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Fwd: Hemp Extraction Questions

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From: cdphe_laponduty - CDPHE, CDPHE
Date: Fri, Oct 9, 2015 4:55 PM
To: Lipps, Marshall;
Cc:
Subject: Re: Hemp Extraction Questions

Marshall,

I have answered your questions below. After speaking with our wholesale division that deals with this subject quite often, I have provided answers to your questions below:

1. Can hemp plant extraction be done in a licensed commercial kitchen, provided it follows permitted guidelines for this process?

Yes, if it follows the permitted guidelines as described in the letter you provided.

2. Can hemp plant extractions/concentrated be used in a commercial kitchen to mix in or add to other products?

Yes, the use of hemp extracts as a food ingredient is not considered an adulterant. We would treat this like any other produce/herb type of ingredient if the product is sold as a food at retail.

3. Are hemp food and products regulated under the same guidelines as any food?

Yes, since hemp extracts (produced under the permitted guidelines) are simply considered a food additive they are treated the same as any other food product.

Let me know if you have any further questions.

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On Fri, Oct 9, 2015 at 12:52 PM, Lipps, Marshall <mlipps@bouldercounty.org> wrote:

Hello,

I received these questions regarding hemp oil extraction at the retail food level. There are additional details in the attached document. Any insight

would be appreciated.

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