



June 20, 2019

**NOTICE TO ALL LICENSED DISTRIBUTORS AND WHOLESALERS**

This Notice is being provided to you pursuant to Revenue and Taxation Code section 30165.1, subdivision (c)(3)(C).

**I. ADDITIONS TO THE CALIFORNIA TOBACCO DIRECTORY**

Effective June 20, 2019, the Attorney General's Office **ADDED** the following Brand Family to the California Tobacco Directory:

- **Scandinavian Tobacco Group Lane Ltd.**
  - **Leaf by Lane Ltd. RYO – one (1) style**
    - **0.65oz Pouch**

**II. REMOVALS FROM THE CALIFORNIA TOBACCO DIRECTORY**

Effective June 20, 2019, the Attorney General's Office **REMOVED** the following Styles from the California Tobacco Directory:

- **Scandinavian Tobacco Group Lane Ltd.**
  - **Bugler RYO – one (1) style**
    - **Leaf 5lb Bag**
- **Scandinavian Tobacco Group Lane Ltd.**
  - **Roll Rich RYO – one (1) style**
    - **0.65oz Pouch**

**Distributor and Wholesaler Responsibilities**

Pursuant to Revenue and Taxation Code section 30165.1, subdivision (c)(3)(C), you must provide a copy of this Notice to each of your existing customers within seven (7) days. (Rev. & Tax. Code, § 30165.1, subd. (c)(3)(C).) Effective immediately, distributors and wholesalers may not sell any cigarettes or tobacco products listed in this Notice to a California retailer unless the retailer was provided a copy of this Notice.

Distributors have no more than forty (40) days to purchase, stamp, sell, or possess any cigarettes or tobacco products listed in this Notice for sales in California.

Wholesalers have no more than forty (40) days to purchase, sell, or possess any cigarettes or tobacco products listed in this Notice for sales in California. (Rev. & Tax. Code, § 30165.1, subd. (c)(3)(B).)

### **Retailer Responsibilities**

A licensed retailer may possess, transport, or sell the tax-stamped cigarettes affected by this Notice of removal for no more than sixty (60) days. (Rev. & Tax. Code, § 30165.1, subd. (c)(3)(D).) After sixty (60) days, the brand families identified in this Notice are contraband and may not be sold or purchased in California, and will be subject to seizure and destruction under Revenue and Taxation Code sections 30436, subdivision (e), and section 30449, subdivision (b). (Rev. & Tax. Code, § 30165.1, subd. (c)(3)(E).)

### **Questions About This Notice**

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