October 9, 2017

To: INDUSTRIAL HEMP ADVISORY BOARD AND ALL INTERESTED STAKEHOLDERS

A meeting of the Industrial Hemp Advisory Board has been scheduled. Enclosed is the agenda.

Date: Thursday, October 19, 2017
9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Location: California Department of Food and Agriculture
1220 N Street, Auditorium
Sacramento, CA 95814

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Please find the enclosed agenda. If you have any questions regarding this meeting, please contact me at the number listed below.

Sincerely,

Joshua Kress
Program Supervisor

Enclosure(s)

cc: CDFA County/State Liaison Office
1. Roll Call and Opening Remarks
2. Reminder on Forms and Information for Members
3. Cultivation by Established Agricultural Research Institutions
4. Brief Overview of the Rulemaking Process
5. Review of Program Budget
6. Proposal of Fee Structure for Registration
7. Registered Laboratory Testing
8. Brief Update on Federal Status for Industrial Hemp
9. Importation of Certified Seeds
10. Suggestions for Additional Regulatory Concepts For Production and Enforcement
11. Other State and Local Restrictions Affecting Growers
12. Public Comments
13. Next Meeting/Agenda Items
14. Adjournment

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Agenda order is tentative and subject to change by the Board without prior notice. Audience members may address the Board following each agenda item. All speakers from the audience are limited to three minutes.

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