

CALIFORNIA CANNABIS COMPLIANCE REPORT

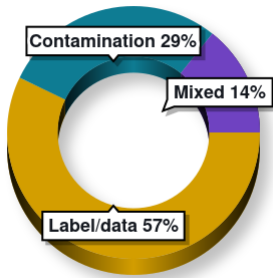
California Cannabis Compliance Report — September 2025

California published 7 recalls and 26 enforcement actions in September 2025. 5 cited label or cannabinoid-pipeline failures.

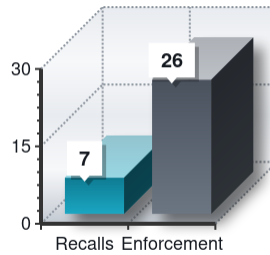
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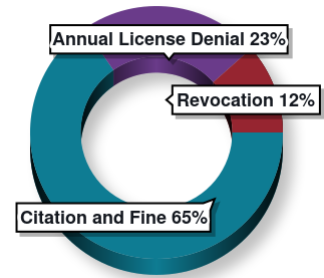
CATEGORY MIX



RECALLS VS ENFORCEMENT



ACTION TYPE MIX



At a glance

RECALLS THIS MONTH	PRIOR MONTH	SAME MONTH, PRIOR YEAR
7	6 +1 MoM	9 -2 YoY

Category mix

Contamination: 2 Label/data: 4 Mixed: 1

Every recall this month

DATE	TYPE	CATEGORY	LICENSEE	PRODUCT / REASON
09/05/2025	Voluntary	Contamination	Punch Media LLC DCC-10003615	Punch Vape Cartridge "Adulterated: Pesticide Category I Contamination (Daminozide)" phenominal.io detail · DCC source

DATE	TYPE	CATEGORY	LICENSEE	PRODUCT / REASON
09/09/2025	Voluntary	Label/data	Euphoric Life Inc. DCC-10003356	Olala Beverage "Adulterated and Misbranded: Other" phenominal.io detail · DCC source
09/09/2025	Voluntary	Label/data	Euphoric Life Inc. DCC-10003356	Reefresh Beverage "Adulterated and Misbranded: Other" phenominal.io detail · DCC source
09/09/2025	Voluntary	Label/data	Euphoric Life Inc. DCC-10003356	Voila Beverage "Adulterated and Misbranded: Other" phenominal.io detail · DCC source
09/09/2025	Voluntary	Label/data	Euphoric Life Inc. DCC-10003356	Live Oro Beverage "Adulterated and Misbranded: Other" phenominal.io detail · DCC source
09/18/2025	Voluntary	Mixed	Crème de Canna Collective C11-0000629-LIC	Terpys Infused Flower "Adulterated and Misbranded: Microbial Contamination (Aspergillus niger); Inaccurate Labeling (Cannabinoid inflation)" phenominal.io detail · DCC source
09/22/2025	Voluntary	Contamination	Odyssey Agricultural Development LLC C11-0001869-LIC	Catalyst Pre-Roll "Adulterated: Microbial Contamination (Aspergillus niger)" phenominal.io detail · DCC source

DCC enforcement actions this month

ACTIONS THIS MONTH 26	PRIOR MONTH 15 +11 MoM	SAME MONTH, PRIOR YEAR 9 +17 YoY	CCR + BPC SECTIONS CITED 125
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Action type mix

Citation and Fine: 17

Annual License Denial: 6

Revocation: 3

Every enforcement action this month

DATE	ACTION	LICENSE TYPE	LICENSEE	SECTIONS CITED
09/02/2025	Citation and Fine	Retailer Annual	Ht, Inc. dba High Tides Cannabis Dispensary C10-0000418-LIC	CCR §15402 — Customer Access to the Retail Area CCR §15404 — Retail Customers, Failure to Confirm Age of Customers
09/03/2025	Annual License Denial	Distribution Annual License Applicant	VAHC, Inc. C11-18-0000999-APP	CCR §15000.3 — General Requirements, Premises Requirements CCR §15010 — Compliance with California Environmental Quality Act CCR §17800 — Right of Access CCR §17800 — Right of Access, Failure to Cooperate BPC §26055 — Annual License Application Requirements, Local Authorization
09/03/2025	Annual License Denial	Microbusiness Annual License Applicant	Holistic Alternative Inc. #57/D C12-18-0000047-APP	CCR §15011 — Additional Information, Enrollment or Waiver of Waste Discharge Requirements BPC §26030 — Failure to Comply, Payment of Taxes BPC §26051.5 — License Application Requirements, Seller's Permit

