUANA OR MARIJUANA PRODUCT LABEL AND THE WEBPAGE LINKED TO THE QUICK RESPONSE CODE INCLUDED ON THE LABEL. INFORMATION ON THE WEBPAGE SHALL SATISFY ANY LABELING REQUIREMENTS PRESCRIBED IN THIS CHAPTER.
- E. G. Before selling or dispensing marijuana or marijuana products to registered qualified patients or registered designated caregivers, nonprofit medical marijuana dispensaries shall test marijuana and marijuana products for medical use to determine unsafe levels of contamination, including unsafe levels of microbial contamination, heavy metals, pesticides, fungicides, growth regulators and residual solvents and confirm the potency of the marijuana to be dispensed. The dried flowers of the marijuana plant are not required to be tested for residual solvents. If a nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary's test results for heavy metals comply with the prescribed requirements for a period of six consecutive months, heavy metal testing for that dispensary's marijuana and marijuana products is required only on a quarterly basis.
 - F. H. Nonprofit medical marijuana dispensaries shall:
- 1. Provide test results to a registered qualifying patient or designated caregiver immediately on request.
- 2. Display in a conspicuous location a sign that notifies patients of their right to receive the certified independent third-party laboratory test results for marijuana and marijuana products for medical use.

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- 3. NOT LATER THAN DECEMBER 31, 2023, PROCURE, DEVELOP, ACQUIRE AND MAINTAIN A SYSTEM TO TRACK MARIJUANA AND MARIJUANA PRODUCTS AT ALL POINTS OF CULTIVATION, MANUFACTURE AND SALE. THE SYSTEM DEVELOPED AND MAINTAINED PURSUANT TO THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL:
- (a) ENSURE AN ACCURATE ACCOUNTING AND REPORTING OF THE PRODUCTION, PROCESSING AND SALE OF MARIJUANA AND MARIJUANA PRODUCTS.
 - (b) ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH RULES ADOPTED BY THE DEPARTMENT.
 - (c) BE CAPABLE OF TRACKING, AT A MINIMUM:
- (i) THE PROPAGATION OF IMMATURE MARIJUANA PLANTS AND THE PRODUCTION OF MARIJUANA BY A NONPROFIT MEDICAL MARIJUANA DISPENSARY.
- (ii) THE PROCESSING OF MARIJUANA AND MARIJUANA PRODUCTS BY A NONPROFIT MEDICAL MARIJUANA DISPENSARY.
 - (iii) THE SALE AND PURCHASE OF MARIJUANA AND MARIJUANA PRODUCTS.
 - (iv) THE DISPOSAL OF MARIJUANA WASTE.
- (v) THE IDENTITY OF THE PERSON MAKING THE ENTRY IN THE SYSTEM AND THE TIME, DATE AND LOCATION OF EACH ENTRY INTO THE SYSTEM, INCLUDING ANY CORRECTIONS OR CHANGES TO THAT INFORMATION.
- (vi) ANY OTHER INFORMATION THAT THE DEPARTMENT DETERMINES IS REASONABLY NECESSARY TO ENSURE ACCURACY, PROVIDE FOR CHAIN OF CUSTODY OF THE INFORMATION AND FORECLOSE DATA TAMPERING, HUMAN ERROR OR INTENTIONAL MISREPORTING AND TO ACCOMPLISH THE DUTIES, FUNCTIONS AND POWERS OF THE DEPARTMENT.
- 4. TRACK, TEST, LABEL AND PACKAGE MARIJUANA AND MARIJUANA PRODUCTS AND ENFORCE REQUIREMENTS THAT MARIJUANA AND MARIJUANA PRODUCTS BE:
- (a) SOLD TO QUALIFYING PATIENTS IN CLEARLY AND CONSPICUOUSLY LABELED CONTAINERS THAT CONTAIN ACCURATE WARNINGS REGARDING THE USE OF MARIJUANA OR MARIJUANA PRODUCTS.
- (b) PLACED IN CHILD-RESISTANT PACKAGING ON EXIT FROM THE NONPROFIT MEDICAL MARIJUANA DISPENSARY.
- G. I. The department shall adopt rules to certify and regulate independent third-party laboratories that analyze marijuana cultivated for medical use. The department shall establish certification fees for laboratories pursuant to subsection A of this section. In order to be certified as an independent third-party laboratory that is allowed to test marijuana and marijuana products for medical use pursuant to this chapter, an independent third-party laboratory:
- 1. Must meet requirements established by the department, including reporting and health and safety requirements.
- 2. May not have any direct or indirect familial or financial relationship with or interest in a nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary or related medical marijuana business entity or management company, or any direct or indirect familial or financial relationship with a designated caregiver for whom the laboratory is testing marijuana and marijuana products for medical use in this state.
 - 3. Must have a quality assurance program and standards.

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- 4. Must have an adequate chain of custody and sample requirement policies.
- 5. Must have an adequate records retention process to preserve records.
- 6. Must establish procedures to ensure that results are accurate, precise and scientifically valid before reporting the results.
- 7. Must be accredited by a national or international accreditation association or other similar accrediting entity, as determined by the department.
- 8. Must establish policies and procedures for disposal and reverse distribution of samples that are collected by the laboratory.
- H. J. Through December 31, 2022, the department may conduct proficiency testing and remediate problems with independent third-party laboratories that are certified and regulated pursuant to this chapter and marijuana testing facilities that are licensed and regulated pursuant to chapter 28.2 of this title.
- f. K. Beginning January 1, 2023, the department shall conduct proficiency testing and remediate problems with independent third-party laboratories that are certified and regulated pursuant to this chapter and marijuana testing facilities that are licensed and regulated pursuant to chapter 28.2 of this title. The department may contract for proficiency testing with laboratories that have a national or international accreditation.
- $rac{ extsf{J.}}{ extsf{L.}}$ For the purposes of subsections $rac{ extsf{H-}}{ extsf{J}}$ and $rac{ extsf{I-}}{ extsf{K}}$ of this section, remediation may include assessing civil penalties and suspending or revoking a laboratory's certification or a marijuana testing facility's license.
- $\mathsf{K.}$ M. The department shall adopt rules that prescribe reasonable time frames for testing marijuana and marijuana products.
- Sec. 4. Subject to the requirements of article IV, part 1, section 1, Constitution of Arizona, title 36, chapter 28.1, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended by adding section 36-2803.03, to read:
 - 36-2803.03. Packaging; restrictions
 - A. A NONPROFIT MEDICAL MARIJUANA DISPENSARY MAY NOT:
- 1. PACKAGE OR LABEL MARIJUANA OR MARIJUANA PRODUCTS IN A FALSE OR MISLEADING MANNER.
- 2. MANUFACTURE OR SELL MARIJUANA PRODUCTS THAT RESEMBLE THE FORM OF A HUMAN, ANIMAL, INSECT, FRUIT, TOY OR CARTOON.
- 3. SELL OR ADVERTISE MARIJUANA OR MARIJUANA PRODUCTS WITH NAMES THAT RESEMBLE OR IMITATE FOOD OR DRINK BRANDS MARKETED TO CHILDREN.
 - 4. OTHERWISE ADVERTISE MARIJUANA OR MARIJUANA PRODUCTS TO CHILDREN.
- B. A NONPROFIT MEDICAL MARIJUANA DISPENSARY THAT VIOLATES THIS SECTION IS SUBJECT TO DISCIPLINARY ACTION BY THE DEPARTMENT PURSUANT TO THIS CHAPTER.

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Sec. 5. Subject to the requirements of article IV, part 1, section 1, Constitution of Arizona, section 36-2804.02, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

36-2804.02. Registration of qualifying patients and designated caregivers

- A. A qualifying patient may apply to the department for a registry identification card by submitting:
- 1. Written certification issued by a physician within the ninety days immediately preceding the date of application.
- 2. The application fee. THE DEPARTMENT MAY NOT CHARGE MORE THAN \$50 FOR THE APPLICATION FEE.
 - 3. An application, including:
- (a) THE name, mailing address, residence address and date of birth of the qualifying patient, except that if the applicant is homeless no address is required.
- (b) THE name, address and telephone number of the qualifying patient's physician.
- (c) THE name, address and date of birth of the qualifying patient's designated caregiver, if any.
- (d) A statement signed by the qualifying patient pledging not to divert marijuana to anyone who is not allowed to possess marijuana pursuant to this chapter.
- (e) A signed statement from the designated caregiver, if any, agreeing to be the patient's designated caregiver and pledging not to divert marijuana to anyone who is not allowed to possess marijuana pursuant to this chapter.
- (f) A designation as to who will be allowed to cultivate marijuana plants for the qualifying patient's medical use if a registered nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary is not operating within twenty-five miles of the qualifying patient's home.
- B. The application for a qualifying patient's registry identification card shall ask whether the patient would like the department to notify him of any clinical studies needing human subjects for research on the medical use of marijuana. The department shall notify interested patients if it is notified of studies that will be conducted in the United States.
- Sec. 6. Subject to the requirements of article IV, part 1, section 1, Constitution of Arizona, section 36-2804.05, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

36-2804.05. Denial of registry identification card; notice

- A. The department may deny an application or renewal of a qualifying patient's registry identification card only if the applicant:
- 1. Does not meet the requirements of section 36-2801, paragraph $\frac{15}{18}$ 18.
 - 2. Does not provide the information required.

