

“Hot” Hemp Material Do’s & Don’ts

Guidelines from the Louisiana Department of Agriculture & Forestry

- ✓ LA R.S. 3:1472 (Industrial Hemp Law) authorizes the LDAF to issue a stop order on any non-compliant hemp material. A Stop Order prohibits the sale, exchange, movement, processing or distribution of all hemp material included in the Order.
- ✓ This information sheet provides regulatory guidance on the Do’s and Don’ts of “hot” hemp material being held under a stop order issued by LDAF.
- ✓ The Stop Order and all prohibited activities of the Order remain in effect until the hemp material has been brought into compliance with the Law and regulations, and a written Stop Order Release has been issued by LDAF.

DO (allowed activities)



Complete the harvest of the hemp plot, at licensee’s discretion



Handle and store the hemp material on licensee’s registered site(s)



Request, at licensee’s discretion, an official resample of the hemp material

DON’T (prohibited activities)



Commingle the hemp material with any other hemp



Move or store the harvested hemp material from licensee’s premises



Sell, exchange, process, distribute or destroy the hemp material



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For more information on the Louisiana Industrial Hemp Program contact the Industrial Hemp Program Staff at 225-952-8062 or visit <http://www.ldaf.state.la.us/industrial-hemp/>