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Chairwoman Brittany Miller
Nevada Assembly on Judiciary
Legislative Building, 401 S. Carson St.,
Carson City, NV.

RE: Opposition to AB76 – Protecting Nevada’s Clean Indoor Air Protections

Dear Chair Miller and Members of the Committee,

On behalf of the American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network, I am writing to express our opposition to AB76, specifically Section 51, which amends the Nevada Clean Indoor Air Act (NCIAA) to allow the smoking of cannabis in cannabis consumption lounges. This bill weakens Nevada’s smoke-free protections by creating exemptions that increase public exposure to secondhand smoke, including workers in these establishments.

The NCIAA was enacted to protect the health of all Nevadans by ensuring that smoking—including the use of e-cigarettes—is prohibited in workplaces and public places. Allowing cannabis smoking in any indoor space undermines this core public health protection. It also creates enforcement challenges and sets a precedent that could lead to further weakening of clean indoor air laws.

This bill could create loopholes that allow smoking in venues where workers and patrons currently enjoy smoke-free protections.

We urge this committee to reject AB76 to prevent the erosion of Nevada’s clean indoor air protections and ensure that all workers and patrons—regardless of the substance being smoked—are safeguarded from the proven dangers of secondhand smoke. Everyone has the right to breathe clean, smoke-free air and no one should have to choose between their health and a paycheck.

Thank you for your time and consideration. We strongly encourage you to oppose AB76 to uphold Nevada’s commitment to public health and workplace safety.

Sincerely,

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