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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Senator Evers moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 366 - 375

and insert:

(c)1. Upon the registration of 250,000 active qualified patients in the compassionate use registry, authorize the establishment of three dispensing organizations. An applicant for approval as a dispensing organization under this paragraph must meet the requirements of subparagraphs (b)2.-7., be operated by a farmer, and demonstrate the technical and technological ability to cultivate and produce low-THC cannabis.



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12 The department must approve as a dispensing organization at
13 least one applicant that is owned or operated by an individual
14 that is both a recognized class member of *Pigford v. Glickman*,
15 185 F.R.D. 82 (D.D.C. 1999), or *In Re Black Farmers Litig.*, 856
16 F. Supp. 2d 1 (D.D.C. 2011), and a member of the Black Farmers
17 and Agriculturalists Association.

18 2. For purposes of this paragraph, the term "farmer" means
19 an individual owner or operator of a tract or tracts of land who
20 is considered engaged in accepted agricultural practices.

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22 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

23 And the title is amended as follows:

24 Between lines 30 and 31
25 insert:
26 defining the term "farmer";