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**Re: Marijuana Dispensary Application – VitalGen Collective**

Dear Applicants:

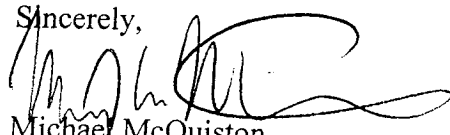
I have revisited my previous rejection of your application to operate a marijuana dispensary within the city of Albany and, based on additional information and advice of legal counsel, your application is hereby *approved* for purposes of compliance with the Business License Background Investigation required under Albany Municipal Code 20.20.110.

**This is not a permit to conduct marijuana dispensary activity in the City of Albany.**

You are still required to obtain Planning and Zoning Commission approval of your proposal, which, if granted, will result in issuance of a use permit and business license. You must contact Mr. Jeff Bond, City of Albany Planning and Building Manager, to complete the administrative approval and permit process. *Failure to do so may result in criminal prosecution if you conduct any marijuana dispensary activity in the City of Albany.*

You may reach Jeff Bond at 510-528-5760.

Sincerely,

  
Michael McQuiston  
Chief of Police

cc: Jeff Bond, CD&ER  
Robert Zweben, City Attorney