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- 3. Previously had a registry identification card revoked for violating this chapter.
 - 4. Provides false information.
- B. The department may deny an application or renewal of a designated caregiver's registry identification card if the applicant:
- 1. Does not meet the requirements of section 36-2801, paragraph $\frac{5}{7}$.
 - 2. Does not provide the information required.
- 3. Previously had a registry identification card revoked for violating this chapter.
 - 4. Provides false information.
- C. The department may deny a registry identification card to a nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary agent if:
- 1. The agent applicant does not meet the requirements of section 36-2801, paragraph $\frac{13}{16}$.
- 2. The applicant or dispensary did not provide the required information.
- 3. The agent applicant previously had a registry identification card revoked for violating this chapter.
 - 4. The applicant or dispensary provides false information.
- D. The department may conduct a criminal records check of each designated caregiver or nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary agent applicant to carry out this section.
- E. The department shall notify the registered nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary in writing of the reason for denying a registry identification card to a nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary agent.
- F. The department shall notify the qualifying patient in writing of the reason for denying a registry identification card to the qualifying patient's designated caregiver.
- G. Denial of an application or renewal is considered a final decision of the department subject to judicial review pursuant to title 12, chapter 7, article 6. Jurisdiction and venue for judicial review are vested in the superior court.
- Sec. 7. Subject to the requirements of article IV, part 1, section 1, Constitution of Arizona, title 36, chapter 28.1, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended by adding section 36-2806.03, to read:

36-2806.03. Advertising

- A. A NONPROFIT MEDICAL MARIJUANA DISPENSARY MAY ENGAGE IN ADVERTISING PURSUANT TO SECTION 36-2859.
- B. ANY ADVERTISING UNDER THIS CHAPTER INVOLVING DIRECT, INDIVIDUALIZED COMMUNICATION OR DIALOGUE SHALL USE A METHOD OF AGE AFFIRMATION TO VERIFY THAT THE RECIPIENT IS AT LEAST TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE BEFORE ENGAGING IN THAT COMMUNICATION OR DIALOGUE. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE METHOD OF AGE AFFIRMATION MAY INCLUDE USER CONFIRMATION, BIRTH DATE DISCLOSURE OR OTHER SIMILAR REGISTRATION METHODS.

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Sec. 8. Subject to the requirements of article IV, part 1, section 1, Constitution of Arizona, section 36-2817, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

36-2817. Medical marijuana fund; private donations; fund transfers; use of monies

- A. The medical marijuana fund is established consisting of fees collected, civil penalties imposed and private donations received under this chapter. The department shall administer the fund. Monies in the fund are continuously appropriated.
- B. The director of the department may accept and spend private grants, gifts, donations, contributions and devises to assist in carrying out this chapter.
- C. Monies in the medical marijuana fund may be used to provide grants for marijuana clinical trials conducted pursuant to section 36-2822.
- D. Monies in the medical marijuana fund do not revert to the state general fund at the end of a fiscal year.
- E. On November 30, 2020, the director of the department shall transfer the following sums from the medical marijuana fund for the following purposes:
- 1. \$15,000,000 to the Arizona teachers academy fund established by section 15-1655.
- 2. \$10,000,000 to the department to fund the formation and operation of councils, commissions and programs dedicated to improving public health, including teen suicide prevention, the maternal mortality review program, improving youth health, substance abuse prevention, addressing adverse childhood experiences, the Arizona poison control system established pursuant to section 36-1161, the Arizona health improvement plan, the child fatality review team established pursuant to section 36-3501 and the chronic pain self management program.
- 3. \$10,000,000 to the governor's office of highway safety to distribute grants for the following purposes:
- (a) Reducing impaired driving, including conducting training programs and purchasing equipment for detecting, testing and enforcing laws against driving, flying or boating while impaired.
- (b) Equipment, training and personnel costs for dedicated traffic enforcement.
- 4. \$2,000,000 to the department to implement, carry out and enforce chapter 28.2 of this title.
- 5. \$4,000,000 to the department to distribute grants to qualified nonprofit entities that will provide outreach to individuals who may be eligible to file petitions for expungement pursuant to section 36-2862 and will assist with the expungement petition process. The department shall distribute grants pursuant to this paragraph on or before June 30, 2021.

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- 6. \$2,000,000 to the department of health services to develop and implement, in conjunction with the department of economic security and other state agencies, a social equity ownership program to promote the ownership and operation of marijuana establishments and marijuana testing facilities by individuals from communities disproportionately impacted by the enforcement of previous marijuana laws. For the purposes of this paragraph, "marijuana establishment" and "marijuana testing facility" have the same meanings prescribed in section 36-2850.
- 7. \$1,000,000 to the department to fund programs and grants to qualified nonprofit organizations for education and community outreach related to chapter 28.2 of this title.
- 8. \$1,000,000 to the smart and safe Arizona fund established by section 36-2856.
- F. After all costs incurred to implement, carry out and enforce this chapter and the rules adopted pursuant to this chapter are paid for fiscal year 2021-2022, the department shall transfer from the medical marijuana fund the following sums for the following purposes:
 - 1. \$1,250,000 to the department for suicide prevention.
- 2. \$1,250,000 to the Arizona health care cost containment system for suicide prevention.
- 3. \$2,000,000 to the institute for mental health research for research to improve mental health services, research and education in this state.
- 4. \$2,000,000 to the department for the primary care provider loan repayment program and the rural private primary care provider loan repayment program established by chapter 21 of this title. The department shall prioritize rural providers in the areas of mental health care and behavioral health care if feasible and appropriate.
- 5. \$2,000,000 to the board of medical student loans for the purposes of title 15, chapter 13, article 7. The board shall prioritize students who intend to practice in the area of psychiatry or other areas of practice that treat mental illness if feasible and appropriate.
- 6. \$5,000,000 to county public health departments, in proportion to the population of each county, for the purposes of addressing important public health issues and communities affected by drug addiction and incarceration.
- 7. \$1,000,000 to the department for the health care directives registry established pursuant to section 36-3291.
- ${\sf G.}$ Monies transferred pursuant to subsection ${\sf F}$ of this section do not revert to the state general fund.
- H. The director shall make a onetime transfer of \$250,000 from the medical marijuana fund to the department to provide grants for marijuana research studies pursuant to section 36-2812.

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- I. The director may use monies in the medical marijuana fund to contract with laboratories pursuant to section 36-2803, subsection $\frac{1}{1}$ K to comply with the proficiency testing requirements of this chapter for independent third-party laboratories and marijuana testing facilities. On or before July 1 of each year, the department shall report to the joint legislative budget committee expenditures made pursuant to this subsection for the preceding fiscal year.
- J. MONIES IN THE MEDICAL MARIJUANA FUND ESTABLISHED BY THIS SECTION AND THE SMART AND SAFE ARIZONA FUND ESTABLISHED BY SECTION 36-2856 MAY BE USED INTERCHANGEABLY TO IMPLEMENT AND ENFORCE THIS CHAPTER AND CHAPTER 28.2.
- Sec. 9. Subject to the requirements of article IV, part 1, section 1, Constitution of Arizona, section 36-2822, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

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36-2822. Arizona biomedical research centre; medical marijuana fund; grants; marijuana clinical trials; requirements; exemption
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- A. The Arizona biomedical research centre in the department shall provide competitive grants from monies in the medical marijuana fund established by section 36-2817 AND THE SMART AND SAFE ARIZONA FUND ESTABLISHED BY SECTION 36-2856 for marijuana clinical trials that are approved by the United States food and drug administration for evaluating both the safety and efficacy of using marijuana in humans and researching the impacts of marijuana interactions with prescription drugs, nonprescription drugs and illicit drugs.
- B. Clinical trials funded pursuant to subsection A of this section shall be conducted by Arizona-based researchers from nonprofit organizations or universities, be approved by the United States food and drug administration, the United States drug enforcement administration and an institutional review board and be publishable in peer-reviewed medical and public health journals. The centre shall prioritize randomized controlled clinical trials that study the treatment of autism, epilepsy, post-traumatic stress disorder and pain.
- C. Notwithstanding title 13, chapter 34, a person who receives a grant for a marijuana clinical trial pursuant to this section and any of the person's employees working on the clinical trial may not be charged with or prosecuted for possession of marijuana that is cultivated for medical use when the person is working on the clinical trial.
- D. The Arizona biomedical research centre may provide up to \$5,000,000 \$10,000,000 annually for five consecutive years from A COMBINATION OF the medical marijuana fund established by section 36-2817 AND THE SMART AND SAFE ARIZONA FUND ESTABLISHED BY SECTION 36-2856 to administer and award competitive grants pursuant to this section. The centre may not use more than five percent of these monies for administrative purposes.

