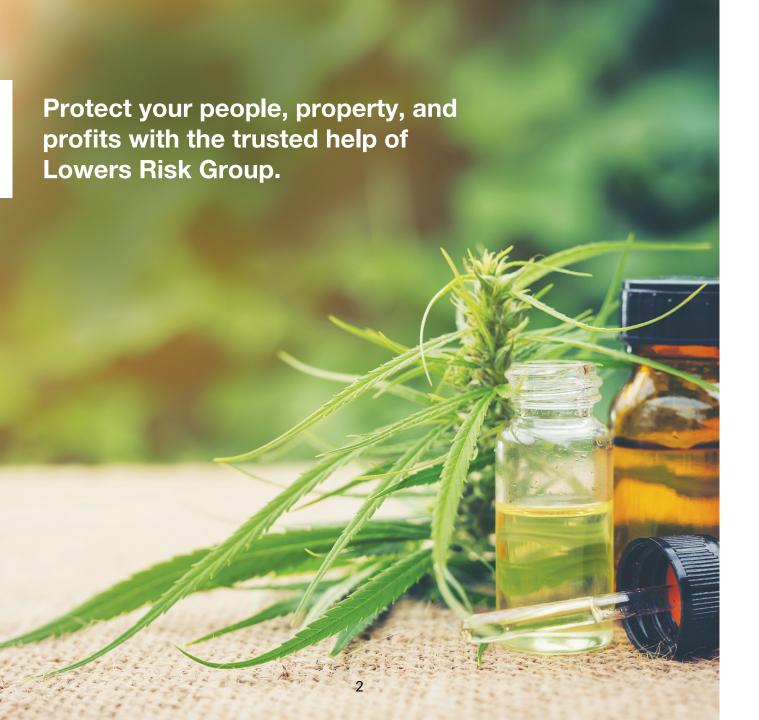
# **CANNABIS INDUSTRY RISK SOLUTIONS**

RISK MITIGATION | LOSS PREVENTION | SECURITY
COMPLIANCE | FINANCIAL FORENSICS | BACKGROUND SCREENING





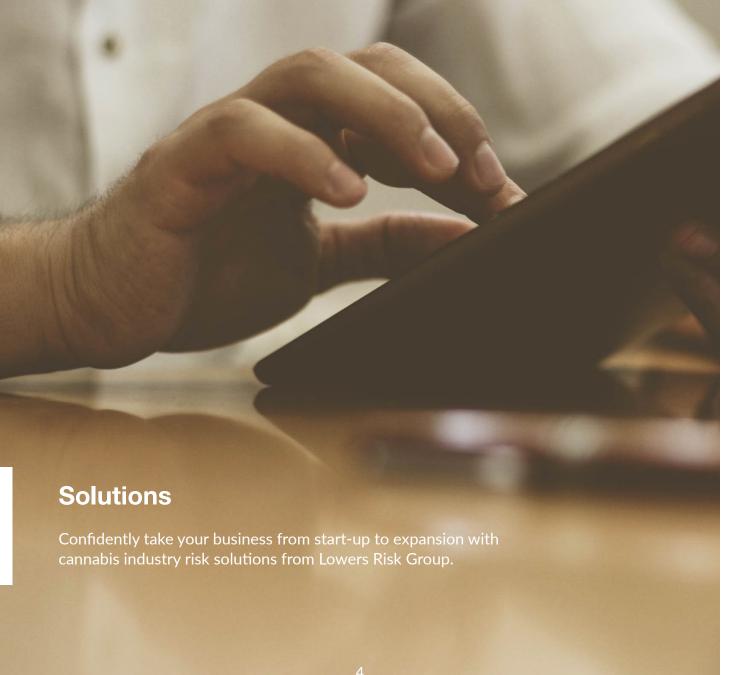
### Move forward with confidence.

Success in the rapidly-evolving cannabis industry requires specialized solutions and expertise to protect your people, property, and profits. It takes having a finger on the pulse of ever-changing regulatory requirements. And it requires the right response to recover in the event of a loss.

