RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE OFFICE OF CANNABIS MANAGEMENT TO FILE AMENDMENTS TO THE CANNABINOID HEMP REGULATIONS FOR PUBLIC COMMENT.

WHEREAS, the Cannabis Control Board (Board), is a five-member Board created pursuant to Article 2 of the Cannabis Law, charged with the responsibility of overseeing activities related to processing, distribution, marketing, transportation and sale of cannabinoid hemp and hemp extracts used for human consumption;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 10 and Section 13 of Article 2 of the Cannabis Law, the Board has the authority to establish standards and promulgate regulations to govern cannabinoid hemp in addition to other cannabis regulatory activities;

WHEREAS, the Board pursuant to Section 91 of Article 5 of the Cannabis Law, intends on exercising its express rulemaking authority to create a regulatory framework for cannabinoid hemp and hemp extracts which, if adopted, shall be enforced by the Office of Cannabis Management (hereinafter “Office”), now, therefore, be it,

RESOLVED, that the Board approves, by majority vote through the adoption of this resolution, to permit the Office to initiate the process for filing such regulatory amendments with the New York State Department of State, in accordance with the State Administrative Procedure Rules Act.

[Attachment Enclosed]