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Sec. 10. Subject to the requirements of article IV, part 1, section 1, Constitution of Arizona, section 36-2854, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

36-2854. Rules; licensing; early applicants; fees; civil penalty; legal counsel

- A. The department shall adopt rules to implement and enforce this chapter and regulate marijuana, marijuana products, marijuana establishments and marijuana testing facilities. Those rules shall include requirements for:
- 1. Licensing marijuana establishments and marijuana testing facilities, including conducting investigations and background checks to determine eligibility for licensing for marijuana establishment and marijuana testing facility applicants, except that:
- (a) An application for a marijuana establishment license or marijuana testing facility license may not require the disclosure of the identity of any person who is entitled to a share of less than ten percent of the profits of an applicant that is a publicly traded corporation.
- (b) The department may not issue more than one marijuana establishment license for every ten pharmacies that have registered under section 32-1929, that have obtained a pharmacy permit from the Arizona board of pharmacy and that operate within this state.
- (c) Notwithstanding subdivision (b) of this paragraph, the department may issue a marijuana establishment license to not more than two marijuana establishments per county that contains no registered nonprofit medical marijuana dispensaries, or one marijuana establishment license per county that contains one registered nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary. Any license issued pursuant to this subdivision shall be for a fixed county and may not be relocated outside of that county.
- (d) The department shall accept applications for marijuana establishment licenses from early applicants beginning January 19, 2021 through March 9, 2021. Not later than sixty days after receiving an application pursuant to this subdivision, the department shall issue a marijuana establishment license to each qualified early applicant. If the department has not adopted final rules pursuant to this section at the time marijuana establishment licenses are issued pursuant to this subdivision, licensees shall comply with the rules adopted by the department to implement chapter 28.1 of this title except those that are inconsistent with this chapter.
- (e) After issuing marijuana establishment licenses to qualified early applicants, the department shall issue marijuana establishment licenses available under subdivisions (b) and (c) of this paragraph by random selection and according to rules adopted pursuant to this section. At least sixty days before any random selection, the department shall prominently publicize the random selection on its website and through

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 other means of general distribution intended to reach as many interested parties as possible and shall provide notice through an email notification system to which interested parties can subscribe.

- (f) Notwithstanding subdivisions (b) and (c) of this paragraph, and not later than six months after the department adopts final rules to implement a social equity ownership program pursuant to paragraph 9 of this subsection, the department shall issue twenty-six additional marijuana establishment licenses to entities that are qualified pursuant to the social equity ownership program.
- (g) Licenses issued by the department to marijuana establishments and marijuana testing facilities shall be valid for a period of two years. A dual licensee's initial renewal date, which will be the ongoing renewal date for both the dual licensee's marijuana establishment license and nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary registration, is the earlier of:
 - (i) The date of the marijuana establishment license renewal.
- (ii) The date of the nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary registration renewal.
- (h) Beginning September 29, 2021, The department may not issue a marijuana establishment or marijuana testing facility license to an applicant who has an ownership interest in an out-of-state marijuana establishment or marijuana testing facility, or the other state's equivalent, that has had its license revoked by the other state.
- 2. Licensing fees and renewal fees for marijuana establishments and marijuana testing facilities in amounts that are reasonable and related to the actual cost of processing applications for licenses and renewals and that do not exceed five times the fees prescribed by the department to register or renew a nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary.
- 3. The security of marijuana establishments and marijuana testing facilities.
- 4. Marijuana establishments to safely cultivate, process and manufacture marijuana and marijuana products. Not later than December 31, 2023, the department shall require licensees to procure, develop, acquire and maintain a system to track marijuana and marijuana products at all points of cultivation, manufacturing and sale. The system developed and maintained pursuant to this paragraph shall:
- (a) Ensure an accurate accounting and reporting of the production, processing and sale of marijuana and marijuana products.
 - (b) Ensure compliance with rules adopted by the department.
 - (c) Be capable of tracking, at a minimum:
- (i) The propagation of immature marijuana plants and the production of marijuana by a marijuana establishment.
- (ii) The processing of marijuana and marijuana products by a marijuana establishment.
- (iii) The sale and purchase of marijuana and marijuana products between licensees.

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- (iv) The transfer of marijuana and marijuana products between premises for which licenses have been issued.
 - (v) The disposal of marijuana waste.
- (vi) The identity of the person making the entry in the system and the time, date and location of each entry into the system, including any corrections or changes to that information.
- (vii) Any other information that the department determines is reasonably necessary to ENSURE ACCURACY, PROVIDE FOR CHAIN OF CUSTODY OF THE INFORMATION AND FORECLOSE DATA TAMPERING, HUMAN ERROR OR INTENTIONAL MISREPORTING AND TO accomplish the duties, functions and powers of the department.
- (d) Contain a transactional stamp to ensure accuracy, provide for chain of custody of the information and foreclose tampering of the data, human error or intentional misreporting.
- 5. Tracking, testing, labeling consistent with section 36-2854.01 and packaging marijuana and marijuana products, including requirements that marijuana and marijuana products be:
- (a) Sold to consumers in clearly and conspicuously labeled containers that contain accurate warnings regarding the use of marijuana or marijuana products.
- (b) Placed in child-resistant packaging on exit from a marijuana establishment.
- 6. Forms of government-issued identification that are acceptable by a marijuana establishment verifying a consumer's age and procedures related to verifying a consumer's age consistent with section 4-241. Until the department adopts final rules related to verifying a consumer's age, marijuana establishments shall comply with the proof of legal age requirements prescribed in section 4-241.
- 7. The potency of edible marijuana products that may be sold to consumers by marijuana establishments at reasonable levels on consideration of industry standards, except that the rules:
- (a) Shall limit the strength of edible marijuana products to not more than ten milligrams of tetrahydrocannabinol per serving or one hundred milligrams of tetrahydrocannabinol per package.
- (b) Shall require that if a marijuana product contains more than one serving, it must be delineated or scored into standard serving sizes and homogenized to ensure uniform disbursement throughout the marijuana product.
- 8. Ensuring the health, safety and training of employees of marijuana establishments and marijuana testing facilities.
- 9. The creation and implementation of a social equity ownership program to promote the ownership and operation of marijuana establishments and marijuana testing facilities by individuals from communities disproportionately impacted by the enforcement of previous marijuana laws.

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- 10. Prohibiting a marijuana testing facility from having any direct or indirect familial relationship with or financial ownership interest in a marijuana establishment or related marijuana business entity or management company. The rules shall include prohibiting a marijuana establishment from having any direct or indirect familial relationship with or financial ownership interest in a marijuana testing facility or related marijuana business entity or management company.
- 11. Requiring marijuana establishments to display in a conspicuous location a sign that warns pregnant women about the potential dangers to fetuses caused by smoking or ingesting marijuana while pregnant or to infants while breastfeeding and the risk of being reported to the department of child safety during pregnancy or at the birth of the child by persons who are required to report. The rules shall include the specific warning language that must be included on the sign. The cost and display of the sign required by rule shall be borne by the marijuana establishment.
 - B. The department may:
- 1. Subject to title 41, chapter 6, article 10, deny any application submitted or deny, suspend or revoke, in whole or in part, any registration or license issued under this chapter if the registered or licensed party or an officer, agent or employee of the registered or licensed party does any of the following:
- (a) Violates this chapter or any rule adopted pursuant to this chapter.
- (b) Has been, is or may continue to be in substantial violation of the requirements for licensing or registration and, as a result, the health or safety of the general public is in immediate danger.
- 2. Subject to title 41, chapter 6, article 10, and unless another penalty is provided elsewhere in this chapter, assess a civil penalty against a person that violates this chapter or any rule adopted pursuant to this chapter in an amount not to exceed \$2,000 for each violation. Each day a violation occurs constitutes a separate violation. In determining the amount of a civil penalty assessed against a person, the department shall consider all of the factors set forth in section 36-2816, subsection H. All civil penalties collected by the department pursuant to this paragraph shall be deposited in the smart and safe Arizona fund established by section 36-2856.
- 3. At any time during regular hours of operation, visit and inspect a marijuana establishment, marijuana testing facility or dual licensee to determine if it complies with this chapter and rules adopted pursuant to this chapter. The department shall make at least one unannounced visit annually to each facility licensed pursuant to this chapter.
- 4. Adopt any other rules that are not expressly stated in this section and that are necessary to ensure the safe and responsible

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cultivation, sale, processing, manufacture, testing and transport of marijuana and marijuana products.

- C. Until the department adopts rules permitting and regulating delivery by marijuana establishments pursuant to subsection D of this section, delivery is unlawful under this chapter.
- D. On or after January 1, 2023, the department may, and not later than January 1, 2025 the department shall, adopt rules to permit and regulate delivery by marijuana establishments. The rules shall:
- 1. Require that delivery and the marijuana and marijuana products to be delivered originate from a designated retail location of a marijuana establishment and only after an order is made with the marijuana establishment by a consumer.
- 2. Prohibit delivery to any property owned or leased by the United States, this state, a political subdivision of this state or the Arizona board of regents.
- 3. Limit the amount of marijuana and marijuana products based on retail price that may be in a delivery vehicle during a single trip from the designated retail location of a marijuana establishment.
- 4. Prohibit extra or unallocated marijuana or marijuana products in delivery vehicles.
- 5. Require that deliveries be made only by marijuana facility agents in unmarked vehicles that are equipped with a global positioning system or similar location tracking system and video surveillance and recording equipment, and that contain a locked compartment in which marijuana and marijuana products must be stored.
- 6. Require delivery logs necessary to ensure compliance with this subsection and rules adopted pursuant to this subsection.
- 7. Require inspections to ensure compliance with this subsection and rules adopted pursuant to this subsection.
- 8. Include any other provisions necessary to ensure safe and restricted delivery.
- 9. Require dual licensees to comply with the rules adopted pursuant to this subsection.
- E. Except as provided in subsection D of this section, the department may not permit delivery of marijuana or marijuana products under this chapter by any individual or entity. In addition to any other penalty imposed by law, an individual or entity that delivers marijuana or marijuana products in a manner that is not authorized by this chapter shall pay a civil penalty of \$20,000 per violation to the smart and safe Arizona fund established by section 36-2856. This subsection may be enforced by the attorney general.
- F. All rules adopted by the department pursuant to this section shall be consistent with the purpose of this chapter.

