



CITY OF DOVER PROPOSED ORDINANCE #2024-25

1 **BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DOVER, IN**
 2 **COUNCIL MET:**

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 4 That Chapter 26 – Businesses, Article II – Licenses, Section 26-31. – Definitions, be amended by
 5 inserting the text indicated in bold, blue, italics in alphabetical order as follows:
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7 **Sec. 26-31. Definitions.**

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 9 The following words, terms, and phrases, when used in this article, shall have the meanings
 10 ascribed to them in this section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning:
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12 *Compassion center* means an entity registered pursuant to §4914A of Title 16 of the
 13 Delaware State Code that acquires, possesses, sells, supplies, or dispenses marijuana,
 14 paraphernalia, or related supplies and educational materials to registered qualifying
 15 patients who have designated the dispenser to cultivate marijuana for their medical use and
 16 the registered designated caregivers of these patients.
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18 *Retail marijuana store* means an entity licensed by the State of Delaware to purchase
 19 marijuana from marijuana cultivation facilities; to purchase marijuana and marijuana
 20 products from marijuana product manufacturing facilities, and to sell marijuana and
 21 marijuana products to consumers.
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23 **BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED:**

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 25 That Appendix F – Fees and Fines, Chapter 26 – Businesses, Article II. - Licenses be amended
 26 by inserting the text indicated in bold, blue font as follows:
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Chapter 26. Businesses	Fees and Fines
<i>Article II. Licenses</i>	
Sec. 26-35. License required; fees	
Subsec. (d)(3) Merchants/bottlers/ retail marijuana stores/compassion centers rate	\$0.00046 of aggregate gross purchases for resale/ Minimum fee \$64.00

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 29 ADOPTED: *

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 31 **SYNOPSIS**

32 This ordinance amends Chapter 26 – Businesses of the Dover Code by adding definitions of
33 marijuana retail stores and compassion centers, and by adding marijuana retail store and
34 compassion center license types to Appendix F – Fees and Fines.

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(SPONSORS: ANDERSON and NEIL)

38 Action History

39 10/28/2024 – Scheduled for First Reading – City Council (Ordinance number changed from
40 #2024-24B to #2024-25)

41 10/15/2024 – Introduction – Council Committee of the Whole/ Legislative, Finance, and
42 Administration Committee (Split into 24B)

43 09/24/2024 – Council Committee of the Whole / Legislative, Finance and Administration
44 Committee

45 08/05/2024 – Deferred from 06/11/2024 – Special Legislative, Finance, and Administration
46 Committee (Split into two parts)

47 06/11/2024 – Introduction – Council Committee of the Whole/Legislative, Finance, and
48 Administration Committee.

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