

CALIFORNIA DIRECTORY OF COMPLIANT CIGARETTES AND ROLL-YOUR OWN
BRAND FAMILIES LISTED BY BRAND FAMILY

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This Directory lists all Tobacco Product Manufacturers and brand families that are certified as being in compliance with California law. Only cigarette brands and roll-your-own (RYO) tobacco products listed in this Directory may be sold, offered for sale or possessed for sale in California.

Manufacturers and/or brands that are listed with a numeral in superscript (for example, Tobacco Company¹) have been annotated with pertinent information. A list of annotations appears on the last page of this directory.

The Attorney General updates the directory on an as-needed basis to make corrections or to add or delete manufacturers or brand families. Licensed California distributors will receive notice by e-mail, to the address provided to the Attorney General on the Distributor Registration Form (JUS-TOB8), whenever a manufacturer or brand family is added to or removed from the Directory. If you are a licensed California distributor, you are responsible for checking the most recent update of this Directory and any email notifications from the Attorney General's Office before you stamp cigarettes or pay the tax on RYO tobacco.

California Cigarette Fire Safety and Firefighter Protection Act: Enacted in 2005, this law imposes requirements on all cigarettes sold in California after January 1, 2007. (Health & Safety Code sections 14950-14960.) Any retailer, distributor, or wholesaler that knowingly sells or offers to sell cigarettes in violation of this part is subject to civil penalties.

“Little cigars”: Tobacco products labeled as little cigars currently do not have to be listed in this Directory in order to be lawfully sold in California.

Flavored cigarettes: Based on recent changes in federal law that affect cigarettes and RYO that contain certain “characterizing flavors,” we asked manufacturers to identify any of their brands and styles which should be removed from our Directory. The brands and styles they identified were removed effective September 25, 2009. For more information on this change in federal law, go to www.fda.gov/TobaccoProducts/GuidanceComplianceRegulatoryInformation/FlavoredTobacco/default.htm

FDA Regulations and Modified Risk Descriptors: No “light,” “mild,” “low” or “similar” descriptors. Sec 911(b)(2)(A)(ii) – Based on recent changes in federal law which ban any tobacco product with the label, labeling, or advertising of which uses the descriptor “light,” “mild,” “low” or “similar descriptor”. On June 22, 2010 this statutory provision becomes effective banning the manufacture of any products with the banned descriptors. Manufacturers may not manufacture any product for sale with the banned labels after June 22, 2010, but they may sell manufactured product into the stream of commerce through July 22, 2010. While the new law does not prohibit retailers from continuing to sell these products, the FDA and the State of California are concerned that the continued sale of these products for an extended period of time is not in the interest of public health.

For more information on this change in federal law, go to <http://www.fda.gov/TobaccoProducts/Labeling/MisleadingDescriptors/ucm2023661.htm>

If you have a question about this Directory, please leave a voicemail message at (916) 565-6486 or send an email to tobacco@doj.ca.gov.

RECENT CHANGES TO DIRECTORY

Tobacco Product Manufacturer	Brand Family	Date
ADDED:		
Top Tobacco, LP	Bo Browning – RYO	11/12/10
Top Tobacco, LP	Smoker Friendly (SF) – RYO	11/12/10
DELETED:		
Top Tobacco, LP	4 Aces – RYO	11/12/10

Brand Family	Tobacco Product Manufacturer	Country of Origin	PM/NPM
1 st Class	Premier Manufacturing, Inc.	USA	PM
#117 – RYO	National Tobacco Company	USA	NPM
10/20's (ten-twenty's) ¹	M/s Dhanraj International	USA	PM
10/20's (ten-twenty's) – RYO ¹	M/s Dhanraj International	USA	PM
1839 – RYO	US Flue-Cured Tobacco Growers, Inc.	USA	PM
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Ace	King Maker Marketing	USA	PM
Alpine	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM
American Bison – RYO	Wind River Tobacco Company, LLC	USA	PM
American Harvest	Sandia Tobacco Manufacturers, Inc.	USA	NPM
American Harvest – RYO	Truth & Liberty Manufacturing	USA	NPM
Amphora – RYO	Top Tobacco	USA	PM
Ashford – RYO	Von Eicken Group	USA	PM
Austin	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Bali – RYO	Commonwealth Brands, Inc.	USA	PM
Baron American Blend	Farmers Tobacco Company of Cynthianna, Inc.	USA	PM
Basic	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM
Benson & Hedges	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM
Black & Gold	Sherman 1400 Broadway N.Y.C. Inc.	USA	PM
Bo Browning – RYO	Top Tobacco, LP	USA	PM
Bristol	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM
Bull Brand – RYO	Von Eicken Group	USA	PM
Bugler – RYO	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Cambridge	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM

