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July 19, 2022

Nicholas P. Tavernakis



via Certified Mail and USPS First Class Mail

Subject: Notice of Revocation of Registry Identification Card

Dear Mr. Tavernakis,

The Maine Department of Administrative & Financial Services, Office of Cannabis Policy (the Department) is responsible for the administration and oversight of the Maine Medical Use of Cannabis Program (MMCP). Continued approval for authorized conduct requires compliance with the Maine Medical Use of Marijuana Act and program rules. Pursuant to its authority under 22 M.R.S., Chapter 558-C, §2430-F, the Department revokes the following Registry Identification Card: **NICHOLAS P. TAVERNAKIS, CGE13330**. Such revocations are effective three (3) calendar days after the date of this notice.

Justification for revocation:

The Department's decision to revoke your Registry Identification Card is based on your violation of the Maine Medical Use of Cannabis Act. More specifically, the Department's MMCP licensing staff have received sufficient evidence to demonstrate the following statutory and regulatory violations:

On 07/19/2022, the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Support Enforcement and Recovery, sent a certificate to revoke your Medical Cannabis license(s) to the Office of Cannabis Policy.

The notice requires the Office of Cannabis Policy to revoke your Medical Cannabis license(s) as you have not met the terms of a legal Child Support Order.

For these reasons, your eligibility to participate in the MMCP has been revoked. Please immediately return your Registry Identification Card to:

Department of Administrative & Financial Services
Office of Cannabis Policy
162 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0162

Registration Revocation and Right to Request an Informal Hearing:

Pursuant to 22 M.R.S. §2430-F, the Department may suspend or revoke a registry identification card for violation of Chapter 558-C and the rules adopted by the Department. A person who has had authorization for conduct under Chapter 558-C revoked due to failure to comply with Chapter 558-C and rules adopted by the Department may request an informal hearing. If you would like to request an informal hearing, please notify the Department in writing within thirty (30) calendar days of the revocation effective date at the address information provided above. A request for an informal hearing should be sent to Vernon Malloch, Deputy Director of Operations by email at Vernon.Malloch@maine.gov or USPS at 162 State House Station, 19 Union Street, Augusta, Maine 04333-0062. If the Department does not receive a hearing request in accordance with the policy, the revocation becomes final.

Sincerely,



Elisa C. Ellis, Esq.
Director of Licensing
Office of Marijuana Policy

cc: file