

SILVER THERAPEUTICS, INC
MRN281910

BACKGROUND & APPLICATION OF INTENT REVIEW

1. Name and address of the proposed Marijuana Establishment:

Silver Therapeutics, Inc.
5 South Main Street, Orange, MA 01364

2. Type of license sought (if cultivation, its tier level and outside/inside operation):

Retail

3. Applicant is a licensee or applicant for other Marijuana Establishment license(s):

Cultivation, Tier 3/Indoor (provisionally approved in Orange)
Product Manufacturer (application submitted for Orange)
Retail (final license approved for Williamstown)

4. List of all required individuals and their business roles in the Marijuana Establishment:

Joshua Silver—Owner/Partner
Brendan McKee—Owner/Partner
Joshua Ferranto—Owner/Partner
Michael Evanusa—Close Associate

5. List of all required entities and their roles in the Marijuana Establishment:

No other entity, other than the applicant, appear to have direct or indirect authority over the Marijuana Establishment.

6. Applicant's priority status and information pertaining to co-located operations:

RMD Priority (RPA201854)

The RMD has a Provisional Certificate of Registration for dispensing, cultivation, and processing. The adult-use establishment will not be collocated with an RMD.

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7. The applicant and municipality executed a Host Community Agreement on June 13, 2018.
8. The applicant conducted a community outreach meeting on November 18, 2018 and provided documentation demonstrating compliance with Commission regulations.
9. The Commission received a municipal response from the municipality on February 22, 2019 stating the applicant was in compliance with all local ordinances and bylaws.
10. The applicant proposed the following programs for its Positive Impact Plan:
 - a. Host a job fair two (2) times a year in Greenfield, Amherst or Holyoke; and
 - b. Advertise employment opportunities in publications within Greenfield, Amherst and Holyoke for its hiring initiatives that are designed to attract individuals from areas of disproportionate impact.

SUITABILITY REVIEW

11. There were no concerns arising from background checks on the individuals or entities associated with the application.
12. There were disclosures of past civil or criminal actions, occupational license issues, or marijuana-related business interests in other jurisdictions. No suitability issues currently exist.

MANAGEMENT AND OPERATIONS REVIEW

13. The applicant states that it can be operational within five (5) months of receiving their provisional license.
14. The applicant's proposed hours of operation are the following:

Monday – Sunday: 10:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
15. The applicant submitted all applicable and required summaries of plans, policies, and procedures for the operation of the proposed establishment. The summaries were determined to be substantially compliant with the Commission's regulations.
16. The applicant proposed the following programs for its Diversity Plan:
 - a. Post job advertisements in diverse areas such as Greenfield and Amherst to attract potential employees;



- b. Institute hiring practices that prioritize hiring of minorities, women, veterans, people with disabilities and people of all gender identities and sexual orientations for its hiring initiatives; and
- c. Prioritize the hiring and contracting of suppliers that are certified disadvantaged business enterprises.

17. Summary of cultivation plan (if applicable):

Not applicable.

18. Summary of products to be produced and/or sold (if applicable):

Not applicable.

19. Plan for obtaining marijuana or marijuana products (if applicable):

The applicant plans to obtain marijuana or marijuana products by contracting with other licensed establishments.

20. ISO 17025 Certifying Body and Certificate Number (if applicable):

Not applicable.

RECOMMENDATION

Commission staff recommend provisional licensure with the following conditions:

1. Final license is subject to inspection to ascertain compliance with Commission regulations;
2. Final license is subject to inspection to ascertain compliance with applicable state laws and local codes, ordinances, and bylaws;
3. The applicant shall cooperate with and provide information to Commission staff;
4. Provisional licensure is subject to the payment of the appropriate license fee; and
5. Final licensure is subject to the licensee providing Commission staff with a revised Positive Impact Plan that provides a listing of organizations it plans to partner with for its program related to restorative justice.

The applicant has demonstrated compliance with the laws and regulations of the Commonwealth and suitability for licensure. Therefore, the applicant is recommended for provisional licensure.