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Camel	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Canoe – RYO	Wind River Tobacco Company, LLC	USA	PM
Capri	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Carlton	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Carnival	KT&G Corporation	Korea	NPM
Checkers	King Maker Marketing	USA	PM
Checkers – RYO	King Maker Marketing	USA	PM
Chesterfield	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM
Cheyenne	Cheyenne International, LLC	USA	NPM
Cheyenne – RYO	Cheyenne International, LLC	USA	NPM
Chunghwa	Konci G&D Management Group, USA, Inc.	USA	PM
Cigarettellos	Sherman 1400 Broadway N.Y.C. Inc.	USA	PM
Classic (Except style Mint ,which cannot be sold)	Sherman 1400 Broadway N.Y.C. Inc.	USA	PM
Classic Canadian – RYO	Top Tobacco, LP	USA	PM
CN101 – RYO	Top Tobacco, LP	USA	PM
Commander	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM
CP101 – RYO	Top Tobacco, LP	USA	PM
Custom Blends – RYO	Wind River Tobacco Company, LLC	USA	PM
Davidoff	Commonwealth Brands, Inc.	USA	PM
Decade	Cheyenne International, LLC	USA	NPM
Dhyan-Bidis ¹ (Except styles Strawberry, Wild Cherry, Mint, Grape, Vanilla, which cannot be sold)	M/s Dhanraj International	USA	PM
Dimitrino Botschafter (Except style Botschafter Vanilla, which cannot be sold)	Von Eicken Group	USA	PM

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Doral	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Double Happiness	Konci G&D Management Group, USA, Inc.	USA	PM
Drum – RYO	Top Tobacco, LP	USA	PM
du Maurier	ITL (USA) Limited	USA	PM
Dunhill	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Dunhill International	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Dynasty	M/s Dhanraj International	USA	PM
Eclipse	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
English Ovals	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM
Eve	Liggett Group, Inc.	USA	PM
Export A	Japan Tobacco International USA, Inc. (JTL Mac-Donald Corp.)	USA	PM
Fantasia Lights	Sherman 1400 Broadway N.Y.C. Inc.	USA	PM
F & K – RYO (Except styles Fine Cut Cherry, Fine Cut Chocolate, Fine Cut Vanilla, which cannot be sold)	Von Eicken Group	USA	PM
F & K Nos. 1-5 – RYO	Von Eicken Group	USA	PM
Fresh Blend – RYO (Except styles Cloves, Cinnamon, Amaretto, Peach, Chocolate Vanilla Carmel, which cannot be sold)	Truth & Liberty Manufacturing	USA	NPM
Fresh Choice	Sandia Tobacco Manufacturers, Inc.	USA	NPM
Fresh Choice – RYO	Truth & Liberty Manufacturing	USA	NPM
Fortuna	Commonwealth Brands, Inc.	USA	PM
Gambler – RYO	Top Tobacco, LP	USA	PM
Gold Coast	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Gold Crest	King Maker Marketing	USA	PM

