

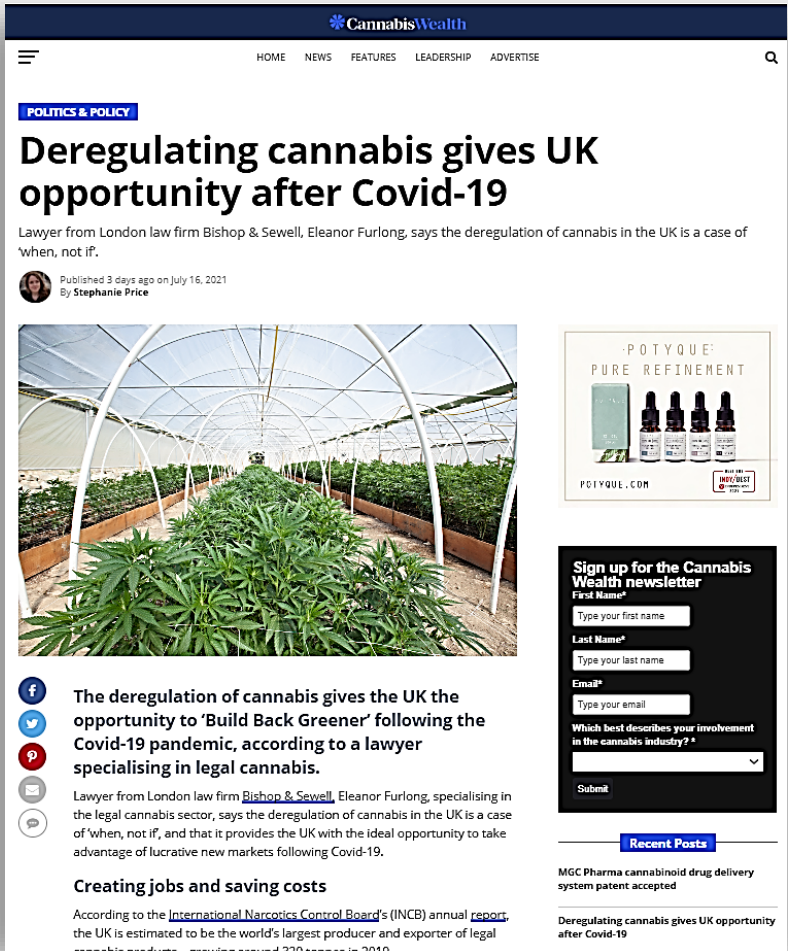
Deregulating cannabis gives UK opportunity after Covid-19

Source: CannabisWealth ([read the article](#))

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WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW

- The UK's medicinal cannabis industry could create around 100,000 new jobs and be worth £2bn, and legalisation could save an estimated £890m a year in reduced spending by police, prisons, courts and the NHS, according to a recent report by Maple Tree.
- In addition, cannabis has the potential to boost both NHS funding through raising billions in revenue for the treasury, and the wider economy through the establishment of new cannabis sub-sectors within our existing industries; from farming to sustainable fashion.



The screenshot shows the CannabisWealth website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with 'HOME', 'NEWS', 'FEATURES', 'LEADERSHIP', and 'ADVERTISE'. The article title 'Deregulating cannabis gives UK opportunity after Covid-19' is prominently displayed under a 'POLITICS & POLICY' tag. Below the title, a sub-headline reads: 'Lawyer from London law firm Bishop & Sewell, Eleanor Furlong, says the deregulation of cannabis in the UK is a case of 'when, not if.''. The author is identified as 'Stephanie Price' and the article was published '3 days ago on July 16, 2021'. A large image of a cannabis grow room is featured. To the right of the article, there is an advertisement for 'POTYQUE: PURE REFINEMENT' and a newsletter sign-up form. The newsletter form asks for 'First Name', 'Last Name', and 'Email', and includes a dropdown menu for 'Which best describes your involvement in the cannabis industry?'. Below the article, there are social media sharing icons and a section titled 'The deregulation of cannabis gives the UK the opportunity to 'Build Back Greener' following the Covid-19 pandemic, according to a lawyer specialising in legal cannabis.' This section includes a quote from Eleanor Furlong, a lawyer from Bishop & Sewell, and a sub-section 'Creating jobs and saving costs' which references a report from the International Narcotics Control Board (INCB).