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Small Container Guidance

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This Bulletin is issued by the Rhode Island Department of Business Regulation (“DBR”), Office of Cannabis Regulation (“OCR”) with respect to the new packaging and labeling requirements for hemp-derived consumable CBD products set forth in § 1.11(G) of the Rules and Regulations Related to the Industrial Hemp Program Administered by the Office of Cannabis Regulation at the Department of Business Regulation, 230-RICR-80-10- 1, which were amended effective on October 10, 2021 (the “Regulations” or “230-RICR-80-10-1”). This guidance is issued in accordance with Rhode Island General Laws § 2-26-1 et seq. (the “Act”) and the Regulations. This document is intended to provide an overview of certain regulatory requirements and should not replace a thorough reading of the [regulations](#).

Immediate Small Container Requirements

If the immediate container holding the hemp-derived consumable CBD product is too small to fit all the required label information, a licensee may put at a minimum the following information on a label that is securely affixed to the small container:

- Universal Symbol at least 0.48 inches wide by 0.35 inches tall
- THC/CBD content
- Tradename of the seller of the product and/or license number
- Unique Identifier
- Serving size and Servings per container
- *"Warning: This product is not certified to be free of contaminants, is derived from industrial hemp, is not medical marijuana, and has not been analyzed or approved by the FDA."

*The warning must be a label affixed to the package or an insert provided with the packaging.