VMS RESOLUTION MEDICAL CANNABIS USE AND STUDY

Passed at VMS Annual Meeting, October 26th, 2002

WHEREAS, the Federal Government will not arrange for the provision of reliable, consistent cannabis for medical purposes; and

WHEREAS, the State of Vermont cannot provide for the provision of reliable, consistent cannabis for medical patients in the State; and

WHEREAS, for some patients with severe, debilitating or terminal disease cannabis provides relief not available from other medication; therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Vermont Medical Society supports research on the impact of such cannabis on the medical conditions for which cannabis is used, provided that such data gathering would not put the patients at risk for arrest and seizure.