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HOW TO MAKE MONEY IN THE MARIJUANA STOCK MARKET

STRICT CALIFORNIA MARIJUANA REGULATIONS

While national attention is primarily focused on the Republican primaries and Donald Trump, it is well advised for marijuana investors to keep their eye on California marijuana politics and regulations.

The Public Policy Institute recently wrote a 32 page report advising officials to take a restrictive stance regarding structuring regulations for both medical and recreational marijuana.

The road to regulation in California will in fact be restrictive, and has been so especially during this past year. We have often said in our newsletters that so goes California on recreational, so goes much of the industry.

The problem with marijuana industry statistics and forecasting the growth to my way of thinking, lies squarely in California. The State supposedly accounts for roughly 70% of all national marijuana sold.

The problem is that this number and industry forecasts is bogus because 90%+ of all pot sold in the State is recreational, not medical. Anyone can get a medical permit for a sore foot or whatever. It is a fraud.

Yet the cannabis industry labels California pot as medical marijuana and bases its industry forecasts on huge marijuana growth from the recreational component of the industry, should recreational win in 2016.

The problem is that industry growth statistics depend heavily on California's voting for recreational in 2016. It should be a strongly contested vote. Presently, pro recreational is slightly ahead.

If recreational loses, including California statics which are really recreational, not medical, distorts industry predicted growth. And, future pot growth in California would be considerably less than industry 'pundits' have forecasted. This vote will have much to do with Schedule 1 being changed to Schedule 2. If Trump gets in, and it is possible, Chris Christie is dead set against pot on all fronts. He will influence Trump to a considerable extent.