

CALIFORNIA CANNABIS COMPLIANCE REPORT

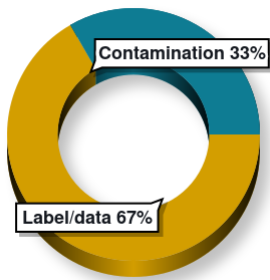
# California Cannabis Compliance Report — November 2025

California published 3 recalls and 16 enforcement actions in November 2025. 2 cited label or cannabinoid-pipeline failures.

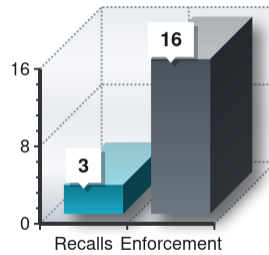
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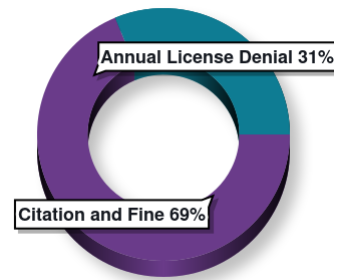
CATEGORY MIX



RECALLS VS ENFORCEMENT



ACTION TYPE MIX



## At a glance

| RECALLS THIS MONTH | PRIOR MONTH        | SAME MONTH, PRIOR YEAR |
|--------------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| <b>3</b>           | <b>2</b><br>+1 MoM | <b>3</b><br>flat       |

## Category mix

Label/data: 2    Contamination: 1

## Every recall this month

| DATE       | TYPE      | CATEGORY   | LICENSEE                            | PRODUCT / REASON  |
|------------|-----------|------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| 11/14/2025 | Voluntary | Label/data | PJC Wellness LLC<br>C12-0000592-LIC | <b>Humble Bounty Flower</b><br>"Adulterated and Misbranded: Other"<br><a href="#">phenominal.io detail</a> · <a href="#">DCC source</a> |

| DATE       | TYPE      | CATEGORY      | LICENSEE   | PRODUCT / REASON  |
|------------|-----------|---------------|--|---|
| 11/20/2025 | Voluntary | Contamination | The Distillate Company<br>LLC<br>C11-0000604-LIC | <b>Caviar Gold Infused Pre-Roll</b><br>"Adulterated: Pesticide Category I Contamination (Paclobutrazol)"<br><a href="#">phenominal.io detail</a> · DCC source |
| 11/26/2025 | Voluntary | Label/data    | Scislc LLC<br>C11-0001355-LIC                    | <b>CLSICS Edible</b><br>"Misbranded: Other"<br><a href="#">phenominal.io detail</a> · DCC source  |

## DCC enforcement actions this month

|                                 |                                     |   |                                       |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| ACTIONS THIS MONTH<br><b>16</b> | PRIOR MONTH<br><b>29</b><br>-13 MoM | SAME MONTH, PRIOR YEAR<br><b>23</b><br>-7 YoY | CCR + BPC SECTIONS CITED<br><b>76</b> |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|

### Action type mix

Annual License Denial: 5

Citation and Fine: 11

### Every enforcement action this month

| DATE       | ACTION                | LICENSE TYPE                                | LICENSEE  | SECTIONS CITED  |
|------------|-----------------------|---|---|---|
| 11/05/2025 | Annual License Denial | Distribution<br>Annual License<br>Applicant | <a href="#">The Kabuki Group, LLC</a><br>C11-18-0001198-APP | <p><b>CCR §15000.3</b> — General Requirements, Premises Requirements</p> <p><b>CCR §15044</b> — Video Surveillance System Requirements</p> <p><b>CCR §15046</b> — Limited Access Areas, Locks</p> <p><b>CCR §15047.2</b> — Track and Trace Requirements, Accuracy and Completeness</p> <p><b>CCR §15311</b> — Requirements for Transportation of Cannabis and Cannabis Products</p> <p><b>CCR §15312</b> — Required Transport Vehicle Information</p> <p><b>CCR §15313</b> — Transport Personnel Requirements</p> <p><b>CCR §17800</b> — Right of Access</p> <p><b>BPC §26070</b> — Transportation of Cannabis or Cannabis Products, Failure to Directly Employ a Driver to Transport or Transfer Cannabis or Cannabis Products</p> <p><b>BPC §26070</b> — Transportation of Cannabis or Cannabis Products, Motor Carrier Permit</p> <p><b>BPC §26160</b> — Licensee Records, Video Surveillance Recordings</p> |
| 11/05/2025 | Annual License Denial | Distribution<br>Annual License<br>Applicant | <a href="#">PUREST USA, LLC</a><br>C11-19-0000253-APP       | <p><b>CCR §15000.7</b> — Storage of Inventory</p> <p><b>CCR §15010</b> — Compliance with California Environmental Quality Act</p> <p><b>CCR §15044</b> — Video Surveillance System Requirements, Recordings</p> <p><b>CCR §15047.2</b> — Track and Trace Requirements, Accuracy and Completeness</p> <p><b>BPC §26055</b> — Annual License Application Requirements, Local Authorization</p>  |

