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Requested by Representative LIVELY

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## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 4016

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 5 through 20.

2 On page 2, delete lines 1 through 23 and insert:

## **"MARIJUANA MORATORIA**

"SECTION 1. (1) The Oregon Liquor and Cannabis Commission may,
based on the supply of and demand for marijuana, as defined in ORS
475C.009, refuse to issue production licenses under ORS 475C.065,
processor licenses under ORS 475C.085, wholesale licenses under ORS
475C.093 and retail licenses under ORS 475C.097 for an amount of time
that the commission determines necessary.

"(2) Subsection (1) of this section does not apply to the renewal of a license described in subsection (1) of this section or to the issuance or reissuance of a license described in subsection (1) of this section necessitated by a change in the location or ownership of a production, processing, wholesale or retail facility or premises.

"(3)(a) Except as provided in paragraph (b) of this subsection, the
 commission shall process an application for a license described in
 subsection (1) of this section if the application was received on or be fore January 1, 2022.

21 "(b) An applicant that submitted an application described in para-

graph (a) of this subsection that did not submit a land use compatibility statement required under ORS 475C.053 may submit the land use compatibility statement within 21 days of the effective date of this 2022 Act. If the land use compatibility statement is timely submitted, the commission shall process the application. If a land use compatibility statement is not timely submitted, the commission shall inactivate the application.

8 "(4) An applicant that submitted an application for a license de-9 scribed in subsection (1) of this section on or before January 1, 2022, 10 may not change:

11 "(a) The location for which an application was submitted; or

"(b) Fifty-one percent or more of the ownership of the production,
 processing, wholesale or retail facility or premises for which the application for licensure was submitted.

"(5) The commission shall inactivate an application for a license
 described in subsection (1) of this section that was received after
 January 1, 2022.

18 "(6)(a) The commission shall adopt rules to establish timelines for 19 the completion of applications for licenses described in subsection (1) 20 of this section, including rules to specify times by which an applicant 21 must complete any necessary steps for licensing after the applicant's 22 application is assigned to a commission staff member for processing.

23 "(b) The commission may adopt other rules as necessary to carry 24 out this section, including rules that enable the commission to pause 25 the processing of an application that has been assigned to a commis-26 sion staff member in consideration of commission resources to process 27 applications.

"(7)(a) The commission shall study the effects of subsections (1) to
(6) of this section on the marijuana industry.

30 "(b) Not later than March 20 of each year, the commission shall

submit a report to an interim committee of the Legislative Assembly
related to economic development, in the manner provided in ORS
192.245, on the findings of the study described in this subsection.".

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