

Cannabis Control Division

Cannabis Facility Fire Inspections

Statute requiring initial & annual inspections of a cannabis facility:

Montana Annotated Code §16-12-207, Licensing as privilege — criteria:

(3)(a)(ii) The department shall deny a cultivator license, manufacturer license, adult-use dispensary license, medical marijuana license, or testing laboratory license if the applicant's proposed licensed premises is not approved by local building, health, or fire officials as provided for in this chapter.

If a fire inspection report is returned to CCD and it is not approved, CCD cannot issue a marijuana license.

Types of Facilities, Reports

- Grow facility with processing/packaging; less than maximum allowable quantities of hazardous materials (Group F-1)
 *Please indicate what process is approved.
- Extraction facility with less than maximum allowable quantities of hazardous materials (Group F-1)
 *Please indicate what process is approved.
- □ Bakery/Edible Manufacturing (Group F-1)
- □ Retail Sales /Dispensary (Group M, Mercantile)
- □ Testing Laboratory (Group B Occupancy)

Some fire inspection reports write out the facility type (cultivation, dispensary, etc.).

Some fire inspection reports use codes (left).

Either format is accepted by the Cannabis Control Division.

Returned Fire Inspection Reports

Fire inspection reports are returned for clarification from the Cannabis Control Division:

- The fire inspection report does not clearly indicate/mark the type of operations that are approved for the premises/site (cultivation, dispensary, manufacturing, etc.).
- In the fire inspection report does not match the license type(s).
- The fire inspection report does not match the site address (missing the suite number, building, or unit number).