

LOCAL LAW 6 OF 2021 ADDING  
CHAPTER 152 TO THE SWEDEN TOWN CODE  
OPTING OUT OF ADULT USE CANNABIS RETAIL  
DISPENSARIES AND ON-SITE CONSUMPTION SITES

Be it enacted by the Sweden Town Board, County of Monroe, State of New York  
(hereinafter referred to as the Board), as follows:

SECTION 1. TITLE (§152-1)

This Local law shall be referred to as "Local Law 6 of 2021 Adding Chapter 152 to the Sweden Town Code Opting Out of Adult Use Cannabis Retail Dispensaries and On-Site Consumption Sites".

SECTION 2. AUTHORIZATION (§152-2)

This Local Law is adopted pursuant to the legislative authority in Municipal Home Rule Law §10, Town Law §261-§264, General Municipal Law §96a and §119-dd, Public Service Law Article 10 and Cannabis Law Article 4. More specifically, Cannabis Law §131 expressly authorizes the Board to adopt this Local Law requesting the Cannabis Control Board prohibit the establishment of cannabis retail dispensary licenses and/or on-site consumption licenses within the jurisdiction of the Town of Sweden (hereinafter referred to as Sweden), the procedure of which is governed by Municipal Home Rule Law §24.

SECTION 3. PURPOSE AND INTENT (§152-3)

Sweden, as an exercise of the statutory authorities referenced hereinabove, finds it to be in the best interests of Sweden residences, businesses and/or commercial entities to enact the immediate legislation.

SECTION 4. LOCAL OPT – OUT (§152-4)

The Board hereby opts out of allowing cannabis retail dispensaries and on-site cannabis consumption sites from being established, maintained and/or operated within the jurisdiction of Sweden.

SECTION 5. PERMISSIVE REFERENDUM/  
REFERENDUM ON PETITION (§152-5)

This Local Law is subject to a referendum on petition in accordance with Cannabis Law §131 and the procedure outlined in Municipal Home Rule Law §24.

SECTION 6. SEVERABILITY AND/OR VALIDITY (§152-6)

If any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section or part of this Local Law, or the application thereof to any person, individual, firm or corporation, or circumstance, shall be adjudged by a Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unconstitutional, such order or judgment shall not affect impair or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section or part of this Local Law, or in its application to the person, individual, firm or corporation, or circumstance, directly involved in the controversy in which said order or judgment shall be rendered.

SECTION 7. EFFECTIVE DATE (§152-7)

This Local Law shall take effect upon the date it is filed in the Office of the New York State Secretary of State in accordance with the Municipal Home Rule Law §27.

Dated: Town of Sweden, New York  
November 9, 2021