DATE	ACTION	LICENSE TYPE	LICENSEE	SECTIONS CITED
09/03/2025	Annual License Denial	Microbusiness Annual License Applicant	Terrence Mumford C12-19-0000043-APP	<p>CCR §15000.1 — General Requirements, Conducting Commercial Cannabis Activity</p> <p>CCR §15002 — Annual License Application Requirements, Legal Right to Occupy and Use</p> <p>CCR §15007 — Landowner Approval</p> <p>CCR §15010 — Compliance with California Environmental Quality Act</p> <p>CCR §15011 — Additional Information, Enrollment or Waiver of Waste Discharge Requirements</p> <p>CCR §15011 — Additional Information, Final Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement</p> <p>CCR §15023 — Business Modifications, Transfer of Ownership</p> <p>CCR §17800 — Right of Access</p> <p>BPC §26055 — Annual License Application Requirements, Local Authorization</p>
09/04/2025	Citation and Fine	Retailer Annual	Otc Artesia LLC C10-0001467-LIC	<p>CCR §15041.4 — Providing Trade Samples, Failure to Comply</p> <p>CCR §15411 — Requirements for Providing Free Cannabis Goods to Medicinal Consumers</p> <p>CCR §17801 — Notice to Comply</p>
09/09/2025	Citation and Fine	Microbusiness Annual	The Heart of Humboldt C12-0000194-LIC	<p>CCR §15000.7 — Storage of Inventory, Employee Break Areas</p> <p>CCR §15027 — Modification of Premises or Operations</p> <p>CCR §15041.4 — Providing of Trade Samples, Track and Trace Recording</p> <p>CCR §15044 — Video Surveillance System Requirements</p> <p>CCR §15045 — Security Personnel, Requirements</p> <p>CCR §15047.2 — Track and Trace Requirements, Recording of Commercial Cannabis Activity</p> <p>CCR §15048.5 — Use of Harvest Batch Name and Package Tags, UID Number</p> <p>CCR §16310 — Pest Management Plan</p> <p>CCR §17221 — Weighing Devices and Weighmasters, Use of Approved Weighing Devices</p> <p>CCR §17221 — Weighing Devices and Weighmasters, Determination by Licensed Weighmaster</p> <p>CCR §17221 — Weighing Devices and Weighmasters, Weighmaster Certificate</p> <p>BPC §26160 — Licensee Records</p> <p>BPC §26039.5 — Misbranded Cannabis or Cannabis Products</p>
09/10/2025	Citation and Fine	— Unlicensed	Luis Gerardo Pulido Rodriguez	BPC §26037.5 — Unlicensed Commercial Cannabis Activity
09/10/2025	Citation and Fine	— Unlicensed	Jose Alberto Aguilar	BPC §26037.5 — Unlicensed Commercial Cannabis Activity

