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Dear Recipient:

RE: Cannabis Accessories Approved for Sale in Retail Cannabis Stores

In response to inquiries on cannabis accessories, Alberta Gaming, Liquor & Cannabis (AGLC) has aligned the Retail Cannabis Store Handbook definition of cannabis accessories with the federal definition. For accessories where further interpretation has been required, AGLC has developed a list of a few specific cannabis accessories permitted for sale in a retail cannabis store.

The following criteria is used for determining if a product is approved as a cannabis accessory:

- compliance with all federal and provincial legislative requirements;
- specifically developed for the cannabis industry (exceptions can apply, e.g., lighters); and
- commonly used in the legal consumption of cannabis.

Approved items include:

Childproof containers (MANDATORY)	Humidors/packs
Ashtrays	Oil/butter makers infusers
Lighters	Joint containers
Matches	Storage containers
Rolling trays, Rolling papers/wraps	Scales
Rolling machines	Filters/screens
Pipes/bongs	Pipe cleaners
Air filters	Grinders
Vaporizers	

Products with the following characteristics will not be considered an approved cannabis accessory:

- consumable products other than cannabis;
- items intended to be mixed, applied or consumed with cannabis;
- appeal to minors or represent a celebrity endorsement;
- depict a person, character or animal;
- conceal the possession or use of cannabis; and
- consist of organic solvents as defined in Section 4.3 of the Retail Cannabis Store Handbook.



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Non-approved items include:

Ice cube trays	Bong water
Magazines	Recipe cards or books
Edibles kits	Cosmetics, health and beauty items
Clothing	

A regularly maintained list may be found at <https://aglc.ca/cannabis/retail-cannabis/retail-cannabis-accessories>.

If you would like further clarity please contact your local AGLC Inspections office at Inspections.mailbox@aglc.ca.

Sincerely,

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