

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA



Joint Commission to Oversee the Transition of the Commonwealth into a Cannabis Retail Market

**House Committee Room B, Room 205
General Assembly Building, Richmond**

**June 2, 2026
10:00 a.m.**

AGENDA

- I. **Call to Order and Attendance**
- II. **Election of Chair and Vice-Chair**
- III. **Adoption of Virtual Meeting Policy**
- IV. **Review of HJR 497**
- V. **Opening Remarks**
- VI. **Federal Cannabis and Hemp Policy Actions and Implications for States**
Nicole Ezeh, Legislative Director, NCSL
Megan Bland, Associate Legislative Director, NCSL
Karmen Hanson, Senior Fellow, NCSL
- VII. **Review of New Virginia Laws**
HB 26 (Del. Henson)/ SB 62 (Sen. Lucas): Marijuana-related offenses; modification of sentence, sunset.
HB 75 (Del. Keys-Gamarra)/SB 332 (Sen. Favola): Medical cannabis; administration to terminally ill patients; report.
HB 391 (Del. Askew): Medical cannabis program; product labels; delivery.
SB 543 (Sen. Aird): Marijuana and hemp products; enforcement.
- VIII. **Public Comment**
- IX. **Closing Remarks and Adjournment**

Members of the Commission

The Honorable Paul E. Krizek, <i>Chair</i>	The Honorable Rae C. Cousins	The Honorable Emily M. Jordan
The Honorable Lashrecse D. Aird, <i>Vice Chair</i>	The Honorable James W. (Will) Morefield	The Honorable Schuyler T. VanValkenburg
The Honorable Marcia "Cia" S. Price	The Honorable Hyland F. Fowler, Jr.	
The Honorable Katrina E. Callsen	The Honorable Saddam Azlan Salim	

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Stephen Kindermann, Lead Senior Attorney, Division of Legislative Services
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Cathy Hooe, Committee Operations Director, House Committee Operations

Access the meeting here: https://house.vga.virginia.gov/now_playing

Additional information about the Commission can be found here: https://dls.virginia.gov/interim_studies_CannabisRetail.html

Public Comment can be submitted here: https://hodspeak.house.virginia.gov/submit_testimony?meeting_id=21349