

## Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation Division of Professional Regulation - Cannabis Control Section

## DECLINATION TO BECOME AN "ELIGIBLE APPLICANT" UNDER THE CANNABIS REGULATION AND TAX ACT ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

## **SECTION 1: DEFINITIONS AND RULES**

"Eligible applicant" means a tied applicant that is eligible to participate in the process by which a remaining available license is distributed by lot.

"Remaining available license" means a license in a BLS region that has not been awarded by the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation at the conclusion of the scoring process period. There may be more than one remaining available license in a BLS region.

"Scoring process period" is the period of time between the conclusion of the submission period for a license application and when the Department publishes the names of tied applicants that may become eligible applicants.

"Tied applicant" means an applicant that has received the same number of application points as one or more other applicants in the same BLS region and would have been awarded a license but for the one or more other applicants that received the same number of application points.

68 III. Admin. Code 1291.10

A tied applicant is prohibited from becoming an eligible applicant if a principal officer of the tied applicant is a principal officer of more tied applicants than the number of remaining licenses available. 68 III. Admin. Code 1291.50(a)(1). A tied applicant may decline to become an eligible applicant by informing the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation ("Department") within five business days after the conclusion of the scoring process using this form. 68 IAC 1291.50(b). A tied applicant is prohibited from becoming an eligible applicant if: (1) a principal officer of a tied applicant resigns after the conclusion of the scoring process or (2) after the conclusion of the period to submit this form, a principal officer of the applicant is a principal officer of more tied applicants than the number of remaining available licenses. 68 IAC 1291.50(a)(2)&(3).

This form must be e-mailed to FPR.AdultUseCannabis@Illinois.gov by 11:59 p.m. Central Time on the last day to submit the form.

SECTION 2: TIED APPLICANT INFORMATION			
1. Name of Dispensing Organization:		2. BLS region (Use a different form for each BLS region):	
3. Application Number and Corresponding Unique Lottery Number(s) being withdrawn:			
Printed name of authorized signatory:	Relationship of the authorized signatory to the tied applicant:		
SECTION 3: SIGNATURE AND NOTARIZATION			
The undersigned authorized signatory affirms that the Dispensing Organization named above decline to become an eligible applicant pursuant to 68 IAC 1291.50(b) in the BLS region named above Further, the authorized signatory certifies under penalty of perjury that they are authorized to sign this form on behalf of the Dispensing Organization named above	e Subscribed a 8 ey n	and sworn to me this	
			(SEAL)
Signature of authorized signatory			
Date	Notary Public	3	