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**Supersedes existing laws governing cannabis (marijuana);
creates commission to regulate cultivation, processing, sale of cannabis**

Result of “Yes” Vote: “Yes” vote overrides most existing laws relating to cannabis, except medical marijuana; creates commission to regulate production, processing, sale of cannabis, contract with cannabis retailers.

Result of “No” Vote: “No” vote retains laws classifying cannabis as a controlled substance; prohibiting most sale, possession, manufacture of cannabis; permitting production, possession of cannabis for medical use.

Summary: Currently, cultivation, possession, sale of cannabis are unlawful, excepting regulated production, possession, use of medical marijuana. Measure supersedes state, local laws relating to cannabis (marijuana), except medical marijuana and driving under the influence laws. Prohibits regulation of “hemp” (defined). Creates commission to license cannabis cultivation, processing by qualified persons; commission sets price, purchases entire crop. Commission sells cannabis at cost to pharmacies, medical research facilities; for profit at set retail price to qualified adults. Licensed retailers receive 15 percent of gross sales. Proceeds fund commission, Attorney General’s enforcement of measure’s criminal provisions. Ninety percent of profit goes to state general fund, remainder as designated. Attorney General must “vigorously defend” measure, any person prosecuted for licensed activities, propose federal/international law consistent with measure. Other provisions.

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To the Secretary of State of Oregon: I request this petition be submitted to the people of Oregon for their approval or rejection at the November 4, 2014, General Election. A full and correct copy of the text was available for my review and I have not previously signed a signature sheet for this petition.

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Petition ID 21

Amends Constitution: Permits adult marijuana use, possession, production, except actions endangering children, public safety; state may regulate

Result of “Yes” Vote: “Yes” vote amends constitution, permits private, personal use, possession or production of cannabis by adults, unless endangers minors or public safety; permits state regulation, taxation.

Result of “No” Vote: “No” vote retains laws prohibiting possession, manufacture, delivery of cannabis, except when permitted under the Oregon Medical Marijuana Act to treat a “debilitating medical condition.”

Summary: Under current law, possession, manufacture, and delivery of more than one ounce of cannabis (marijuana), and possession or delivery of less than an ounce within 1,000 feet of a school, are criminal offenses; possession of less than one ounce, or delivery of less than five grams, of cannabis is a violation; Oregon Medical Marijuana Act regulates use, possession, cultivation of specified amounts of cannabis for treatment of a “debilitating medical condition” (defined). Measure amends Oregon Constitution to make criminal laws, sanctions, civil forfeiture laws inapplicable to private, personal use, possession or production of cannabis/ any products of cannabis, by a person aged 21 or older, unless endangers minors or public safety. Permits state regulation reasonably defining, limiting, regulating use, possession, production, sale, taxation of cannabis.

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