





BC's APPROACH TO CANNABIS LEGALIZATION AND REGULATION

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Provincial Priorities



Prioritize public health and safety



Protect children and youth



Reduce crime and the illegal market



Address cannabis –affected driving



Support economic development

Provincial Legislation



Cannabis Control & Licensing Act

 Minimum age, limits on personal possession and cultivation, places of use, retail licensing regime, enforcement authority, offences



Cannabis Distribution Act

- Public wholesale distribution model
- Government-run BC Cannabis Stores and online store

Provincial Roles and Responsibilities

Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General

Cannabis Legalization and Regulation Secretariat

Community Safety Unit

Security Programs
Division

Ministry of Attorney General

> Liquor and Cannabis Regulation Branch

Liquor Distribution
Branch

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