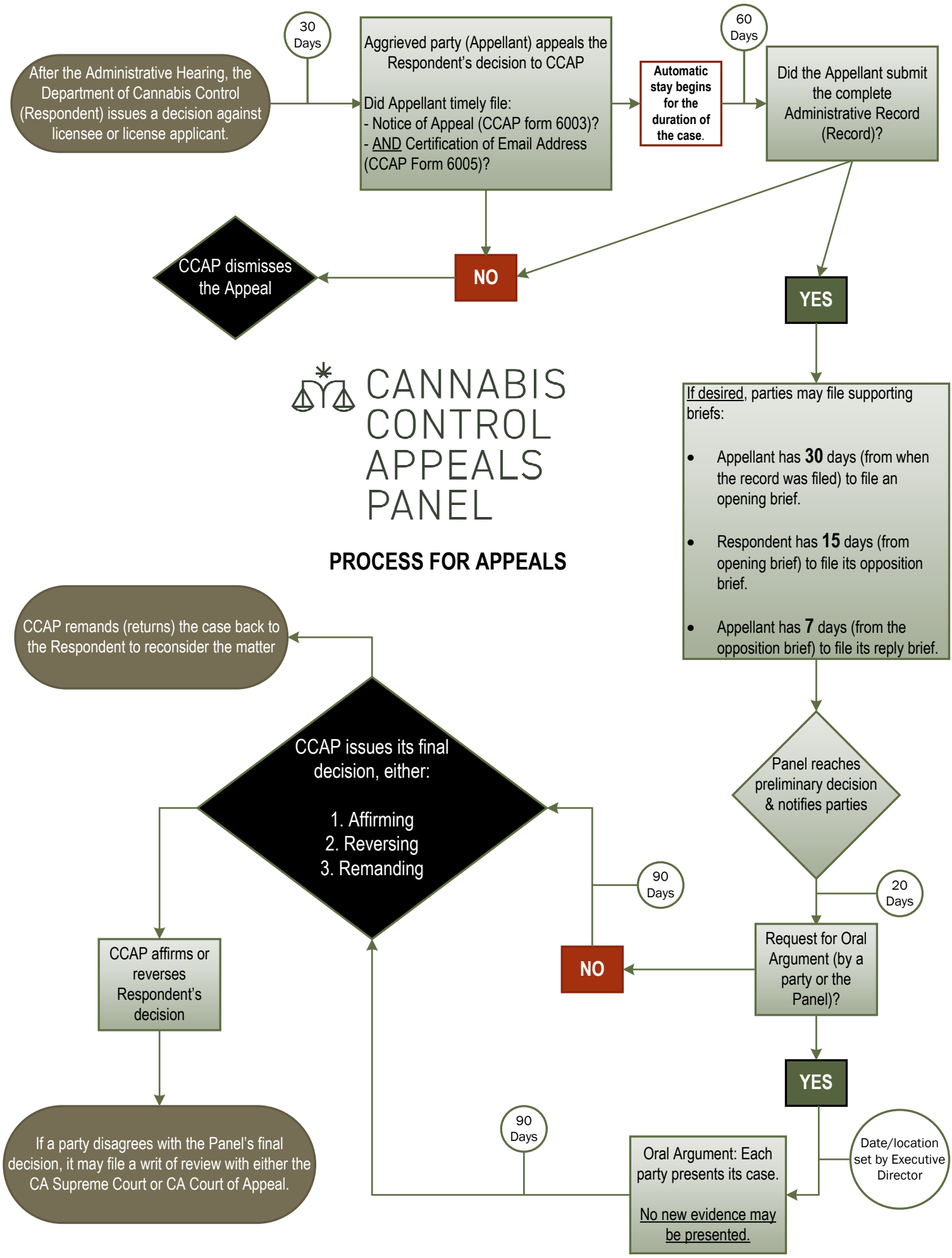
After the Administrative Hearing, the Department of Cannabis Control (Respondent) issues a decision against licensee or license applicant.
30 Days
Aggrieved party (Appellant) appeals the Respondent's decision to CCAP
Did Appellant timely file:
- Notice of Appeal (CCAP form 6003)?
- AND Certification of Email Address (CCAP Form 6005)?
Automatic stay begins for the duration of the case.
60 Days
Did the Appellant submit the complete Administrative Record (Record)?
NO
CCAP dismisses the Appeal
YES
CANNABIS CONTROL APPEALS PANEL
PROCESS FOR APPEALS
If desired, parties may file supporting briefs:
Appellant has 30 days (from when the record was filed) to file an opening brief.
Respondent has 15 days (from opening brief) to file its opposition brief.
Appellant has 7 days (from the opposition brief) to file its reply brief.
Panel reaches preliminary decision & notifies parties
20 Days
Request for Oral Argument (by a party or the Panel)?
NO
YES
Date/location set by Executive Director
Oral Argument: Each party presents its case.
No new evidence may be presented.
90 Days
90 Days
CCAP issues its final decision, either:
1. Affirming
2. Reversing
3. Remanding
CCAP remands (returns) the case back to the Respondent to reconsider the matter
CCAP affirms or reverses Respondent's decision
If a party disagrees with the Panel's final decision, it may file a writ of review with either the CA Supreme Court or CA Court of Appeal.