



Sample Language that could be added to S.54
to allow for consumption at special events

§ 831. [and in the penalty for public possession]

(5) “Public place” means any street, alley, park, sidewalk, public building other than individual dwellings, any place of public accommodation as defined in 9 V.S.A. § 4501, and any place where the use or possession of a lighted tobacco product, tobacco product, or tobacco substitute as defined in section 1001 of this title is prohibited by law, ***except that it does not include a special events permit.***

[definitions]

§ 861 (6) “Cannabis establishment” means a cannabis cultivator, wholesaler, product manufacturer, retailer, ***special events permit*** or testing laboratory licensed by the Board to engage in commercial cannabis activity in accordance with this chapter.

(xx) “Special events licensee” means a person licensed by the Board to sell cannabis to adult consumers for on-site consumption in accordance with this chapter.

[rulemaking]

§ 881

(xx) Rules concerning special events shall include:

(A) permissible hours of operation;

(B) requirements to ensure proper ventilation;

(C) limits on the quantity of cannabis that can be provided to each consumer for on-site consumption;

(D) odor control requirements;

(E) a requirement that materials to be posted on the hazards of driving while impaired by cannabis;

(F) regulations to prevent overconsumption by patrons;

(G) training requirements for staff, including to recognize overconsumption; and



- (H) regulations to ensure only adults 21 and older are admitted to areas with special events licenses; and*
- (I) regulations to prevent café staff from being exposed to cannabis smoke indoors.*

[applications]

§ 902.

For a special events license, the applications must include:

- (A) the proposed location;*
- (B) the duration, including hours of operation; and*
- (C) an operations plan, including whether other food, beverages, and/or entertainment is planned.*