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09/16/2025	Revocation	Retailer (Non-Storefront) Provisional	Urban Flavours C9-0000292-LIC	<p>CCR §15000.3 — General Requirements, Premises Requirements</p> <p>CCR §15002 — Annual License Application Requirements, Seller's Permit</p> <p>CCR §15027 — Modification of Premises or Operations</p> <p>CCR §15047.2 — Track and Trace Requirements, Accuracy and Completeness</p> <p>CCR §15403 — Hours of Operation</p> <p>CCR §15406 — Cannabis Goods for Sale, Verification of Regulatory Testing Before Sale</p> <p>CCR §15415 — Delivery Employees</p> <p>CCR §17800 — Right of Access</p> <p>CCR §17800 — Right of Access, Failure to Cooperate</p>
09/17/2025	Citation and Fine	Microbusiness Annual	Dash Management LLC C12-0000559-LIC	<p>CCR §15040 — Advertising Placement and Prohibitions, Advertising or Marketing Attractive to Children</p> <p>CCR §17408 — Labeling Restrictions, Restrictions on Content</p> <p>CCR §17411 — Packaging, Attractive to Children</p> <p>BPC §26120 — Packaging and Labeling Requirements for Cannabis and Cannabis Products</p>
09/17/2025	Citation and Fine	Distribution Annual	Lucky Family Brands, Inc. C11-0001925-LIC	<p>CCR §15048.5 — Use of Harvest Batch Name and Package Tags, UID Number</p> <p>CCR §15305 — Testing Sample, Licensee Presence During Sample Collection</p> <p>CCR §15306 — Regulatory Compliance Testing Results, Repackaging</p> <p>CCR §17398 — Bulk Cannabis or Cannabis Products, Label Requirements</p>
09/17/2025	Citation and Fine	Manufacturer Annual	Lucky Family Brands DCC-10005019	<p>CCR §15048.5 — Use of Harvest Batch Name and Package Tags, UID Number</p> <p>CCR §17398 — Bulk Cannabis or Cannabis Products, Label Requirements</p> <p>CCR §17401 — Cannabis Products Released from Manufacturing, Release to Distributor as Finished Product</p>
09/17/2025	Citation and Fine	Retailer Annual	Nova Grow Labs, LLC dba The Chronic C10-0000897-LIC	<p>CCR §15040.2 — Prohibited Business Promotions, Giveaways</p> <p>CCR §15409 — Daily Limits</p> <p>CCR §15600 — Cannabis Event Organizer License</p> <p>CCR §15601 — Temporary Cannabis Event Requirements</p> <p>CCR §15604 — Informational or Educational Cannabis Events</p> <p>BPC §26200 — Temporary Events</p>

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09/18/2025	Revocation	Distribution Provisional	Can Am Partners, LLC C11-0001421-LIC	<p>CCR §15000.1 — General Requirements, Conducting Commercial Cannabis Activity</p> <p>CCR §15027 — Modification of Premises or Operations</p> <p>CCR §15044 — Video Surveillance System Requirements</p> <p>CCR §15047.2 — Track and Trace Requirements, Recording of Commercial Cannabis Activity</p> <p>CCR §17801 — Notice to Comply</p>
09/18/2025	Revocation	Retailer (Non-Storefront) Provisional	Can Am Partners, LLC C9-0000471-LIC	<p>CCR §15000.1 — General Requirements, Conducting Commercial Cannabis Activity</p> <p>CCR §15027 — Modification of Premises or Operations</p> <p>CCR §15044 — Video Surveillance System Requirements</p> <p>CCR §15047.2 — Track and Trace Requirements, Recording of Commercial Cannabis Activity</p> <p>CCR §17801 — Notice to Comply</p>
09/24/2025	Citation and Fine	Microbusiness Annual	Quality Buds LLC C12-0000345-LIC	CCR §15047.2 — Track and Trace Requirements, Accuracy and Completeness
09/24/2025	Citation and Fine	Cultivation Annual	Clean Cut Farms, LLC CCL19-0005023	CCR §17801 — Notice to Comply
09/24/2025	Citation and Fine	Distribution Annual	Bishop Boyz LLC C11-0001847-LIC	<p>CCR §15000.1 — General Requirements, Conducting Commercial Cannabis Activity</p> <p>CCR §15049 — Track and Trace Reporting, Package Tags</p>
09/24/2025	Citation and Fine	Manufacturer Annual	Bishop Boyz LLC DCC-10004902	<p>CCR §15000.1 — General Requirements, Conducting Commercial Cannabis Activity</p> <p>CCR §15049 — Track and Trace Reporting, Package Tags</p> <p>CCR §15049.2 — Track and Trace Requirements, Recording Transfers of Cannabis and Cannabis Products</p>
09/24/2025	Annual License Denial	Microbusiness Annual License Applicant	Cannavores Cultivation LLC C12-23-0000010-APP	<p>CCR §15015 — Payment of Fees</p> <p>CCR §15020 — Renewal of License</p> <p>CCR §17801 — Notice to Comply</p>
09/25/2025	Citation and Fine	Retailer (Non-Storefront) Annual	My Guys Delivery LLC C9-0000524-LIC	<p>CCR §15000.1 — General Requirements, Conducting Commercial Cannabis Activity</p> <p>CCR §15047.2 — Track and Trace Requirements, Accuracy and Completeness</p>
09/25/2025	Citation and Fine	Distribution Annual	My Guys Delivery LLC C11-0001547-LIC	<p>CCR §15000.1 — General Requirements, Conducting Commercial Cannabis Activity</p> <p>CCR §15047.2 — Track and Trace Requirements, Accuracy and Completeness</p>

