

Practices & Industries

Cannabis

Overview

"In flux" is one way to describe the many and ever-changing federal, state, and local laws and regulations governing the production, distribution, and sale of medical and recreational marijuana or cannabis. As more states start to decriminalize the medical and recreational use of cannabis, laws around other controlled substances (such as psilocybin, which comes from certain types of *Psilocybe* mushrooms) are also starting to evolve. For the foreseeable future, this presents a challenging landscape for those who are interested in entering into business in this industry.

Day Pitney's Cannabis practice group advises a diverse group of clients across the nation in implementing innovative solutions within this complex regulatory landscape. The breadth and depth of our experience allow Day Pitney's Cannabis team to assist clients in achieving their long-term business goals and objectives in this rapidly growing industry. Our lawyers have extensive knowledge of the regulatory environment from multiple angles. Our multidisciplinary Cannabis team handles issues related to corporate formation, real estate leases, land use, employment, banking and finance, government regulation and enforcement, healthcare and life sciences, intellectual property, and energy and utilities. Attorneys in our Cannabis group have also previously held senior positions in the executive and legislative branches of federal and state governments.

Day Pitney's Cannabis practice group is able to provide comprehensive legal advice and counsel to clients throughout the value chain, from formation to divestiture. Whether you are a cannabis cultivator, processor, distributor or retailer, we have the knowledge and experience you need to succeed in this complex and ever-changing industry.