## HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2023 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 620 by Representative Freiberg

- 1 AMENDMENT NO. 1
- 2 On page 1, at the beginning of line 5, change "1699.5," to "1699.6,"
- 3 AMENDMENT NO. 2
- 4 On page 1, line 6, after "avails of the tax;" and before "to" insert "to provide for bond
- 5 requirements for cannabis retailers;"
- 6 AMENDMENT NO. 3
- 7 On page 2, line 9, after "court fees" and before "that are" insert "and other costs"
- 8 AMENDMENT NO. 4
- 9 On page 2, line 12, delete "fines and fees" and insert in lieu thereof "fees and other costs"
- 10 AMENDMENT NO. 5
- On page 2, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:
- 12 "D. On or before January thirty-first annually, the judicial administrator of
- the supreme court shall submit to the legislature a report on the program which
- includes, without limitation, a full accounting of monies received by and disbursed
- through the program."
- 16 AMENDMENT NO. 6
- 17 On page 2, line 22, change "1699.5," to "1699.6,"
- 18 AMENDMENT NO. 7
- 19 On page 3, after line 27, add the following:
- 20 "C. The secretary of the Department of Revenue may require electronic filing of tax returns, reports, and payments as provided in R.S. 47:1519 and 1520.
- §1699.3. Cannabis retailers; requirement to furnish bond
- 23 Each cannabis retailer shall furnish to the secretary of the Department of 24 Revenue a bond in an amount of not less than five thousand dollars guaranteeing 25 payment of taxes, interest, and penalties levied pursuant to the provisions of this 26 Chapter. The bond shall be executed by a surety company duly qualified to do 27 business in this state. The tenor, solvency, and maximum amount of the bond shall be satisfactory to the secretary. The maximum amount required shall depend upon 28 29 the volume of business of the taxpayer and shall be in an amount sufficient, in the 30 discretion of the secretary, to guarantee the state against all losses for taxes, interest,
- and penalties levied in accordance with this Chapter."
- 32 AMENDMENT NO. 8
- 33 On page 4, at the beginning of line 1, change "\\$1699.3." to "\\$1699.4."

- 1 AMENDMENT NO. 9
- 2 On page 4, at the beginning of line 7, change "§1699.4." to "§1699.5."
- 3 AMENDMENT NO. 10
- 4 On page 4, at the beginning of line 23, change "<u>§1699.5.</u>" to "<u>§1699.6.</u>"
- 5 AMENDMENT NO. 11
- 6 On page 4, between lines 26 and 27, insert the following:
- 7 "Section 3. The reporting requirement established in R.S. 13:92(D), as enacted by
- 8 Section 1 of this Act, shall commence in the year following the year in which this Act
- 9 becomes effective."
- 10 AMENDMENT NO. 12
- On page 4, at the beginning of line 27, change "Section 3." to "Section 4."