THE BASICS: IDENTIFYING ILLEGAL PRODUCTS

FROM VAPES AND EDIBLES TO SCHEDULE I NARCOTICS

SO WHAT ARE THE TYPES OF PRODUCTS I SHOULD EXPECT TO SEE AT MY VAPE SHOPS?

- Leaf marijuana
- Manufactured marijuana products
 - Vapes
 - Edibles
 - Drinks and tinctures
- Industrial hemp products
- Tianeptine products
- Tobacco and alternative nicotine products

SO, I'M STARING AT GREEN LEAFY SUBSTANCE BUT I CAN'T TELL IF IT'S INDUSTRIAL HEMP OR MARIJUANA

- Any product that contains a total content of Tetrahydrocannabinol (THC) in excess of 2mg and lack a therapeutic amount of cannabidiol (CBD) at a ratio of at least 25 parts CBD to I part THC is marijuana.
- Products that contain an excess of 0.3% THC are marijuana.
- These products are not considered industrial hemp in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

LEAF MARIJUANA



- Any green leafy substance labeled:
 - Indica
 - Hybrid
 - Ruderalis (A rarely seen sub-species of Cannabis)
 - <u>ls marijuana.</u>

SO, WHAT IS INDUSTRIAL HEMP THEN?



- Industrial hemp is any part of the Cannabis Sativa plant
- Is prohibited from containing more than 0.3% Total THC.
- If used in a hemp product in Virginia, it must not contain more than 2mg of total THC unless it also contains a therapeutic ratio of CBD to THC.

WHAT DO THESE PRODUCTS LOOK LIKE?



"Research Purposes Only"

Common brands include:

- TD
- Tianna
- Pegasus
- Za Za

Tianeptine was provisionally scheduled as a Schedule I narcotic by the Virginia Board of Pharmacy in 2024 (See Virginia Administrative Code 18VAC110-20-322)

TIANEPTINE





MARIJUANA VAPES

OTHER MANUFACTURED MARIJUANA PRODUCTS







SO, WHAT DOES THE LAW SAY?

WHAT DOES THE VIRGINIA CODE SAY?

Adults over the age of 21 are lawfully allowed to possess up to one ounce of marijuana.

Marijuana is illegal to sell and distribute.

QUESTIONS?

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