

9.2 – Good Cultivation and Handling Practices Advisory Group

To help ensure the safety and consistency of plant products sold to Colorado consumers, the Task Force recommends that:

- (1) The **Governor shall designate an** ~~Colorado Department of Agriculture, the Department of Revenue, the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, and any other relevant agency~~ should be authorized by statute to work with any private advisory group that may be established, **in consultation with any other appropriate agency it deems appropriate**, to develop Good Cultivation and Handling Practices (GCHP) for the marijuana industry. **The designated agency** ~~These agencies~~ should strongly urge the industry to form such a group.
- (2) Participation by producers in such a GCHP advisory group shall be voluntary, but labeling may include certification of compliance with GCHP by an independent third party authorized under the provisions of the GCHP advisory group.