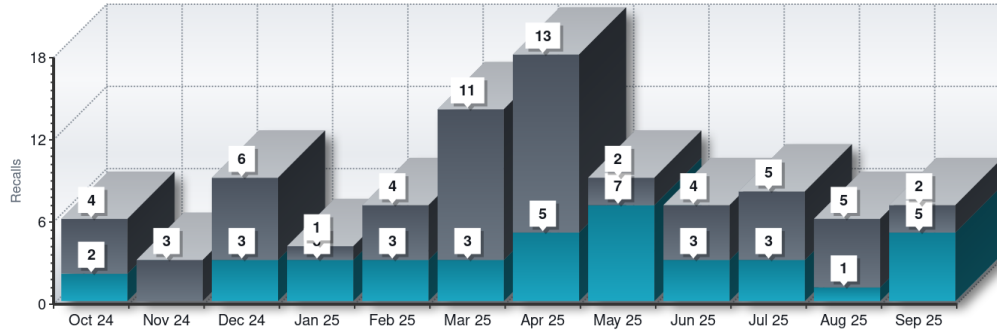
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09/25/2025	Citation and Fine	Retailer Annual	Tat Fresno II LLC dba The Artist Tree C10-0001041-LIC	<p>CCR §15041.4 — Providing of Trade Samples, Track and Trace Recording</p> <p>CCR §15041.5 — Requirement for Trade Samples, Labeling</p> <p>CCR §15052.1 — Acceptance or Rejection of Shipments</p> <p>CCR §15423 — Inventory Documentation</p>
09/26/2025	Annual License Denial	Distribution Annual License Applicant	RJRC, LLC C11-18-0000729-APP	<p>CCR §15006 — Premises Diagram</p> <p>CCR §15010 — Compliance with California Environmental Quality Act</p> <p>CCR §15035 — Notification of Criminal Acts, Civil Judgments, Violations of Labor Standards, and Revocation of a Local License, Permit, or Other Authorization After Licensure</p> <p>CCR §15048.5 — Use of Harvest Batch Name and Package Tags</p> <p>BPC §26030 — Failure to Comply With the Requirement of a Local Ordinance Regulating Commercial Cannabis Activity</p> <p>BPC §26039.5 — Misbranded Cannabis or Cannabis Products</p> <p>BPC §26039.6 — Adulterated Cannabis or Cannabis Products</p> <p>BPC §26055 — Annual License Application Requirements, Local Authorization</p>

