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MMCC Extension Granted for Testing Validations

Linthicum, MD (March 17, 2021) – The Maryland Medical Cannabis Commission (MMCC) is issuing this bulletin to notify registered independent testing laboratories that the April 30, 2021 deadline for submission and approval of testing validations has been extended.

MMCC previously notified registered independent testing laboratories of testing requirements and effective dates via [Bulletin 2021-001](#) following the December 15, 2020 approval of the *Technical Authority for Medical Cannabis Testing, Revision 3*. To allow registered independent testing laboratories adequate time to perform method validations, the MMCC is extending the April 30, 2021 deadline to June 30, 2021. Registered independent testing laboratories not able to comply with the June 30, 2021 deadline will be required to suspend compliance testing until validation packets have been submitted and approved by the Office of Scientific Support. **No additional extensions will be granted.**

The *Technical Authority for Medical Cannabis Testing, Revision 3* is available for review on the MMCC [website](#). Please direct any questions regarding this bulletin to Shenaz Dave, Director of Scientific Support, at scientificsupport.mmcc@maryland.gov.