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In the United States, cannabis is currently illegal, but this book investigates how big pharmaceutical companies are looking at an endgame of legality-controlled by them. It examines how the Amsterdam scene has been transformed; how home growers have been

manipulated into using inferior techniques; and how companies, with help from the Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) and "big pharma," are patenting cannabis strains for control and profit. The leadership of the cannabis industry want to legalize marijuana with taxation and regulation, but the phar