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- G. The department may not adopt any rule that:
- 1. Prohibits the operation of marijuana establishments, either expressly or through requirements that make the operation of a marijuana establishment unduly burdensome.
- 2. Prohibits or interferes with the ability of a dual licensee to operate a marijuana establishment and a nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary at shared locations.
- H. Notwithstanding section 41-192, the department may employ legal counsel and make an expenditure or incur an indebtedness for legal services for the purposes of:
- 1. Defending this chapter or rules adopted pursuant to this chapter.
- 2. Defending chapter 28.1 of this title or rules adopted pursuant to chapter 28.1 of this title.
- I. The department shall deposit all license fees, application fees and renewal fees paid to the department pursuant to this chapter in the smart and safe Arizona fund established by section 36-2856.
- J. On request, the department OF HEALTH SERVICES shall share with the department of revenue information regarding a marijuana establishment, marijuana testing facility or dual licensee, including its name, physical address, cultivation site and transaction privilege tax license number.
 - K. Notwithstanding any other law, the department may:
- 1. License an independent third-party laboratory to also operate as a marijuana testing facility.
 - 2. Operate a marijuana testing facility.
- L. The department shall maintain and publish a current list of all marijuana establishments and marijuana testing facilities by name and license number.
- M. Notwithstanding any other law, the issuance of an occupational, professional or other regulatory license or certification to a person by a jurisdiction or regulatory authority outside this state does not entitle that person to be issued a marijuana establishment license, a marijuana testing facility license, or any other license, registration or certification under this chapter.
- N. Until the department adopts rules as required by subsection A, paragraph $10\ \text{of}$ this section:
- 1. A marijuana testing facility is prohibited from having any direct or indirect familial relationship with or financial ownership interest in a marijuana establishment or related marijuana business entity or management company.
- 2. A marijuana establishment is prohibited from having any direct or indirect familial relationship with or financial ownership interest in a marijuana testing facility or related marijuana business entity or management company.

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 Sec. 11. Subject to the requirements of article IV, part 1, section 1, Constitution of Arizona, section 36-2854.01, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

36-2854.01. Marijuana products; labeling; packaging

- A. Not later than December 31, 2023, any marijuana product packaging labeled for sale shall include a consumer scannable tetrahydrocannabinol quick response code or similar technology linking to a webpage that displays all of the following for the specific marijuana product:
 - 1. The date of harvest of the marijuana.
- 2. The tetrahydrocannabinol strain of the marijuana OR MARIJUANA PRODUCT.
- 3. The tetrahydrocannabinol extraction method used to extract the tetrahydrocannabinol from the marijuana PRODUCT.
- 4. A laboratory report of impurities containing at least heavy metals and agrochemicals.
 - 4. THE TEST RESULTS FOR THE MARIJUANA OR MARIJUANA PRODUCT.
 - 5. The date of manufacture of the marijuana product.
- 6. The distribution chain, including at least a point of intended sale.
- 7. A warning that states, "using marijuana during pregnancy could cause birth defects or other health issues to your unborn child."
 - 6. REQUIRED WARNINGS AS DETERMINED BY THE DEPARTMENT.
- 7. A WARNING THAT STATES, "KEEP ALL MARIJUANA PRODUCTS SAFE AND AWAY FROM CHILDREN. IF INGESTED, CALL POISON CONTROL: (800) 222-1222."
- B. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL DETERMINE AND ADOPT RULES REGARDING REQUIRED INFORMATION FOR THE MARIJUANA OR MARIJUANA PRODUCT LABEL AND THE WEBPAGE LINKED TO THE QUICK RESPONSE CODE INCLUDED ON THE LABEL. INFORMATION ON THE WEBPAGE SHALL SATISFY ANY LABELING REQUIREMENTS PRESCRIBED IN THIS CHAPTER.
- Sec. 12. Subject to the requirements of article IV, part 1, section 1, Constitution of Arizona, section 36-2856, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:
 - 36-2856. <u>Smart and safe Arizona fund; disposition of monies;</u> exemption

A. The smart and safe Arizona fund is established consisting of all monies deposited pursuant to sections 36-2854, 42-5452 and 42-5503, private donations and interest earned on those monies. Monies in the fund are continuously appropriated. Monies in the fund and its accounts may not be transferred to any other fund except as provided in this section, do not revert to the state general fund and are exempt from the provisions of section 35-190 relating to the lapsing of appropriations. The state treasurer shall administer the fund.

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- B. All monies in the smart and safe Arizona fund must first be spent, and the state treasurer shall transfer monies from the fund, to pay:
- 1. The actual reasonable costs incurred by the department to implement, carry out and enforce this chapter and rules adopted pursuant to this chapter.
- 2. The actual reasonable costs incurred by the department of revenue to impose and enforce the tax authorized and levied by section 42-5452.
- 3. The actual reasonable costs incurred by the supreme court and the department of public safety to process petitions for expungement and expungement orders pursuant to section 36-2862 and to otherwise implement section 36-2862.
- 4. The actual reasonable costs incurred by the state treasurer to administer the fund.
- 5. Any other mandatory expenditure of state revenues required by this chapter to implement or enforce the provisions of this chapter.
- C. The state treasurer may prescribe forms necessary to make transfers from the smart and safe Arizona fund pursuant to subsection B of this section.
- D. On or before June 30 and December 31 of each year, the state treasurer shall transfer all monies in the smart and safe Arizona fund in excess of the amounts paid pursuant to subsection B of this section as follows:
- 1. $\frac{33}{33}$ THIRTY-THREE percent to community college districts and provisional community college districts, but not to community college tuition financing districts established pursuant to section 15-1409, for the purposes of investing in and providing workforce development programs, job training, career and technical education, and science, technology, engineering and math MATHEMATICS programs, as follows:
- (a) $\frac{15}{15}$ FIFTEEN percent of the $\frac{33}{15}$ THIRTY-THREE percent divided equally between each community college district.
- (b) 0.5 percent of the 33 THIRTY-THREE percent divided equally between each provisional community college district, if one or more provisional community college districts exist.
- (c) The remainder to community college districts and provisional community colleges districts in proportion to each district's full-time equivalent student enrollment percentage of the total statewide audited full-time equivalent student enrollment in the preceding fiscal year prescribed in section 15-1466.01.
- 2. 31.4 percent to municipal police departments, municipal fire departments, fire districts established pursuant to title 48, chapter 5 and county sheriffs' departments in proportion to the number of enrolled members for each such agency in the public safety personnel retirement system established by title 38, chapter 5, article 4 and the public safety

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personnel defined contribution RETIREMENT plan established by PURSUANT TO title 38, chapter 5, article 4.1, for personnel costs.

- 3. 25.4 percent to the Arizona highway user revenue fund established by section 28-6533.
- 4. $\frac{10}{10}$ TEN percent to the justice reinvestment fund established by section 36-2863.
- 5. 0.2 percent to the attorney general to use to enforce this chapter, or to grant to localities to enforce this chapter.
 - E. The monies transferred and received pursuant to this section:
- 1. Are in addition to any other appropriation, transfer or other allocation of monies and may not supplant, replace or cause a reduction in other funding sources.
- 2. Are not considered local revenues for the purposes of article IX, sections 20 and 21, Constitution of Arizona.
- F. MONIES IN THE SMART AND SAFE ARIZONA FUND ESTABLISHED BY THIS SECTION AND THE MEDICAL MARIJUANA FUND ESTABLISHED BY SECTION 36-2817 MAY BE USED INTERCHANGEABLY TO IMPLEMENT AND ENFORCE THIS CHAPTER AND CHAPTER 28.1.
- Sec. 13. Section 42-5061, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

42-5061. Retail classification; definitions

- A. The retail classification is comprised of the business of selling tangible personal property at retail. The tax base for the retail classification is the gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from the business. The tax imposed on the retail classification does not apply to the gross proceeds of sales or gross income from:
- 1. Professional or personal service occupations or businesses that involve sales or transfers of tangible personal property only as inconsequential elements.
- 2. Services rendered in addition to selling tangible personal property at retail.
- 3. Sales of warranty or service contracts. The storage, use or consumption of tangible personal property provided under the conditions of such contracts is subject to tax under section 42-5156.
- 4. Sales of tangible personal property by any nonprofit organization organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes and recognized by the United States internal revenue service under section 501(c)(3) of the internal revenue code.
- 5. Sales to persons engaged in business classified under the restaurant classification of articles used by human beings for food, drink or condiment, whether simple, mixed or compounded.
- 6. Business activity that is properly included in any other business classification that is taxable under this article.
 - 7. The sale of stocks and bonds.

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- 8. Drugs and medical oxygen, including delivery hose, mask or tent, regulator and tank, if prescribed by a member of the medical, dental or veterinarian profession who is licensed by law to administer such substances.
- 9. Prosthetic appliances as defined in section 23-501 and as prescribed or recommended by a health professional who is licensed pursuant to title 32, chapter 7, 8, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 or 29.
 - 10. Insulin, insulin syringes and glucose test strips.
 - 11. Prescription eyeglasses or contact lenses.
 - 12. Hearing aids as defined in section 36-1901.
- 13. Durable medical equipment that has a centers for medicare and medicaid services common procedure code, is designated reimbursable by medicare, is prescribed by a person who is licensed under title 32, chapter 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 17 or 29, can withstand repeated use, is primarily and customarily used to serve a medical purpose, is generally not useful to a person in the absence of illness or injury and is appropriate for use in the home.
- 14. Sales of motor vehicles to nonresidents of this state for use outside this state if either of the following apply APPLIES:
- (a) The motor vehicle dealer ships or delivers the motor vehicle to a destination out of this state.
- (b) The vehicle, trailer or semitrailer has a gross vehicle weight rating of more than ten thousand pounds, is used or maintained to transport property in the furtherance of interstate commerce and otherwise meets the definition of commercial motor vehicle as defined in section 28-5201.
- 15. Food, as provided in and subject to the conditions of article 3 of this chapter and sections 42-5074 and 42-6017.
- 16. Items purchased with United States department of agriculture coupons issued under the supplemental nutrition assistance program pursuant to the food and nutrition act of 2008 (P.L. 88-525; 78 Stat. 703; 7 United States Code sections 2011 through 2036b) by the United States department of agriculture food and nutrition service or food instruments issued under section 17 of the child nutrition act (P.L. 95-627; 92 Stat. 3603; P.L. 99-661, section 4302; P.L. 111-296; 42 United States Code section 1786).
- 17. Textbooks by any bookstore that are required by any state university or community college.
- 18. Food and drink to a person that is engaged in a business that is classified under the restaurant classification and that provides such food and drink without monetary charge to its employees for their own consumption on the premises during the employees' hours of employment.
- 19. Articles of food, drink or condiment and accessory tangible personal property to a school district or charter school if such articles and accessory tangible personal property are to be prepared and served to

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 persons for consumption on the premises of a public school within the district or on the premises of the charter school during school hours.

