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MEDICAL CANNABIDIOL ADVISORY BOARD — DECEMBER 2017

Meeting. The Medical Cannabidiol Advisory Board met December 1, 2017, in Ankeny. The Advisory Board received a briefing on the Department of Public Health (DPH)'s <u>proposed bill</u> for technical changes to the Program. The Board received an introduction presentation from MedPharm Iowa, LLC, which is the successful applicant for one of the State's two medical cannabidiol manufacturing licenses. The MedPharm Iowa presentation also contained recommendations on forms and quantities of medical cannabidiol that the company's Colorado counterpart has produced.

The Board had a telephonic discussion with staff at the Rhode Island Department of Health's Medical Marijuana program about the staff's experiences. Additionally, the Board reviewed the proposed <u>form and quantity</u> recommendations for administrative rules, and discussed what to include in the Board's <u>upcoming annual report</u>.

Next Meeting. The next meeting is scheduled for January 19, 2018, in Ankeny. Additional information can be found on the Medical Cannabidiol Advisory Board's webpage.

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