

IN THE MATTER OF
DLD ENTERPRISES, INC.
DBA VERILIFE¹

* BEFORE THE MARYLAND
* CANNABIS ADMINISTRATION
* Hearing Officer: Jared T. Weissbrot
* Case No. 25-00448

Respondent
License No. DA-23-00043

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CONSENT ORDER

On December 30, 2025, the Maryland Cannabis Administration (“MCA” or the “Administration”), pursuant to the Cannabis Reform Act (the “Act”), codified at Alcoholic Beverages and Cannabis Article, § 36-501, *et seq.* (2023, 2025 Supp.) and Code of Maryland Regulations (COMAR) 14.17 (2025), issued Administrative Charges against and **DLD ENTERPRISES, INC. dba VERILIFE** (“Respondent”), **License No. DA-23-00043**, a licensed cannabis dispensary.

The pertinent provisions of COMAR are as follows:

14.17.12 Cannabis Dispensary Operations

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.02 Standard Cannabis Dispensary

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H. A dispensary shall store its cannabis inventory in the secure room other than while the licensed dispensary is open for business and 2 hours before and 2 hours after.

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.11 Standard Operating Procedures

A. A dispensary shall establish standard operating procedures in accordance with this subtitle for all aspects of:

(1) Inventory control, including:

(a) Tracking the dispensary’s stock of cannabis in the seed-to-sale tracking system from the time it is received by the dispensary to the time it is delivered or dispensed to another licensee, a registrant, a

¹ DLD Enterprises, Inc. dba Verlife is owned by PharmaCann, Inc., a Delaware corporation.

qualifying patient, a registered caregiver, or an adult-use consumer; and
(b) Monthly physical inventory;

14.17.14 Complaints, Enforcement, Record Keeping and Inspections of Cannabis Businesses

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.04 Discipline and Diversion

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C. A licensee or registrant may not substantially deviate or demonstrate a pattern of deviation from:

1. Its standard operating procedures:

To avoid the costs and uncertainties of a full hearing and any related appeals, the Parties agree to resolve these allegations in accordance with the terms of this Consent Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent owns and operates a cannabis dispensary (the "Dispensary") located in Westminster, Maryland 21157 under license number DA-23-00043.
2. On September 3, 2025, a complaint was forwarded to the MCA for investigation which alleged that Respondent routinely (or at least for the six months prior to the filing of the complaint), stored cannabis products in an unsecured room of the dispensary.
3. On September 4, 2025, an MCA investigator performed an unannounced inspection of the Dispensary.
4. The investigator discovered that a small rectangular room located behind the Dispensary's point of sale (POS) registers in the Service Area operates as a Fulfillment Room, where the investigator observed three racks, each approximately five feet tall, filled with cannabis products that were being stored there, including overnight.
5. The Fulfillment Room is not constructed as a secure room as required by COMAR 14.17.12.02G. Three of the walls are composed of sheetrock, and the fourth wall is composed of multiple doors facing into the Service Area. At least two of those doors had

- broken locks, allowing easy access to the Fulfillment Room from the sales area of the Dispensary.
6. Interviews of Dispensary employees revealed that the Dispensary began utilizing the Fulfillment Room for cannabis storage in or around April 2025 and continued daily until the date of inspection.
 7. Video surveillance from multiple occasions clearly show Respondent's employees moving the three racks of cannabis/cannabis products into the unsecured Fulfillment Room to be stored there upon the Dispensary's closing each day.
 8. Further, review of the Dispensary's SOP for Product Handling and Storage, states that outside of the allowed time frame, medical cannabis must be stored in the dispensary's secured vault. Thus, Respondent's practice of using the Fulfillment Room for overnight storage of cannabis was a violation of Respondent's own SOP.
 9. A follow-up inspection on September 23, 2025 revealed that Respondent had removed excess cannabis/cannabis products from the Fulfillment Room and was properly storing product in the vault each night.
 10. The MCA also noted several violations during prior inspections in Case Nos. 25-00075 and 25-00295.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

11. Respondent's failure to properly secure its cannabis inventory overnight for approximately three months represents 90 violations of COMAR 14.17.12.02.H.
12. Respondent's failure to adhere to its SOPs regarding proper cannabis inventory storage for approximately three months represents a violation of COMAR 14.17.14.04.C.1.

ORDER

Based on the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of law, it is hereby

ORDERED that, within 10 days of this Order, Respondent shall:

1. Pay a fine to the Compassionate Use Fund in the amount of \$45,000; and
2. Devise a new MCA-approved inventory storage SOP, retrain all staff on the same, and provide the MCA with the training records on a monthly basis;

and it is further

ORDERED that Respondent shall be responsible for the costs associated with complying with this Order; and it is further

ORDERED that this Consent Order is a PUBLIC DOCUMENT pursuant to Md. Code Ann., Gen. Prov. §§ 4-401 et seq. (2024).

8-25-2026

Date


Tabatha Robinson, Director
Maryland Cannabis Administration

CONSENT

I, Jacques Santucci, on behalf of the Receiver for DLD Enterprises, Inc., dba Verlife, and I have legal authority to enter into this agreement on behalf of Verilife (hereinafter "Respondent"). Respondent acknowledges that it had the opportunity to seek advice of counsel in this matter. By this Consent, Respondent agrees and accepts to be bound by this Consent Order and its conditions and restrictions. Respondent waives any rights it may have had to contest the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

Respondent acknowledges the validity of this Consent Order as if entered into after the conclusion of a formal evidentiary hearing in which the Respondent would have had the right to counsel, to confront witnesses, to give testimony, to call witnesses on its own behalf, and to all other substantive and procedural protections as provided by law. Respondent acknowledges the legal authority and the jurisdiction of the Administration to initiate these proceedings and to issue and enforce this Consent Order. Respondent also affirms that it is waiving its right to appeal any adverse ruling of the Administration that might have followed any such hearing.

I sign this Consent Order with authority and on behalf of Respondent and having consulted with counsel, Respondent fully understands and comprehends the language, meaning and terms of this Consent Order, without reservation, and understands its meaning and effect.

08-26-2026

Date



Jacques Santucci, on behalf of the Receiver,
for DLD Enterprises, dba Verlife

NOTARY

IN THE COUNTY OF Cumberland,

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this 26 day of August 2026, by

Jacques Santucci, on behalf of DLD Enterprises, dba Verlife

gave oath in due form of law that the foregoing Consent Order was his voluntary act and deed.

S/He has produced a drivers license as identification.

Kathleen Nugent

Notary Public

Kathleen A. Nugent

My Commission Expires: September 13, 2026