- 20. Lottery tickets or shares pursuant to title 5, chapter 5.1, article 1.
- 21. The sale of cash equivalents and the sale of precious metal bullion and monetized bullion to the ultimate consumer, but the sale of coins or other forms of money for manufacture into jewelry or works of art is subject to the tax and the gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from the redemption of any cash equivalent by the holder as a means of payment for goods or services that are taxable under this article is subject to the tax. For the purposes of this paragraph:
- (a) "Cash equivalents" means items or intangibles, whether or not negotiable, that are sold to one or more persons, through which a value denominated in money is purchased in advance and may be redeemed in full or in part for tangible personal property, intangibles or services. Cash equivalents include gift cards, stored value cards, gift certificates, vouchers, traveler's checks, money orders or other instruments, orders or electronic mechanisms, such as an electronic code, personal identification number or digital payment mechanism, or any other prepaid intangible right to acquire tangible personal property, intangibles or services in the future, whether from the seller of the cash equivalent or from another person. Cash equivalents do not include either of the following:
- (i) Items or intangibles that are sold to one or more persons, through which a value is not denominated in money.
- (ii) Prepaid calling cards or prepaid authorization numbers for telecommunications services made taxable by subsection P of this section.
- (b) "Monetized bullion" means coins and other forms of money that are manufactured from gold, silver or other metals and that have been or are used as a medium of exchange in this or another state, the United States or a foreign nation.
- (c) "Precious metal bullion" means precious metal, including gold, silver, platinum, rhodium and palladium, that has been smelted or refined so that its value depends on its contents and not on its form.
- 22. Motor vehicle fuel and use fuel that are subject to a tax imposed under title 28, chapter 16, article 1, sales of use fuel to a holder of a valid single trip use fuel tax permit issued under section 28-5739, sales of aviation fuel that are subject to the tax imposed under section 28-8344 and sales of jet fuel that are subject to the tax imposed under article 8 of this chapter.
- 23. Tangible personal property sold to a person engaged in the business of leasing or renting such property under the personal property rental classification if such property is to be leased or rented by such person.

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- 24. Tangible personal property sold in interstate or foreign commerce if prohibited from being so taxed by the constitution of the United States or the constitution of this state.
 - 25. Tangible personal property sold to:
 - (a) A qualifying hospital as defined in section 42-5001.
- (b) A qualifying health care organization as defined in section 42-5001 if the tangible personal property is used by the organization solely to provide health and medical related educational and charitable services.
- (c) A qualifying health care organization as defined in section 42-5001 if the organization is dedicated to providing educational, therapeutic, rehabilitative and family medical education training for blind and visually impaired children and children with multiple disabilities from the time of birth to age twenty-one.
- (d) A qualifying community health center as defined in section 42-5001.
- (e) A nonprofit charitable organization that has qualified under section 501(c)(3) of the internal revenue code and that regularly serves meals to the needy and indigent on a continuing basis at no cost.
- (f) For taxable periods beginning from and after June 30, 2001, a nonprofit charitable organization that has qualified under section 501(c)(3) of the internal revenue code and that provides residential apartment housing for low-income persons over sixty-two years of age in a facility that qualifies for a federal housing subsidy, if the tangible personal property is used by the organization solely to provide residential apartment housing for low-income persons over sixty-two years of age in a facility that qualifies for a federal housing subsidy.
- (g) A qualifying health sciences educational institution as defined in section 42-5001.
- (h) Any person representing or working on behalf of another person described in subdivisions (a) through (g) of this paragraph if the tangible personal property is incorporated or fabricated into a project described in section 42-5075, subsection 0.
- 26. Magazines or other periodicals or other publications by this state to encourage tourist travel.
 - 27. Tangible personal property sold to:
- (a) A person that is subject to tax under this article by reason of being engaged in business classified under section 42-5075 or to a subcontractor working under the control of a person engaged in business classified under section 42-5075, if the property so sold is any of the following:
- (i) Incorporated or fabricated by the person into any real property, structure, project, development or improvement as part of the business.

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- (ii) Incorporated or fabricated by the person into any project described in section 42-5075, subsection 0.
- (iii) Used in environmental response or remediation activities under section 42-5075, subsection B, paragraph 6.
- (b) A person that is not subject to tax under section 42-5075 and that has been provided a copy of a certificate under section 42-5009, subsection L, if the property so sold is incorporated or fabricated by the person into the real property, structure, project, development or improvement described in the certificate.
- 28. The sale of a motor vehicle to a nonresident of this state if the purchaser's state of residence does not allow a corresponding use tax exemption to the tax imposed by article 1 of this chapter and if the nonresident has secured a special ninety day nonresident registration permit for the vehicle as prescribed by sections 28-2154 and 28-2154.01.
- 29. Tangible personal property purchased in this state by a nonprofit charitable organization that has qualified under section 501(c)(3) of the United States internal revenue code and that engages in and uses such property exclusively in programs for persons with mental or physical disabilities if the programs are exclusively for training, job placement, rehabilitation or testing.
- 30. Sales of tangible personal property by a nonprofit organization that is exempt from taxation under section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4) or 501(c)(6) of the internal revenue code if the organization is associated with a major league baseball team or a national touring professional golfing association and no part of the organization's net earnings inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual. This paragraph does not apply to an organization that is owned, managed or controlled, in whole or in part, by a major league baseball team, or its owners, officers, employees or agents, or by a major league baseball association or professional golfing association, or its owners, officers, employees or agents, unless the organization conducted or operated exhibition events in this state before January 1, 2018 that were exempt from taxation under section 42-5073.
- 31. Sales of commodities, as defined by title 7 United States Code section 2, that are consigned for resale in a warehouse in this state in or from which the commodity is deliverable on a contract for future delivery subject to the rules of a commodity market regulated by the United States commodity futures trading commission.
- 32. Sales of tangible personal property by a nonprofit organization that is exempt from taxation under section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), 501(c)(6), 501(c)(7) or 501(c)(8) of the internal revenue code if the organization sponsors or operates a rodeo featuring primarily farm and ranch animals and no part of the organization's net earnings inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual.

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44 45 33. Sales of propagative materials to persons who use those items to commercially produce agricultural, horticultural, viticultural or floricultural crops in this state. For the purposes of this paragraph, "propagative materials":

(a) includes seeds, seedlings, roots, bulbs, liners, transplants, cuttings, soil and plant additives, agricultural minerals, auxiliary soil and plant substances, micronutrients, fertilizers, insecticides, herbicides, fungicides, soil fumigants, desiccants, rodenticides, adjuvants, plant nutrients and plant growth regulators.

(b) Except for use in commercially producing industrial hemp as defined in section 3-311, does not include any propagative materials used in producing any part, including seeds, of any plant of the genus cannabis.

- 34. Machinery, equipment, technology or related supplies that are only useful to assist a person with a physical disability as defined in section 46-191 or a person who has a developmental disability as defined in section 36-551 or has a head injury as defined in section 41-3201 to be more independent and functional.
- 35. Sales of natural gas or liquefied petroleum gas used to propel a motor vehicle.
- 36. Paper machine clothing, such as forming fabrics and dryer felts, sold to a paper manufacturer and directly used or consumed in paper manufacturing.
- 37. Coal, petroleum, coke, natural gas, virgin fuel oil and electricity sold to a qualified environmental technology manufacturer, producer or processor as defined in section 41-1514.02 and directly used or consumed in generating or providing on-site power or energy solely for environmental technology manufacturing, producing or processing environmental protection. This paragraph applies for twenty full consecutive calendar or fiscal years from the date the first paper manufacturing machine is placed in service. In the case of environmental technology manufacturer, producer or processor that does not manufacture paper, the time period begins with the date the first manufacturing, processing or production equipment is placed in service.
- 38. Sales of liquid, solid or gaseous chemicals manufacturing, processing, fabricating, mining, refining, metallurgical operations, research and development and, beginning on January 1, 1999, printing, if using or consuming the chemicals, alone or as part of an integrated system of chemicals, involves direct contact with the materials from which the product is produced for the purpose of causing or allowing a chemical or physical change to occur in the materials as part of the production process. This paragraph does not include chemicals that are consumed in activities such as packaging, or storage transportation but does not affect any deduction for such chemicals that is otherwise provided by this section. For the purposes of this

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 paragraph, "printing" means a commercial printing operation and includes job printing, engraving, embossing, copying and bookbinding.