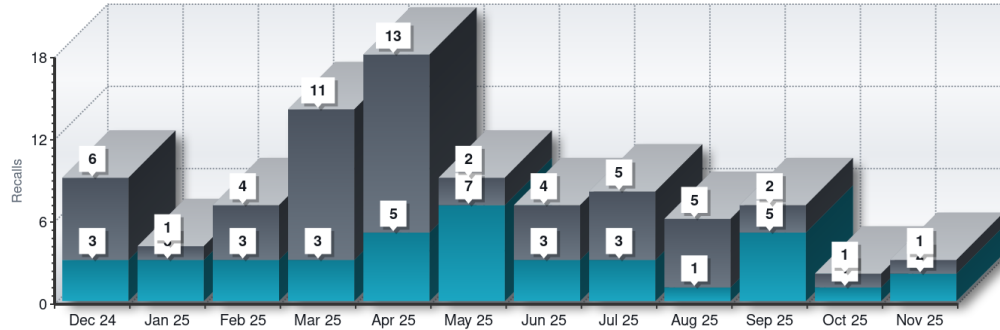
| DATE       | ACTION                | LICENSE TYPE                                | LICENSEE  | SECTIONS CITED  |
|------------|-----------------------|---|---|---|
| 11/05/2025 | Annual License Denial | Distribution<br>Annual License<br>Applicant | B-Perris Grow, LLC<br>C11-19-0000511-APP              | <p><b>CCR §15000.1</b> — General Requirements, Conducting Commercial Cannabis Activity</p> <p><b>CCR §15000.7</b> — Storage of Inventory</p> <p><b>CCR §15027</b> — Modification of Premises Operations</p> <p><b>CCR §15036</b> — Notification of Theft, Loss, and Criminal Activity</p> <p><b>CCR §15047.2</b> — Track and Trace Requirements, Accuracy and Completeness</p> <p><b>CCR §15048.4</b> — Tagging of Cannabis Plants</p> <p><b>CCR §15302</b> — Storage of Batches for Testing</p>  |
| 11/06/2025 | Citation and Fine     | Distribution<br>Annual                      | Coastal Business Distribution, LLC<br>C11-0000173-LIC | <p><b>CCR §15041.3</b> — Designating Trade Samples</p> <p><b>CCR §15041.4</b> — Providing of Trade Samples, Track and Trace Recording</p> <p><b>CCR §15044</b> — Video Surveillance System Requirements, Recorded Images</p> <p><b>CCR §15048.5</b> — Use of Harvest Batch Name and Package Tags, UID Number</p> <p><b>CCR §15051</b> — Track and Trace System Reconciliation, Review of Recorded Information</p> <p><b>CCR §15302</b> — Storage of Batches for Testing</p> <p><b>CCR §15302</b> — Storage of Batches for Testing, Batch Labeling</p> |
| 11/11/2025 | Citation and Fine     | Retailer<br>Annual                          | Fifth And Green LLC<br>C10-0000781-LIC                | <p><b>CCR §15044</b> — Video Surveillance System Requirements</p> <p><b>BPC §26160</b> — Licensee Records, Video Surveillance Recordings</p>  |
| 11/13/2025 | Citation and Fine     | Microbusiness<br>Annual                     | Jr Gardens, LLC<br>C12-0000515-LIC                    | <p><b>CCR §15000.6</b> — Employee Age Restriction</p> <p><b>CCR §15027</b> — Modification of Premises or Operations</p> <p><b>CCR §15037</b> — General Record Retention Requirements, Copies of Employee Records</p> <p><b>CCR §15047.2</b> — Track and Trace Requirements, Accuracy and Completeness</p> <p><b>CCR §15048.5</b> — Use of Harvest Batch Name and Package Tags</p>   |

