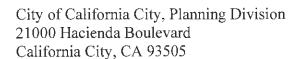
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The California Highway Patrol, Mojave Area is in receipt of the "Environmental Document Review" regarding project number # 2023080210, by applicant Mojave Jade, Inc., for a Commercial Cannabis Cultivation Project. Following the review of the project, we have identified concerns with the potential impact this project could impose on public safety and law enforcement.

Our concerns relate to the expansion of the commercial cannabis production and the potential for a rise in crime resulting in an increase of calls for service with limited law enforcement resources. These safety concerns pose a safety risk to both the public and law enforcement. We are hopeful diligent security measures are proposed, established, and followed by Mojave Jade, Inc., which will assist in protecting the public and law enforcement.

Sincerely,

M. D. PAGANO, Lieutenant

Commander Mojave Area

cc: Inland Division