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09/26/2025	Annual License Denial	Testing Laboratory Annual License Applicant	Caligreen Laboratory C8-18-0000099-APP	<p>CCR §15002 — Annual License Application Requirements, Change in Ownership</p> <p>CCR §15003 — Owners of Commercial Cannabis Businesses</p> <p>CCR §15023 — Business Modifications</p> <p>CCR §15049 — Track and Trace Reporting, Receipts of Cannabis or Cannabis Products</p> <p>CCR §15705 — General Sampling Requirements, Standard Operating Procedure(s)</p> <p>CCR §15708 — Cannabis Product Batch and Pre-Roll Sampling</p> <p>CCR §15712.1 — Cannabinoid Test Method for Dried Flower, Including Non-Infused Pre-Rolls</p> <p>CCR §15718 — Residual Solvents and Processing Chemicals Testing, Sample of Cannabis Products or Pre-Rolls</p> <p>CCR §15718 — Residual Solvents and Processing Chemicals Testing, Presence of Category I or Category II Residual Solvent or Processing Chemical</p> <p>CCR §15726 — Certificate of Analysis, Residual Solvent Results</p> <p>CCR §15726 — Certificate of Analysis, Cannabinoid Potency Reporting</p> <p>CCR §15726 — Certificate of Analysis, Validation of Accuracy</p> <p>CCR §15736 — General Laboratory Employee Qualifications, Minimum Education or Experience Requirements</p> <p>CCR §15736 — General Laboratory Employee Qualifications, Employee Training Program</p> <p>CCR §15738 — Analyst and Sampler Qualifications</p>

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09/30/2025	Citation and Fine	Distribution Annual	Humboldt Distribution Company LLC C11-0000309-LIC	<p>CCR §15041.3 — Designating Trade Samples</p> <p>CCR §15041.4 — Providing of Trade Samples to an Unlicensed Person</p> <p>CCR §15041.4 — Providing of Trade Samples, Track and Trace Recording</p> <p>CCR §15041.5 — Requirement for Trade Samples, Labeling</p> <p>CCR §15044 — Video Surveillance System Requirements</p> <p>CCR §15047.2 — Track and Trace Requirements, Recording of Commercial Cannabis Activity</p> <p>CCR §15048.5 — Use of Harvest Batch Name and Package Tags, UID Number</p> <p>CCR §15049.2 — Track and Trace Requirements, Recording Transfers of Cannabis and Cannabis Products</p> <p>CCR §15311 — Requirements for Transportation of Cannabis and Cannabis Products</p> <p>CCR §15314 — Shipping Manifests</p> <p>BPC §26160 — Licensee Records</p>

Trailing 12 months in context

This month set against the prior 11. Label-pipeline (label/data + mixed categories combined) is broken out so the share of total is visible per month.



MONTH	TOTAL RECALLS	LABEL-PIPELINE
October 2024	6	2
November 2024	3	0
December 2024	9	3
January 2025	4	3
February 2025	7	3
March 2025	14	3
April 2025	18	5
May 2025	9	7
June 2025	7	3
July 2025	8	3
August 2025	6	1
September 2025	7	5
Trailing-12 total	98	38

Methodology & about this report

This report is generated from data Phenominal Consulting maintains from two California Department of Cannabis Control public sources: recalls.cannabis.ca.gov (recall notices) and cannabis.ca.gov/cannabis-laws/compliance-action-records (enforcement actions). Every record on this report is sourced verbatim from a DCC public notice. The DCC portals are the authoritative source; if you find a discrepancy, the portal is correct.

Recall category labels (contamination, label/data, mixed, other, packaging) are interpretive groupings applied by Phenominal Consulting based on the verbatim DCC reason language on each notice. They are not DCC's own classification. **Enforcement action types** (Citation and Fine, Suspension, Revocation, Annual License Denial) are DCC's own labels.

Counts reflect each separately-published record on the DCC portals. DCC publishes one recall row per recalled SKU; a single enforcement event that pulls multiple SKUs publishes as multiple rows. Enforcement actions are counted once per published action.

Reports publish on the 1st of each month covering the prior calendar month. For live data between reports, see <https://phenominal.io/recalls>.

About Phenominal Consulting

Phenominal Consulting is a Sacramento-based California cannabis distribution compliance practice. We work with Type 11 distributors on the operational gap between the lab, the ERP, the label generator, and the printer — the data flow that produces every printed cannabis product label and the recall surface the DCC most frequently cites.

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