



OFFICE OF THE KANSAS ATTORNEY GENERAL

DIRECTORY OF COMPLIANT PARTICIPATING MANUFACTURERS

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The Participating Manufacturers and brand families listed herein are presently compliant with the Requirements for the Sale of Cigarettes Act, K.S.A. § 50-6a01, *et seq.*

To be legal for sale in Kansas, all cigarettes must comply with the Requirements for the Sale of Cigarettes Act, K.S.A. § 50-6a01, *et seq.*, and the Fire Safety Standard and Firefighter Protection Act, K.S.A. § 31-601, *et seq.*, and rules and regulations adopted thereto. Therefore, this directory must be read in conjunction with the Directory of Fire Standards Compliant Manufacturers.

Please be advised of the following:

- It is illegal to affix Kansas tax indicia to a package of cigarettes of a tobacco product manufacturer brand family not included on this directory or the Directory of Compliant Non-Participating Manufacturers. K.S.A. § 2015 Supp. 50-6a04(a)(1).
- It is illegal sell, offer, possess for sale in Kansas or import into Kansas, cigarettes (including RYO) of a tobacco product manufacturer brand family not included on this directory or the Directory of Compliant Non-Participating Manufacturers. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. § 50-6a04(a)(2).
- It is an unlawful and deceptive trade practice violation under the Consumer Protection Act (K.S.A. § 50-626) for a stamping agent to sell or attempt to sell to a retail dealer or consumer, and for a retail dealer to sell or attempt to sell to a consumer, cigarettes in violation of the Requirements for the Sale of Cigarettes Act, K.S.A. § 50-6a01, *et seq.* K.S.A. § 50-6a17(a).
- Violating these laws may result in the following:
 - A civil penalty of up to 500% of the retail value of the cigarettes (including RYO) involved or \$5,000. K.S.A. § 50-6a14(a).
 - The surrender of profits, gains, gross receipts or other benefits. K.S.A. § 50-6a17(c).
 - Criminal penalties depending on the number of previous convictions. For a first conviction, a Class A Misdemeanor with fines ranging from \$1,000 to \$2,500 and up to one year imprisonment; for a second conviction, a severity level 9 nonperson felony with fines ranging from \$10,000 to \$100,000 and sentencing under K.S.A. § 2014 Supp. 21-6804; for a third or higher conviction, a severity level 9 nonperson felony with fines ranging from \$50,000 to \$100,000 and sentencing under K.S.A. § 2014 Supp. 21-6804. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. § 50-6a16.

PARTICIPATING MANUFACTURER	BRAND FAMILIES	
COMMONWEALTH BRANDS	Crowns Montclair	Sonoma USA Gold
FARMERS TOBACCO CO. OF CYNTHIANA, INC.	Baron American Blend Kentucky's Best	Kentucky's Best RYO VB Made in the USA
ITG BRANDS LLC	Fortuna Kool Maverick	Rave Salem Winston
JAPAN TOBACCO INTERNATIONAL USA, INC.	LD by L. Ducat	
KING MAKER MARKETING, INC.	Ace	Wildhorse
LIGGETT GROUP LLC	Bronson Eve Grand Prix	Liggett Select Montego Pyramid
NASCO PRODUCTS LLC	Pinnacle SF	VLN
PETER STOKKEBYE TOBAKSFABRIK A/S	Peter Stokkebye RYO	
PHILIP MORRIS USA, INC.	Basic Benson & Hedges Cambridge Chesterfield L&M Marlboro	Merit Nat's Parliament Players Saratoga Virginia Slims
PREMIER MANUFACTURING, INC.	1839 1839 RYO 1 st Class	Manitou Shield Traffic

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R.J. REYNOLDS	Camel Camel Wides Capri Carlton Doral Dunhill Dunhill International Eclipse GPC Kamel Red Kent Lucky Strike	Misty Monarch More Newport Now Old Gold Pall Mall State Express 555 Tareyton True Vantage
SANTA FE NATURAL TOBACCO COMPANY, INC.	Natural American Spirit Natural American Spirit RYO	
SCANDINAVIAN TOBACCO GROUP LANE LTD.	Bugler RYO Kite RYO	Leaf by Lane Ltd. RYO Midnight Special RYO
TOP TOBACCO, L.P.	Bali Shag RYO Drum RYO Gambler RYO	Our Advertiser RYO Premier RYO TOP RYO
VECTOR TOBACCO INC. (MEDALLION BRANDS)	Eagle 20's	USA
WIND RIVER TOBACCO COMPANY LLC	American Bison American Bison RYO Canoe RYO Nashville	Nashville RYO Teton Teton RYO

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