- 39. Through December 31, 1994, personal property liquidation transactions, conducted by a personal property liquidator. From and after December 31, 1994, personal property liquidation transactions shall be taxable under this section provided that nothing in this subsection shall be construed to authorize the taxation of casual activities or transactions under this chapter. For the purposes of this paragraph:
- (a) "Personal property liquidation transaction" means a sale of personal property made by a personal property liquidator acting solely on behalf of the owner of the personal property sold at the dwelling of the owner or on the death of any owner, on behalf of the surviving spouse, if any, any devisee or heir or the personal representative of the estate of the deceased, if one has been appointed.
- (b) "Personal property liquidator" means a person who is retained to conduct a sale in a personal property liquidation transaction.
- 40. Sales of food, drink and condiment for consumption within the premises of any prison, jail or other institution under the jurisdiction of the state department of corrections, the department of public safety, the department of juvenile corrections or a county sheriff.
- 41. A motor vehicle and any repair and replacement parts and tangible personal property becoming a part of such motor vehicle sold to a motor carrier that is subject to a fee prescribed in title 28, chapter 16, article 4 and that is engaged in the business of leasing or renting such property.
 - 42. Sales of:
- (a) Livestock and poultry to persons engaging in the businesses of farming, ranching or producing livestock or poultry.
- (b) Livestock and poultry feed, salts, vitamins and other additives for livestock or poultry consumption that are sold to persons for use or consumption by their own livestock or poultry, for use or consumption in the businesses of farming, ranching and producing or feeding livestock, poultry, or livestock or poultry products or for use or consumption in noncommercial boarding of livestock. For the purposes of this paragraph, "poultry" includes ratites.
- 43. Sales of implants used as growth promotants and injectable medicines, not already exempt under paragraph 8 of this subsection, for livestock or poultry owned by or in possession of persons that are engaged in producing livestock, poultry, or livestock or poultry products or that are engaged in feeding livestock or poultry commercially. For the purposes of this paragraph, "poultry" includes ratites.
- 44. Sales of motor vehicles at auction to nonresidents of this state for use outside this state if the vehicles are shipped or delivered out of this state, regardless of where title to the motor vehicles passes or its free on board point.

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- 45. Tangible personal property sold to a person engaged in business and subject to tax under the transient lodging classification if the tangible personal property is a personal hygiene item or articles used by human beings for food, drink or condiment, except alcoholic beverages, that are furnished without additional charge to and intended to be consumed by the transient during the transient's occupancy.
- 46. Sales of alternative fuel, as defined in section 1-215, to a used oil fuel burner who has received a permit to burn used oil or used oil fuel under section 49-426 or 49-480.
- 47. Sales of materials that are purchased by or for publicly funded libraries, including school district libraries, charter school libraries, community college libraries, state university libraries or federal, state, county or municipal libraries, for use by the public as follows:
 - (a) Printed or photographic materials, beginning August 7, 1985.
 - (b) Electronic or digital media materials, beginning July 17, 1994.
- 48. Tangible personal property sold to a commercial airline and consisting of food, beverages and condiments and accessories used for serving the food and beverages, if those items are to be provided without additional charge to passengers for consumption in flight. For the purposes of this paragraph, "commercial airline" means a person holding a federal certificate of public convenience and necessity or foreign air carrier permit for air transportation to transport persons, property or United States mail in intrastate, interstate or foreign commerce.
- 49. Sales of alternative fuel vehicles if the vehicle was manufactured as a diesel fuel vehicle and converted to operate on alternative fuel and equipment that is installed in a conventional diesel fuel motor vehicle to convert the vehicle to operate on an alternative fuel, as defined in section 1-215.
- 50. Sales of any spirituous, vinous or malt liquor by a person that is licensed in this state as a wholesaler by the department of liquor licenses and control pursuant to title 4, chapter 2, article 1.
- 51. Sales of tangible personal property to be incorporated or installed as part of environmental response or remediation activities under section 42-5075, subsection B, paragraph 6.
- 52. Sales of tangible personal property by a nonprofit organization that is exempt from taxation under section 501(c)(6) of the internal revenue code if the organization produces, organizes or promotes cultural or civic related festivals or events and no part of the organization's net earnings inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual.
- 53. Application services that are designed to assess or test student learning or to promote curriculum design or enhancement purchased by or for any school district, charter school, community college or state university. For the purposes of this paragraph:
- (a) "Application services" means software applications provided remotely using hypertext transfer protocol or another network protocol.

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- (b) "Curriculum design or enhancement" means planning, implementing or reporting on courses of study, lessons, assignments or other learning activities.
- . Sales of motor vehicle fuel and use fuel to a qualified business under section 41-1516 for off-road use in harvesting, processing or transporting qualifying forest products removed from qualifying projects as defined in section 41-1516.
- . Sales of repair parts installed in equipment used directly by a qualified business under section 41-1516 in harvesting, processing or transporting qualifying forest products removed from qualifying projects as defined in section 41-1516.
- 56. Sales or other transfers of renewable energy credits or any other unit created to track energy derived from renewable energy resources. For the purposes of this paragraph, "renewable energy credit" means a unit created administratively by the corporation commission or governing body of a public power utility to track kilowatt hours of electricity derived from a renewable energy resource or the kilowatt hour equivalent of conventional energy resources displaced by distributed renewable energy resources.
- 57. Orthodontic devices dispensed by a dental professional who is licensed under title 32, chapter 11 to a patient as part of the practice of dentistry.
- 58. Sales of tangible personal property incorporated or fabricated into a project described in section 42-5075, subsection 0, that is located within the exterior boundaries of an Indian reservation for which the owner, as defined in section 42-5075, of the project is an Indian tribe or an affiliated Indian. For the purposes of this paragraph:
- (a) "Affiliated Indian" means an individual Native American Indian who is duly registered on the tribal rolls of the Indian tribe for whose benefit the Indian reservation was established.
- (b) "Indian reservation" means all lands that are within the limits of areas set aside by the United States for the exclusive use and occupancy of an Indian tribe by treaty, law or executive order and that are recognized as Indian reservations by the United States department of the interior.
- (c) "Indian tribe" means any organized nation, tribe, band or community that is recognized as an Indian tribe by the United States department of the interior and includes any entity formed under the laws of the Indian tribe.
- 59. Sales of works of fine art, as defined in section 44-1771, at an art auction or gallery in this state to nonresidents of this state for use outside this state if the vendor ships or delivers the work of fine art to a destination outside this state.

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- 60. Sales of tangible personal property by a marketplace seller that are facilitated by a marketplace facilitator in which the marketplace facilitator has remitted or will remit the applicable tax to the department pursuant to section 42-5014.
- B. In addition to the deductions from the tax base prescribed by subsection A of this section, the gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from sales of the following categories of tangible personal property shall be deducted from the tax base:
- used directly in 1. Machinery, or equipment, manufacturing, printing, processing. fabricating, job refining or metallurgical The terms "manufacturing", "processing", "fabricating", "job printing", "refining" and "metallurgical" as used in this paragraph refer to and include those operations commonly understood within their ordinary "Metallurgical meaning. operations" includes leaching, milling, precipitating, smelting and refining.
- 2. Mining machinery, or equipment, used directly in the process of extracting ores or minerals from the earth for commercial purposes, including equipment required to prepare the materials for extraction and handling, loading or transporting such extracted material to the surface. "Mining" includes underground, surface and open pit operations for extracting ores and minerals.
- 3. Tangible personal property sold to persons engaged in business classified under the telecommunications classification, including a person representing or working on behalf of such a person in a manner described in section 42-5075, subsection 0, and consisting of central office switching equipment, switchboards, private branch exchange equipment, microwave radio equipment and carrier equipment including optical fiber, coaxial cable and other transmission media that are components of carrier systems.
- 4. Machinery, equipment or transmission lines used directly in producing or transmitting electrical power, but not including distribution. Transformers and control equipment used at transmission substation sites constitute equipment used in producing or transmitting electrical power.
- 5. Machinery and equipment used directly for energy storage for later electrical use. For the purposes of this paragraph:
- (a) "Electric utility scale" means a person that is engaged in a business activity described in section 42-5063, subsection A or such person's equipment or wholesale electricity suppliers.
- (b) "Energy storage" means commercially available technology for electric utility scale that is capable of absorbing energy, storing energy for a period of time and thereafter dispatching the energy and that uses mechanical, chemical or thermal processes to store energy.

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- (c) "Machinery and equipment used directly" means all machinery and equipment that are used for electric energy storage from the point of receipt of such energy in order to facilitate storage of the electric energy to the point where the electric energy is released.
- 6. Neat animals, horses, asses, sheep, ratites, swine or goats used or to be used as breeding or production stock, including sales of breedings or ownership shares in such animals used for breeding or production.
- 7. Pipes or valves four inches in diameter or larger used to transport oil, natural gas, artificial gas, water or coal slurry, including compressor units, regulators, machinery and equipment, fittings, seals and any other part that is used in operating the pipes or valves.
- 8. Aircraft, navigational and communication instruments and other accessories and related equipment sold to:
 - (a) A person:
- (i) Holding, or exempted by federal law from obtaining, a federal certificate of public convenience and necessity for use as, in conjunction with or becoming part of an aircraft to be used to transport persons for hire in intrastate, interstate or foreign commerce.
- (ii) That is certificated or licensed under federal aviation administration regulations (14 Code of Federal Regulations part 121 or 135) as a scheduled or unscheduled carrier of persons for hire for use as or in conjunction with or becoming part of an aircraft to be used to transport persons for hire in intrastate, interstate or foreign commerce.
- (iii) Holding a foreign air carrier permit for air transportation for use as or in conjunction with or becoming a part of aircraft to be used to transport persons, property or United States mail in intrastate, interstate or foreign commerce.
- (iv) Operating an aircraft to transport persons in any manner for compensation or hire, or for use in a fractional ownership program that meets the requirements of federal aviation administration regulations (14 Code of Federal Regulations part 91, subpart K), including as an air carrier, a foreign air carrier or a commercial operator or under a restricted category, within the meaning of 14 Code of Federal Regulations, regardless of whether the operation or aircraft is regulated or certified under part 91, 119, 121, 133, 135, 136 or 137, or another part of 14 Code of Federal Regulations.
- (v) That will lease or otherwise transfer operational control, within the meaning of federal aviation administration operations specification A008, or its successor, of the aircraft, instruments or accessories to one or more persons described in item (i), (ii), (iii) or (iv) of this subdivision, subject to section 42-5009, subsection Q.
 - (b) Any foreign government.

