

MEMORANDUM TO: All Chiefs of Police and
Commissioner Thomas Carrique
Chairs, Police Services Boards

FROM: Richard Stubbings
Assistant Deputy Minister
Public Safety Division and Public Safety Training Division

SUBJECT: **O. Reg. 128/20 - Pick Up and Delivery of Cannabis**

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At the request of the Ministry of the Attorney General, I am sharing a communication regarding an emergency order ([O. Reg. 128/20](#)) made under the *Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act* (EMCPA) that temporarily enables private licensed cannabis retail stores in Ontario to provide delivery and curbside pick-up services in Ontario.

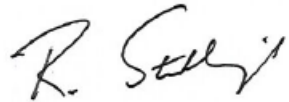
Please review the attached memo from A/Assistant Deputy Attorney General, which provides further detail on the emergency order, including details on delivery and curbside pick-up parameters.

Please note: while the legal sale of cannabis is generally enforced by the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario (AGCO), as an emergency order under the EMCPA, this order may also be enforced by provincial offences officers.

In addition to the requirements set out in the Emergency Order, the AGCO, Ontario's provincial regulator for private cannabis retail, has established Registrar's Standards to ensure the continued safe and responsible sale of cannabis through these temporary delivery and curbside pick-up services. **It should be noted that compliance with AGCO Registrar's Standards is a requirement under the *Cannabis Licence Act, 2018*, not part of the Emergency Order. As such, compliance with the Registrar's Standards would continue to only be enforced by AGCO compliance officials.**

If you require further information on this order, please contact Alexander Bishop at Alexander.Bishop2@ontario.ca.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. Stubbings". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

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Attachment