

# COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA



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April 8, 2019

The Honorable Douglas B. Ottinger, Presiding Judge, Chief Judge  
The Honorable Roxie O. Holder, Presiding Judge  
The Honorable Morton V. Whitlow, Presiding Judge  
Portsmouth General District Court  
1345 Court Street  
Portsmouth, Virginia 23704

Re: Marijuana Policy

Dear Judges:

Effective immediately, please be advised that this office hereby moves for dismissal with payment of court costs on all Possession of Marijuana charges in the Portsmouth General District Court.

Attorneys for the Commonwealth will be present to assist if any issues arise as the court addresses these cases. Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Stephanie Morales".

Stephanie N. Morales  
Commonwealth's Attorney

cc: Mr. James Michael Verschueren, Clerk  
Ms. Brenda Spry, Esq., Public Defender

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