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General Comment

Dried hemp flower cannot be allowed to be unsellable. Period. Many farmers sole reason for growing and selling hemp is solely based on the smokable hemp flower market. Not only is this damaging to future harvests but especially to the farmers who have already grown and are currently drying hemp flower this year. Imagine working all year long to produce a product, spending money and countless hours to get said product ready to be sold and then be told in two months your product is now illegal. Shameful, wrong, and disastrous to farmers who have already worked so hard to bring this to market. This is one of the most outrageous inconsistencies I've ever heard of. NY allows smokable tobacco but not hemp? What's the problem here considering hemp has to go through rigorous lab testing and be certified to be under .3% THC to even be sold in the first place. I don't get it. Completely unacceptable. Change the draft to allow farmers to sell dried smokable hemp flower.