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The Honorable Gavin Newsom
Governor of California
State Capitol
Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: AB 1111 (Pellerin): Cannabis: small producer event sales license – Request to Sign

Dear Governor Newsom,

I am writing on behalf of the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors to urge you to sign AB 1111, a bill crucial for supporting small, licensed cannabis producers by allowing them to sell a limited amount of their products at licensed, state, and locally approved cannabis events annually.

This legislation is vital for preserving California's cannabis heritage, supporting small businesses, and promoting economic growth. Allowing direct-to-consumer sales would enable producers to build stronger relationships directly with their customers and differentiate from larger, corporate producers, much like successful practices in other agricultural industries.

The Mendocino County Board of Supervisors supports AB 1111 and strongly encourages your support for this bill to ensure the vibrant and sustainable growth of California's cannabis industry. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Maureen Mulheren, Chair
Mendocino County Board of Supervisors

cc: The Honorable Gail Pellerin, Member of the California State Assembly
The Honorable Jim Wood, Member of the California State Assembly
The Honorable Mike McGuire, Member of the California State Assembly
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