



STATE OF MISSOURI
Office of
Secretary of State

CERTIFICATE OF SUFFICIENCY OF PETITION

STATE OF MISSOURI

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SECRETARY OF STATE

I, John R. Ashcroft, Secretary of State of Missouri, do hereby certify that my office has examined for compliance with the Missouri Constitution and Chapter 116, RSMo, the initiative petition submitted by Lowell Pearson with the following official ballot title:

Do you want to amend Missouri law to:

- remove state prohibitions on personal use and possession of medical cannabis (marijuana) with a written certification by a physician who treats a patient diagnosed with a qualifying medical condition;
- remove state prohibitions on growth, possession, production, and sale of medical marijuana by licensed and regulated facilities, and a facility's licensed owners and employees;
- impose a 2% tax on the retail sale of medical marijuana; and
- use funds from this tax for veterans' services, drug treatment, early childhood education, and for public safety in cities with a medical marijuana facility?

State government entities estimate initial and one-time costs of \$2.6 million, annual costs of \$10 million, and annual revenues of at least \$10 million. Local government entities estimate no annual costs and are expected to have at least \$152,000 in annual revenues.

I further certify that this petition contains a sufficient number of valid signatures to comply with the Constitution of Missouri and Chapter 116, RSMo. Therefore, this initiative petition shall be placed on the ballot at the November 6, 2018 General Election.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of my office in the City of Jefferson, State of Missouri, on this 2nd day of August 2018.




Secretary of State



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**Statutory Amendment to Chapters 192, 195, 263 & 311,
Relating to the Legalization and Taxation of Medical Marijuana
2018-271**

Congressional District 1: Sufficient
Signatures Needed: 15,983
Total Signatures Submitted: 36,771
Valid Signatures: 19,369

Congressional District 2: Sufficient
Signatures Needed: 21,144
Total Signatures Submitted: 35,986
Valid Signatures: 24,515

Congressional District 3: Sufficient
Signatures Needed: 18,997
Total Signatures Submitted: 31,017
Valid Signatures: 25,134

Congressional District 4: Insufficient
Signatures Needed: 16,940
Total Signatures Submitted: 198
Valid Signatures: 148

Congressional District 5: Sufficient
Signatures Needed: 16,348
Total Signatures Submitted: 59,153
Valid Signatures: 16,386

Congressional District 6: Sufficient
Signatures Needed: 17,879
Total Signatures Submitted: 31,675
Valid Signatures: 23,998

Congressional District 7: Sufficient
Signatures Needed: 17,159
Total Signatures Submitted: 31,346
Valid Signatures: 21,255

Congressional District 8: Insufficient
Signatures Needed: 15,817
Total Signatures Submitted: 443
Valid Signatures: 436

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