

Key Dates for Provisional Licenses



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Cannabis Control
CALIFORNIA

July, 2021

AB 141 & SB 160 take effect. Applicants must meet specified conditions in order to be issued a provisional license.

December 31, 2021

Deadline to submit applications for provisional cultivation licenses that would result in an operation equivalent to a Type 5, 5A, or 5B license. This deadline applies to all cultivation applicants, regardless of equity status.

March 31, 2022

Deadline for submission of applications to be considered for provisional licenses.

Exceptions:

- (1) certain ¹ cultivation license applicants
- (2) local equity applicants unless the license will result in an operation equivalent to a Type 5, 5A, or 5B license

June 30, 2022

Last day for DCC to issue provisional licenses for all license types including licenses resulting in operations equivalent to a Type 5, 5A, or 5B license.

Exceptions:

- (1) certain ² cultivation licenses
- (2) local equity applicants unless the license will result in an operation equivalent to a Type 5, 5A, or 5B license

¹ License applications for mixed light and indoor cultivation at or less than 22,000 square feet of contiguous premises and outdoor cultivation at or less than 20,000 square feet of contiguous premises.

² Licenses for mixed light and indoor cultivation at or less than 22,000 square feet of contiguous premises and outdoor cultivation at or less than 20,000 square feet of contiguous premises.

June 30, 2022

Last day for DCC to issue provisional licenses for outdoor cultivation sites exceeding 20,000 square feet of total canopy.

June 30, 2022

Deadline for cultivators to submit an application and be considered for a provisional license.

Cultivation sites must be less than or equal to 20,000 square feet of outdoor canopy, **or** less than or equal to 22,000 square feet of indoor or mixed light. This does not apply to local equity applicants.

July 1, 2022

Provisional license renewals become subject to specified conditions.

September 30, 2022

Last day for DCC to issue provisional licenses for cultivation sites less than or equal to 20,000 square feet of outdoor canopy, **or** less than or equal to 22,000 square feet of indoor or mixed light. This does not apply to local equity applicants.

January 1, 2023

Last day DCC can renew provisional cultivation licenses that would result in an operation equivalent to a Type 5, 5A, or 5B license.

March 31, 2023

Deadline for local equity applicants to submit a license application and be considered for a provisional license.

June 30, 2023

Last day for DCC to issue provisional licenses to local equity applicants.

July 1, 2023

Provisional renewals become subject to additional requirements.

January 1, 2024

Last day for provisional cultivation licenses that would result in an operation equivalent to a Type 5, 5A, or 5B license to be in effect.

January 1, 2025

Last day for DCC to renew provisional licenses.

January 1, 2026

Last day for any provisional license to be in effect.