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- (c) Persons who are not residents of this state and who will not use such property in this state other than in removing such property from this state. This subdivision also applies to corporations that are not incorporated in this state, regardless of maintaining a place of business in this state, if the principal corporate office is located outside this state and the property will not be used in this state other than in removing the property from this state.
- 9. Machinery, tools, equipment and related supplies used or consumed directly in repairing, remodeling or maintaining aircraft, aircraft engines or aircraft component parts by or on behalf of a certificated or licensed carrier of persons or property.
- 10. Railroad rolling stock, rails, ties and signal control equipment used directly to transport persons or property.
- 11. Machinery or equipment used directly to drill for oil or gas or used directly in the process of extracting oil or gas from the earth for commercial purposes.
- 12. Buses or other urban mass transit vehicles that are used directly to transport persons or property for hire or pursuant to a governmentally adopted and controlled urban mass transportation program and that are sold to bus companies holding a federal certificate of convenience and necessity or operated by any city, town or other governmental entity or by any person contracting with such governmental entity as part of a governmentally adopted and controlled program to provide urban mass transportation.
 - 13. Groundwater measuring devices required under section 45-604.
- 14. Machinery and equipment consisting of agricultural aircraft, tractors, off-highway vehicles, tractor-drawn implements, self-powered implements, machinery and equipment necessary for extracting milk, and machinery and equipment necessary for cooling milk and livestock, and drip irrigation lines not already exempt under paragraph 7 of this subsection and that are used for commercial production of agricultural, horticultural, viticultural and floricultural crops and products in this state. For the purposes of this paragraph:
- (a) "Off-highway vehicles" means off-highway vehicles as defined in section 28-1171 that are modified at the time of sale to function as a tractor or to tow tractor-drawn implements and that are not equipped with a modified exhaust system to increase horsepower or speed or an engine that is more than one thousand cubic centimeters or that have a maximum speed of fifty miles per hour or less.
- (b) "Self-powered implements" includes machinery and equipment that are electric-powered.
- 15. Machinery or equipment used in research and development. For the purposes of this paragraph, "research and development" means basic and applied research in the sciences and engineering, and designing, developing or testing prototypes, processes or new products, including

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research and development of computer software that is embedded in or an integral part of the prototype or new product or that is required for machinery or equipment otherwise exempt under this section to function effectively. Research and development do not include manufacturing quality control, routine consumer product testing, market research, sales promotion, sales service, research in social sciences or psychology, computer software research that is not included in the definition of research and development, or other nontechnological activities or technical services.

- 16. Tangible personal property that is used by either of the following to receive, store, convert, produce, generate, decode, encode, control or transmit telecommunications information:
- (a) Any direct broadcast satellite television or data transmission service that operates pursuant to 47 Code of Federal Regulations part 25.
- (b) Any satellite television or data transmission facility, if both of the following conditions are met:
- (i) Over two-thirds of the transmissions, measured in megabytes, transmitted by the facility during the test period were transmitted to or on behalf of one or more direct broadcast satellite television or data transmission services that operate pursuant to 47 Code of Federal Regulations part 25.
- (ii) Over two-thirds of the transmissions, measured in megabytes, transmitted by or on behalf of those direct broadcast television or data transmission services during the test period were transmitted by the facility to or on behalf of those services. For the purposes of subdivision (b) of this paragraph, "test period" means the three hundred sixty-five day period beginning on the later of the date on which the tangible personal property is purchased or the date on which the direct broadcast satellite television or data transmission service first transmits information to its customers.
- 17. Clean rooms that are used for manufacturing, processing, fabrication or research and development, as defined in paragraph 15 of this subsection, of semiconductor products. For the purposes of this paragraph, "clean room" means all property that comprises or creates an environment where humidity, temperature, particulate matter and contamination are precisely controlled within specified parameters, without regard to whether the property is actually contained within that environment or whether any of the property is affixed to or incorporated into real property. Clean room:
- (a) Includes the integrated systems, fixtures, piping, movable partitions, lighting and all property that is necessary or adapted to reduce contamination or to control airflow, temperature, humidity, chemical purity or other environmental conditions or manufacturing tolerances, as well as the production machinery and equipment operating in conjunction with the clean room environment.

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- (b) Does not include the building or other permanent, nonremovable component of the building that houses the clean room environment.
- 18. Machinery and equipment used directly in feeding poultry, environmentally controlling housing for poultry, moving eggs within a production and packaging facility or sorting or cooling eggs. This exemption does not apply to vehicles used for transporting eggs.
- 19. Machinery or equipment, including related structural components and containment structures, that is employed in connection with manufacturing, processing, fabricating, job printing, refining, mining, natural gas pipelines, metallurgical operations, telecommunications, producing or transmitting electricity or research and development and that is used directly to meet or exceed rules or regulations adopted by the federal energy regulatory commission, the United States environmental protection agency, the United States nuclear regulatory commission, the Arizona department of environmental quality or a political subdivision of this state to prevent, monitor, control or reduce land, water or air pollution. For the purposes of this paragraph, "containment structure" means a structure that prevents, monitors, controls or reduces noxious or harmful discharge into the environment.
- 20. Machinery and equipment that are sold to a person engaged in commercially producing livestock, livestock products or agricultural, horticultural, viticultural or floricultural crops or products in this state, including a person representing or working on behalf of such a person in a manner described in section 42-5075, subsection 0, if the machinery and equipment are used directly and primarily to prevent, monitor, control or reduce air, water or land pollution.
- 21. Machinery or equipment that enables a television station to originate and broadcast or to receive and broadcast digital television signals and that was purchased to facilitate compliance with the telecommunications act of 1996 (P.L. 104-104; 110 Stat. 56; 47 United States Code section 336) and the federal communications commission order issued April 21, 1997 (47 Code of Federal Regulations part 73). This paragraph does not exempt any of the following:
- (a) Repair or replacement parts purchased for the machinery or equipment described in this paragraph.
- (b) Machinery or equipment purchased to replace machinery or equipment for which an exemption was previously claimed and taken under this paragraph.
- (c) Any machinery or equipment purchased after the television station has ceased analog broadcasting, or purchased after November 1, 2009, whichever occurs first.
- 22. Qualifying equipment that is purchased from and after June 30, 2004 through June 30, 2024 by a qualified business under section 41-1516 for harvesting or processing qualifying forest products removed from qualifying projects as defined in section 41-1516. To qualify for this

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 deduction, the qualified business at the time of purchase must present its certification approved by the department.

- 23. Computer data center equipment sold to the owner, operator or qualified colocation tenant of a computer data center that is certified by the Arizona commerce authority under section 41-1519 or an authorized agent of the owner, operator or qualified colocation tenant during the qualification period for use in the qualified computer data center. For the purposes of this paragraph, "computer data center", "computer data center equipment", "qualification period" and "qualified colocation tenant" have the same meanings prescribed in section 41-1519.
- C. The deductions provided by subsection B of this section do not include sales of:
- 1. Expendable materials. For the purposes of this paragraph, expendable materials do not include any of the categories of tangible personal property specified in subsection B of this section regardless of the cost or useful life of that property.
 - 2. Janitorial equipment and hand tools.
 - 3. Office equipment, furniture and supplies.
- 4. Tangible personal property used in selling or distributing activities, other than the telecommunications transmissions described in subsection B, paragraph 16 of this section.
- 5. Motor vehicles required to be licensed by this state, except buses or other urban mass transit vehicles specifically exempted pursuant to subsection B, paragraph 12 of this section, without regard to the use of such motor vehicles.
- 6. Shops, buildings, docks, depots and all other materials of whatever kind or character not specifically included as exempt.
 - 7. Motors and pumps used in drip irrigation systems.
- 8. Machinery and equipment or other tangible personal property used by a contractor in performing a contract.
- D. In addition to the deductions from the tax base prescribed by subsection A of this section, there shall be deducted from the tax base the gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from sales of machinery, equipment, materials and other tangible personal property used directly and predominantly to construct a qualified environmental technology manufacturing, producing or processing facility as described in section 41-1514.02. This subsection applies for ten full consecutive calendar or fiscal years after the start of initial construction.
- E. In computing the tax base, gross proceeds of sales or gross income from retail sales of heavy trucks and trailers does not include any amount attributable to federal excise taxes imposed by 26 United States Code section 4051.
- F. If a person is engaged in an occupation or business to which subsection A of this section applies, the person's books shall be kept so as to show separately the gross proceeds of sales of tangible personal

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 property and the gross income from sales of services, and if not so kept the tax shall be imposed on the total of the person's gross proceeds of sales of tangible personal property and gross income from services.

