

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS REGULATION
JOHN O. PASTORE CENTER, BLDGS. 68-69
1511 PONTIAC AVENUE
CRANSTON, RI 02920

IN THE MATTER OF:

GREEN ANGEL, LLC

DBR No. 19MM006

RESPONDENT.

Licensed
Premises:

[REDACTED], Warwick Rhode Island

CONSENT AGREEMENT

(Medical Marijuana – Cooperative or Cultivator)

The Department of Business Regulation (“Department”) and the above named respondent (“Respondent”) hereby consent and agree that:

a. Respondent is a/an [*check below*]:

- Individual
- Corporation
- Limited liability company
- Partnership

b. Respondent is [*check below*]:

- Licensed as a medical marijuana cultivator (License No. 0026)
- Licensed as a non-residential cooperative (License No. _____)
- Licensed as a residential cooperative (License No. _____)

On March 27th, 2019, Inspector David Brooks received an email from Green Angel, LLC. The email included two attached manifests showing the transfer of cannabis from Green Angel, LLC to East Coast Labs. East Coast Labs does not hold an agent registry card with Green Angel, LLC.

This is a violation of The Edward O. Hawkins and Thomas C. Slater Medical Marijuana Act, R.I. Gen. Laws § 21-28.6-1 et seq., as amended by Article 14 of R.I. Public Laws 2016, ch. 142, Article 14 (as so amended, the “Act”) and the Rules and Regulations Related to the Medical Marijuana Program Administered by the Department of Business Regulation 230-RICR-800-05-1 (formerly known as 161-RICR-300-35-1) (the “Regulations”):

- Possession of marijuana plants in excess of the limits set forth in, and in violation of, the Act and the Regulations
- Possession of marijuana plants without physical medical marijuana tags as required under the Act and the Regulations
- Plants that are not stored in a “secure indoor structure” in violation of the Regulations
- Failure to take reasonable efforts to prevent marijuana plant odors from exiting the building at the Licensed Premises in violation of the Regulations

- Use of medical marijuana plant tags by an individual and/or cooperative cultivation other than the individual or cooperative to whom they were issued, or at a location other than the one with respect to which the tags were issued in violation of Section 1.9(G)(4) of the Regulations
- Persons conducting cultivation activities at the Licensed Premises who are not licensed cooperative/cultivator cardholders (the "Cardholders") in violation of the Act and the Regulations
- Other: [describe]. Green Angel, LLC. performed an unauthorized transfer of cannabis samples to East Coast Labs. This is a violation of Section 1.7 (I)(3) of the Regulations. East Coast Labs does not hold an agent registry card for Green Angel, LLC. This is a violation of Section 1.6(B)(1) of the Regulations.

BASED ON THE FOREGOING, the Department has reason to believe that Respondent violated the Regulations as described previously herein. Accordingly, the Department has sufficient cause to take enforcement action against Respondent pursuant to the Act and the Regulations.

In an effort to effect a timely and amicable resolution of the issues raised in this Consent Agreement without administrative hearing and to allow Respondent to maintain its license in good-standing, Respondent represents and agrees as follows:

- a. Within five (5) days of the date of this Agreement, Respondent will take all actions necessary to cure the above-cited violations, specifically, updating their standard operating procedures, updating their employee handbooks and trainings to ensure future compliance and pay to the Department an administrative penalty in the amount of \$ 500.00 to the Rhode Island General Treasurer.
- b. Respondent shall hereafter comply in all respects with the requirements under the Act and the Regulations.

By agreeing to resolve this matter through the execution of this Consent Agreement Respondent voluntarily waives its right to the administrative hearing process, voluntarily waives its right to appeal any finding therefrom to the superior court, and agrees to take all necessary action as delineated in this Consent Agreement to maintain its license in good standing.

Respondent hereby acknowledges and agrees that failure to abide by any of the requirements of this Consent Agreement shall be grounds for the Department to initiate further administrative proceedings to impose penalties against Respondent including, but not limited to: (i) revocation and/or suspension, and (ii) such additional administrative penalties that the Department deems appropriate.

THE DEPARTMENT AND RESPONDENT HEREBY CONSENT AND AGREE TO THE FOREGOING AS TO FORM AND SUBSTANCE:

Department:

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS
REGULATION

By: *Norman Bireubum*
Name: Norman Bireubum
Title: Director, Policies and Programs

DATE: 6-13-19

Respondent:

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By: *Joseph Casimiro*
Name: _____
Its duly authorized: _____

DATE: 6/13/19