

**Title 475 - Oklahoma State Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous
Drugs Control
CHAPTER 25. RECORDS AND REPORTS OF REGISTRANTS**

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT

DESCRIPTION OF EMERGENCY RULE:

The emergency rule amendments change references to the administrative code for medical marijuana registrants. The OMMA administrative code changed title numbers and places that refer to their rules were no longer correct. The changes also specify which employment records need to be kept onsite.

DESCRIPTION OF PERSONS MOST LIKELY AFFECTED:

Registrants and those applying to become registrants with Oklahoma State Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs Control (OBNDD).

DESCRIPTION OF PERSONS BENEFITTING FROM EMERGENCY RULES:

Registrants with OBNDD will benefit from the rule changes.

**DESCRIPTION OF PROBABLE ECONOMIC IMPACT ON PERSONS/POLITICAL
SUBDIVISIONS:**

None

PROBABLE COSTS/BENEFITS TO AGENCIES:

The emergency rule changes will not subject OBNDD or other State agencies to any additional costs. OBNDD will benefit, as will Oklahoma, by clarifying what rules apply to which industry.

**DETERMINATION OF ECONOMIC IMPACT/COOPERATION REQUIRED BY
POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS:**

The emergency rule changes have no economic impact upon political subdivisions, nor do they require any cooperation or effort from political subdivisions to implement.

DETERMINATION OF ADVERSE ECONOMIC IMPACT UPON SMALL BUSINESS:

The emergency rule changes have no economic impact upon small businesses.

**DESCRIPTION OF MEASURES TO MINIMIZE COMPLIANCE COSTS AND
CONSIDERATION OF ALTERNATIVES:**

There are no compliance costs and there are no less intrusive means of achieving the goals of the emergency rule.

**DESCRIPTION OF EFFECTS UPON AND EXTENT THE RULE WILL REDUCE RISK TO
THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY, AND ENVIRONMENT:**

The emergency rules have no environmental impact. The public's health and safety will benefit from the rule changes making it clear which OMMA rules are applicable to registrants.

**DETERMINATION OF PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY, AND ENVIRONMENTAL THREATS
IN ABSENCE OF RULES:**

In the absence of the rule amendments, Schedule I medical marijuana retailers, growers, processors, packagers, and manufacturers could be confused about which rules are applicable.

DATE OF PREPARATION OF RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

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