- G. If a person is engaged in the business of selling tangible personal property at both wholesale and retail, the tax under this section applies only to the gross proceeds of the sales made other than at wholesale if the person's books are kept so as to show separately the gross proceeds of sales of each class, and if the books are not so kept, the tax under this section applies to the gross proceeds of every sale so made.
- H. A person who engages in manufacturing, baling, crating, boxing, barreling, canning, bottling, sacking, preserving, processing or otherwise preparing for sale or commercial use any livestock, agricultural or horticultural product or any other product, article, substance or commodity and who sells the product of such business at retail in this state is deemed, as to such sales, to be engaged in business classified under the retail classification. This subsection does not apply to:
- 1. Agricultural producers who are owners, proprietors or tenants of agricultural lands, orchards, farms or gardens where agricultural products are grown, raised or prepared for market and who are marketing their own agricultural products.
 - 2. Businesses classified under the:
 - (a) Transporting classification.
 - (b) Utilities classification.
 - (c) Telecommunications classification.
 - (d) Pipeline classification.
 - (e) Private car line classification.
 - (f) Publication classification.
 - (g) Job printing classification.
 - (h) Prime contracting classification.
 - (i) Restaurant classification.
- I. The gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from the following shall be deducted from the tax base for the retail classification:
- 1. Sales made directly to the United States government or its departments or agencies by a manufacturer, modifier, assembler or repairer.
- 2. Sales made directly to a manufacturer, modifier, assembler or repairer if such sales are of any ingredient or component part of products sold directly to the United States government or its departments or agencies by the manufacturer, modifier, assembler or repairer.
- 3. Overhead materials or other tangible personal property that is used in performing a contract between the United States government and a manufacturer, modifier, assembler or repairer, including property used in performing a subcontract with a government contractor who is a

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manufacturer, modifier, assembler or repairer, to which title passes to the government under the terms of the contract or subcontract.

- 4. Sales of overhead materials or other tangible personal property to a manufacturer, modifier, assembler or repairer if the gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from the property by the manufacturer, modifier, assembler or repairer will be exempt under paragraph 3 of this subsection.
- J. There shall be deducted from the tax base fifty percent of the gross proceeds or gross income from any sale of tangible personal property made directly to the United States government or its departments or agencies that is not deducted under subsection I of this section.
- K. The department shall require every person claiming a deduction provided by subsection I or J of this section to file on forms prescribed by the department at such times as the department directs a sworn statement disclosing the name of the purchaser and the exact amount of sales on which the exclusion or deduction is claimed.
- L. In computing the tax base, gross proceeds of sales or gross income does not include:
- 1. A manufacturer's cash rebate on the sales price of a motor vehicle if the buyer assigns the buyer's right in the rebate to the retailer.
 - 2. The waste tire disposal fee imposed pursuant to section 44-1302.
- M. There shall be deducted from the tax base the amount received from sales of solar energy devices. The retailer shall register with the department as a solar energy retailer. By registering, the retailer acknowledges that it will make its books and records relating to sales of solar energy devices available to the department for examination.
- N. In computing the tax base in the case of the sale or transfer of wireless telecommunications equipment as an inducement to a customer to enter into or continue a contract for telecommunications services that are taxable under section 42-5064, gross proceeds of sales or gross income does not include any sales commissions or other compensation received by the retailer as a result of the customer entering into or continuing a contract for the telecommunications services.
- 0. For the purposes of this section, a sale of wireless telecommunications equipment to a person who holds the equipment for sale or transfer to a customer as an inducement to enter into or continue a contract for telecommunications services that are taxable under section 42-5064 is considered to be a sale for resale in the regular course of business.
- P. Retail sales of prepaid calling cards or prepaid authorization numbers for telecommunications services, including sales of reauthorization of a prepaid card or authorization number, are subject to tax under this section.

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- Q. For the purposes of this section, the diversion of gas from a pipeline by a person engaged in the business of:
- 1. Operating a natural or artificial gas pipeline, for the sole purpose of fueling compressor equipment to pressurize the pipeline, is not a sale of the gas to the operator of the pipeline.
- 2. Converting natural gas into liquefied natural gas, for the sole purpose of fueling compressor equipment used in the conversion process, is not a sale of gas to the operator of the compressor equipment.
- R. For the purposes of this section, the transfer of title or possession of coal from an owner or operator of a power plant to a person in the business of refining coal is not a sale of coal if both of the following apply:
- 1. The transfer of title or possession of the coal is for the purpose of refining the coal.
- 2. The title or possession of the coal is transferred back to the owner or operator of the power plant after completion of the coal refining process. For the purposes of this paragraph, "coal refining process" means the application of a coal additive system that aids in the reduction of power plant emissions during the combustion of coal and the treatment of flue gas.
- S. If a seller is entitled to a deduction pursuant to subsection B, paragraph 16, subdivision (b) of this section, the department may require the purchaser to establish that the requirements of subsection B, paragraph 16, subdivision (b) of this section have been satisfied. If the purchaser cannot establish that the requirements of subsection B, paragraph 16, subdivision (b) of this section have been satisfied, the purchaser is liable in an amount equal to any tax, penalty and interest that the seller would have been required to pay under article 1 of this chapter if the seller had not made a deduction pursuant to subsection B, paragraph 16, subdivision (b) of this section. Payment of the amount under this subsection exempts the purchaser from liability for any tax imposed under article 4 of this chapter and related to the tangible personal property purchased. The amount shall be treated as transaction privilege tax to the purchaser and as tax revenues collected from the seller to designate the distribution base pursuant to section 42-5029.
- T. For the purposes of section 42-5032.01, the department shall separately account for revenues collected under the retail classification from businesses selling tangible personal property at retail:
- 1. On the premises of a multipurpose facility that is owned, leased or operated by the tourism and sports authority pursuant to title 5, chapter 8.
- 2. At professional football contests that are held in a stadium located on the campus of an institution under the jurisdiction of the Arizona board of regents.

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- U. In computing the tax base for the sale of a motor vehicle to a nonresident of this state, if the purchaser's state of residence allows a corresponding use tax exemption to the tax imposed by article 1 of this chapter and the rate of the tax in the purchaser's state of residence is lower than the rate prescribed in article 1 of this chapter or if the purchaser's state of residence does not impose an excise tax, and the nonresident has secured a special ninety day nonresident registration permit for the vehicle as prescribed by sections 28-2154 and 28-2154.01, there shall be deducted from the tax base a portion of the gross proceeds or gross income from the sale so that the amount of transaction privilege tax that is paid in this state is equal to the excise tax that is imposed by the purchaser's state of residence on the nonexempt sale or use of the motor vehicle.
 - V. For the purposes of this section:
- 1. "Agricultural aircraft" means an aircraft that is built for agricultural use for the aerial application of pesticides or fertilizer or for aerial seeding.
 - 2. "Aircraft" includes:
- (a) An airplane flight simulator that is approved by the federal aviation administration for use as a phase II or higher flight simulator under appendix H, 14 Code of Federal Regulations part 121.
- (b) Tangible personal property that is permanently affixed or attached as a component part of an aircraft that is owned or operated by a certificated or licensed carrier of persons or property.
- 3. "Other accessories and related equipment" includes aircraft accessories and equipment such as ground service equipment that physically contact aircraft at some point during the overall carrier operation.
- 4. "Selling at retail" means a sale for any purpose other than for resale in the regular course of business in the form of tangible personal property, but transfer of possession, lease and rental as used in the definition of sale mean only such transactions as are found on investigation to be in lieu of sales as defined without the words lease or rental.
 - W. For the purposes of subsection I of this section:
- 1. "Assembler" means a person who unites or combines products, wares or articles of manufacture so as to produce a change in form or substance without changing or altering the component parts.
- 2. "Manufacturer" means a person who is principally engaged in fabricating, producing or manufacturing products, wares or articles for use from raw or prepared materials, imparting to those materials new forms, qualities, properties and combinations.
- 3. "Modifier" means a person who reworks, changes or adds to products, wares or articles of manufacture.

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- 4. "Overhead materials" means tangible personal property, the gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from that would otherwise be included in the retail classification, and that are used or consumed in performing a contract, the cost of which is charged to an overhead expense account and allocated to various contracts based on generally accepted accounting principles and consistent with government contract accounting standards.
- 5. "Repairer" means a person who restores or renews products, wares or articles of manufacture.
- 6. "Subcontract" means an agreement between a contractor and any person who is not an employee of the contractor for furnishing supplies or services that, in whole or in part, are necessary to perform one or more government contracts, or under which any portion of the contractor's obligation under one or more government contracts is performed, undertaken or assumed and that includes provisions causing title to overhead materials or other tangible personal property used in performing the subcontract to pass to the government or that includes provisions incorporating such title passing clauses in a government contract into the subcontract.

Sec. 14. Rulemaking exemption

Notwithstanding any other law, for the purposes of this act, the department of health services is exempt from the rulemaking requirements of title 41, chapter 6, Arizona Revised Statutes, for thirty-six months after the effective date of this act.

Sec. 15. Requirements for enactment; three-fourths vote

Pursuant to article IV, part 1, section 1, Constitution of Arizona, sections 36-2801, 36-2801.01, 36-2803, 36-2804.02, 36-2804.05, 36-2817, 36-2822, 36-2854, 36-2854.01 and 36-2856, Arizona Revised Statutes, as amended by this act, and sections 36-2803.03 and 36-2806.03, Arizona Revised Statutes, as added by this act, are effective only on the affirmative vote of at least three-fourths of the members of each house of the legislature.

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