Lowers Risk Group offers a comprehensive suite of risk management solutions to help businesses across the spectrum of the cannabis industry —cultivators, manufacturers, retailers, dispensaries, distributors, deliverers, test labs, and more. Our solutions are centered on protecting your organization from avoidable loss and harm.

Drawing from our diverse team of risk and security professionals, we take a 360-degree approach to risk management, from assessment to mitigation to recovery, so organizations are protected at every stage. We bring visibility to security vulnerabilities and shine a light on potential risks. With this data in hand, we collaborate with clients to implement more robust security measures, and give them the tools needed to comply with regulatory standards.

Should a loss occur, we offer post-incident forensic investigatory and evidentiary support. We help you understand how it happened, who was involved, and how much it cost.





### **Risk Assessments & Mitigation**

Protecting your business and its people from the inherent risks of doing business in the cannabis industry requires a clear understanding of your risk exposure. Lowers Risk Group performs risk assessments by conducting an impact analysis tailored to your business model and the unique nature of the cannabis industry. We use proven methodologies and industry expertise to pinpoint areas where you are most vulnerable. These efforts culminate in a blueprint for understanding your loss probability and the operational changes required to mitigate risks.

#### **Assessment Areas**

- **Insurance Requirements**
- **Compliance Audits**
- **Business Continuity**
- Disaster Recovery
- **Physical Security**
- Secure Transportation
- Cash Handling
- Fraud Prevention
- Internal Controls
- Disaster Response
- Incident Response
- IT Governance

#### **Mitigation Services**

- Staff Training
- Background Screening
- Security Staffing and Consulting
- Policies and Procedures
- Business Continuity Planning
- Disaster Recovery
- Records Management
- Cash Audit Services
- Cybersecurity/IT Risk Management



### **Loss Prevention & Security**

Drawing from our long-standing leadership and expertise in loss prevention and security for high-risk, cash-intensive business such as pawn, ATM, fine art and specie, and firearms, the team at Lowers Risk Group has developed an approach specific to the cannabis industry that stems from a deep understanding of what it really takes to protect people, cash, and merchandise.

#### How We Can Help

- Fraud Deterrence and Detection
- Investigations
- Physical Security
- Consulting and Staffing
- Cameras and Equipment

- Secure Transport
- Cash Handling and Audits
- Cybersecurity
- Policies and Procedures



### Compliance

The penalties of non-compliance with regulatory standards are high, not only financially, but in terms of brand reputation. Our cannabis industry experts delve into your operations to assess the degree to which you comply with applicable standards. We then work side-by-side with you to implement protocols to shore up those risks. We help you interpret the myriad of everchanging requirements, determine your operational needs, and assist you in achieving necessary compliance for insurance coverage, regulatory, and your own internal processes and procedures.

#### **Compliance Areas**

- Insurance
- Regulatory
- Internal Processes and Procedures





### **Financial Forensics**

Whether thieves have stolen a vault full of cash or you've experienced the theft of intellectual property, our team uses sound accounting and investigative skills to analyze the details surrounding the loss. We've helped clients gather evidentiary documentation stemming from fraud, industrial espionage, employee malfeasance, and embezzlement. We discover and preserve evidence so you can present the strongest, most persuasive case possible. We also help you quantify losses and business interruptions resulting from fortuitous events.

**Solutions** 

• Litigation Support

Claims Support

Loss Valuation

## **Background Screening**

Hiring someone who fails to meet your standards for integrity, safety, and qualifications can put your organization at risk. Our employment screening team has been at the forefront of the industry for more than 20 years. We can help you design the right employment screening approach to maximize workplace safety and productivity while reducing your hiring risks and meeting your contractual and regulatory requirements.

### **Screening Services**

- Criminal Records
- DMV Records
- Drug Screening
- Occupational Health
- Monitoring

- I9 Verification
- Employment Verification
- Education Verification
- License Verification
- International Screening





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