

# HOUSE BILL No. 5189

October 26, 2017, Introduced by Reps. Runestad, Hernandez, Bizon, Graves, Webber,  
Lucido, Tedder, Brann, Howrylak, Rabhi, Zemke, Singh, LaGrand and Hammoud and  
referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to amend 2016 PA 281, entitled  
"Medical marihuana facilities licensing act,"  
by amending section 501 (MCL 333.27501).

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1           Sec. 501. (1) A grower license authorizes the grower to grow  
2 not more than the following number of marihuana plants under the  
3 indicated license class for each license the grower holds in that  
4 class:

5           (a) Class A - 500 marihuana plants.

6           (b) Class B - 1,000 marihuana plants.

7           (c) Class C - 1,500 marihuana plants.

8           (2) A grower license authorizes sale of marihuana seeds or  
9 marihuana plants only to a grower by means of a secure transporter.

10          (3) A grower license authorizes sale of marihuana, other than

1 seeds, only to a processor or provisioning center.

2 (4) A grower license authorizes the grower to transfer  
3 marihuana only by means of a secure transporter.

4 (5) To be eligible for a grower license, the applicant and  
5 each investor in the grower must not have an interest in a secure  
6 transporter or safety compliance facility.

7 (6) A grower shall comply with all of the following:

8 (a) Until December 31, 2021, have, or have as an active  
9 employee an individual who has, a minimum of 2 years' experience as  
10 a registered primary caregiver.

11 (b) While holding a license as a grower, not be a registered  
12 primary caregiver and not employ an individual who is  
13 simultaneously a registered primary caregiver.

14 (c) Enter all transactions, current inventory, and other  
15 information into the statewide monitoring system as required in  
16 this act, rules, and the marihuana tracking act.

17 (7) A grower license does not authorize the grower to ~~operate~~

18 **DO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:**

19 **(A) OPERATE** in an area unless the area is zoned for industrial  
20 or agricultural uses or is unzoned and otherwise meets the  
21 requirements established in section 205(1).

22 **(B) OPERATE AT A MARIHUANA FACILITY AT WHICH ANOTHER GROWER IS**  
23 **LICENSED TO OPERATE.**

24 **(C) HOLD 2 OR MORE GROWER LICENSES AT A SINGLE MARIHUANA**  
25 **FACILITY.**