



STATE OF MICHIGAN
RUTH JOHNSON, SECRETARY OF STATE
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
LANSING

January 26, 2018

**CHALLENGE DEADLINE ESTABLISHED FOR
INITIATIVE PETITION SPONSORED BY
COALITION TO REGULATE MARIHUANA LIKE ALCOHOL**

An initiative petition proposing to authorize the personal possession and use of marihuana by individuals aged 21 years and older and control the commercial production and distribution of marihuana, was filed with the Secretary of State on November 20, 2017 by the Coalition to Regulate Marihuana Like Alcohol.

The Board of State Canvassers has established a uniform deadline for challenging signatures sampled from an initiative, constitutional amendment or referendum petition to elapse at 5:00 p.m. on the 10th business day after copies of the sampled signatures are made available to the public. (See minutes of November 8, 2013 meeting of the Board of State Canvassers.)

Please be advised that copies of the signatures sampled from this initiative petition were made available for release to the public on January 25, 2018. **Therefore, the deadline to submit challenges to this petition will elapse at 5:00 p.m. on February 9, 2018.**

Please contact the Bureau of Elections at (517) 373-2540 if you wish to purchase a copy of the sampled signatures for the petition.