| DATE       | ACTION                | LICENSE TYPE   | LICENSEE   | SECTIONS CITED   |
|------------|-----------------------|--|--|--|
| 11/14/2025 | Annual License Denial | Manufacturer<br>Annual License<br>Applicant              | KDM HOLDINGS LLC<br>APL-6256   | <p><b>CCR §15000.3</b> — General Requirements, Premises Requirements</p> <p><b>CCR §15000.4</b> — Subletting of Premises</p> <p><b>CCR §15010</b> — Compliance with California Environmental Quality Act</p> <p><b>CCR §15034</b> — Significant Discrepancy in Inventory</p> <p><b>CCR §15036</b> — Notification of Theft, Loss, and Criminal Activity</p> <p><b>CCR §15044</b> — Video Surveillance System Requirements</p> <p><b>CCR §17800</b> — Right of Access</p> <p><b>CCR §17800</b> — Right of Access, Failure to Cooperate</p> <p><b>CCR §17801</b> — Notice to Comply</p> <p><b>BPC §26055</b> — Annual License Application Requirements, Local Authorization</p> <p><b>BPC §26160</b> — Licensee Records</p> |
| 11/15/2025 | Citation and Fine     | Distribution<br>Annual                                   | Merced Distribution LLC<br>C11-0001612-LIC                           | <p><b>CCR §15000.1</b> — General Requirements, Conducting Commercial Cannabis Activity</p> <p><b>CCR §15052.1</b> — Acceptance or Rejection of Shipments</p>   |
| 11/19/2025 | Annual License Denial | Retailer (Non-Storefront)<br>Annual License<br>Applicant | CARE VERMONT HOLISTICS<br>C9-23-0000021-APP                          | <p><b>CCR §15014.1</b> — Equity Fee Relief, Deferred License Fees</p> <p><b>CCR §15015</b> — Payment of Fees</p> <p><b>CCR §17801</b> — Notice to Comply</p>   |
| 11/19/2025 | Citation and Fine     | Manufacturer<br>Annual                                   | Have It Inc.<br>DCC-10004880   | <p><b>CCR §15000.1</b> — General Requirements, Conducting Commercial Cannabis Activity</p> <p><b>CCR §15037</b> — General Record Retention Requirements, Misrepresenting or Falsifying of Records</p> <p><b>CCR §15044</b> — Video Surveillance System Requirements</p> <p><b>CCR §15044</b> — Video Surveillance System Requirements, Accurate Display of Time and Date</p> <p><b>CCR §15047.2</b> — Track and Trace Requirements, Accuracy and Completeness</p> <p><b>CCR §15311</b> — Requirements for Transportation of Cannabis and Cannabis Products</p>   |
| 11/19/2025 | Citation and Fine     | Microbusiness<br>Annual                                  | Mannawell LLC<br>C12-0000242-LIC                                     | <p><b>CCR §15000.3</b> — General Requirements, Premises Requirements</p> <p><b>CCR §17800</b> — Right of Access</p> <p><b>BPC §26160</b> — Licensee Records</p>  |
| 11/20/2025 | Citation and Fine     | Microbusiness<br>Annual                                  | EWC Resources, Inc. dba Elemental Wellness Center<br>C12-0000029-LIC | <p><b>CCR §15041.7</b> — Trade Sample Limits</p> <p><b>CCR §15403</b> — Hours of Operation</p>   |

| DATE       | ACTION            | LICENSE TYPE                             | LICENSEE                                    | SECTIONS CITED  |
|------------|-------------------|--|---|---|
| 11/20/2025 | Citation and Fine | Retailer (Non-Storefront)<br>Provisional | Crescent Distribution Inc<br>C9-0000447-LIC | <p><b>CCR §15044</b> — Video Surveillance System Requirements, Inspection of Recordings</p> <p><b>CCR §15048.5</b> — Use of Harvest Batch Name and Package Tags</p> <p><b>CCR §15049.3</b> — Track and Trace Requirements for Delivery, Inventory Ledger</p> <p><b>CCR §15415</b> — Delivery Employees</p> <p><b>CCR §17801</b> — Notice to Comply</p> <p><b>BPC §26030</b> — Failure to Comply with Notice to Comply Requirements</p> <p><b>BPC §26067</b> — Failure to Comply with Track and Trace Requirements</p> <p><b>BPC §26070</b> — Failure to Comply with Video Surveillance Requirements</p> |
| 11/26/2025 | Citation and Fine | —<br>Unlicensed                          | Plai Xiong*                                 | <b>BPC §26037.5</b> — Unlicensed Commercial Cannabis Activity   |
| 11/26/2025 | Citation and Fine | Retailer<br>Annual                       | Valley Pure Tulare, LLC<br>C10-0001199-LIC  | <p><b>CCR §15048.5</b> — Use of Harvest Batch Name and Package Tags</p> <p><b>CCR §15406</b> — Cannabis Goods for Sale, Best-By, Sell-By, or Expiration Date</p>  |
| 11/26/2025 | Citation and Fine | —<br>Unlicensed                          | Anna Karapetyan*<br>LCA24-0000408           | <b>BPC §26037.5</b> — Unlicensed Commercial Cannabis Activity   |

## 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 |
|--------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| 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              |
| October 2025             | 2             | 1              |
| November 2025            | 3             | 2              |
| <b>Trailing-12 total</b> | <b>94</b>     | <b>39</b>      |

## Methodology & about this report

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This report is generated from data Phenominal Consulting maintains from two California Department of Cannabis Control public sources: [recalls.cannabis.ca.gov](https://recalls.cannabis.ca.gov) (recall notices) and [cannabis.ca.gov/cannabis-laws/compliance-action-records](https://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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