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Gold Crest – RYO	King Maker Marketing	USA	PM
Golden Deer	Konci G&D Management Group, USA, Inc.	USA	PM
Golden Harvest – RYO	Rouseco, Inc.	USA	NPM
Golden Virginia – RYO	Lane Limited	USA	PM
GPC	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Grand Prix	Liggett Group, Inc.	USA	PM
Havana Ovals	Sherman 1400 Broadway N.Y.C. Inc.	USA	PM
Highway	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Hint Menthol	Sherman 1400 Broadway N.Y.C.	USA	PM
Hi-Val	King Maker Marketing	USA	PM
Hi-Val – RYO	King Maker Marketing	USA	PM
Jester – RYO	Lane Limited	USA	PM
Kamel Red	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Kent	Lorillard Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Kentucky’s Best	Farmers Tobacco Company of Cynthianna, Inc.	USA	PM
Kentucky’s Best – RYO	Farmers Tobacco Company of Cynthianna, Inc.	USA	PM
Kentucky Select – RYO	US Flue-Cured Tobacco Growers, Inc.	USA	PM
Kick	US Flue-Cured Tobacco Growers, Inc.	USA	PM
Kite – RYO	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Kool	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
L&M	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM
Lark	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM
Liggett Select	Liggett Group, Inc.	USA	PM
Lucky Strike	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Malibu	Commonwealth Brands, Inc.	USA	PM

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Manitou	Von Eicken Group	USA	PM
Market	Smokin Joes	USA	NPM
Marlboro	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM
Matinee	ITL (USA) Limited	USA	PM
Maverick	Lorillard Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Max	Lorillard Tobacco Company	USA	PM
McClintock – RYO	Commonwealth Brands, Inc.	USA	PM
MCD	Sherman 1400 Broadway N.Y.C. Inc.	USA	PM
Merit	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM
Midnight Special – RYO	Lane Limited	USA	PM
Mild Seven	Japan Tobacco International USA, Inc.	USA	PM
Misty	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Monarch	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Montclair	Commonwealth Brands, Inc.	USA	PM
Montego	Liggett Group, Inc.	USA	PM
More 120	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Ms. CEO ¹	M/s Dhanraj International	USA	PM
Nashville – RYO	Wind River Tobacco Company, LLC	USA	PM
Natural American Spirit	Santa Fe Natural Tobacco Company, Inc.	USA	PM
Natural American Spirit – RYO	Santa Fe Natural Tobacco Company, Inc.	USA	PM
Naturals (Except style Mint, which cannot be sold)	Sherman 1400 Broadway N.Y.C. Inc.	USA	PM
New York Cut (Except style Mint ,which cannot be sold)	Sherman 1400 Broadway N.Y.C. Inc.	USA	PM
Newport	Lorillard Tobacco Company	USA	PM

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No. 1 Shredded Regular – RYO	National Tobacco Company	USA	NPM
Now	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Number 2 – RYO	National Tobacco Company	USA	NPM
Old Gold	Lorillard Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Old Hillside – RYO	National Tobacco Company	USA	NPM
Our Advertiser – RYO	Top Tobacco, LP	USA	PM
Palermo	Tabacalera Del Este, SA	Paraguay	PM
Pall Mall	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Parliament	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM
Pegasus – RYO	King Maker Marketing	USA	PM
Players	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM
Poker	Procesadora Nacional Cigarrilera S.A. / Pronalci S.A.	Columbia	NPM
Premier – RYO	Commonwealth Brands, Inc.	Denmark	PM
PS 90 Norwegian – RYO	Peter Stokkebye Tobasfabrik A/S	Denmark	PM
PS 91 Danish Export – RYO	Peter Stokkebye Tobasfabrik A/S	Denmark	PM
PS 93 Amsterdam Shag – RYO	Peter Stokkebye Tobasfabrik A/S	Denmark	PM
PS 94 Turkish Export – RYO	Peter Stokkebye Tobasfabrik A/S	Denmark	PM
PS 95 Stockholm Blend – RYO	Peter Stokkebye Tobasfabrik A/S	Denmark	PM
PS 96 London Export – RYO	Peter Stokkebye Tobasfabrik A/S	Denmark	PM
PS 97 Late Harvest – RYO	Peter Stokkebye Tobasfabrik A/S	Denmark	PM
PS 100 Norwegian Shag – RYO	Peter Stokkebye Tobasfabrik A/S	Denmark	PM
PS 101 Danish Export – RYO	Peter Stokkebye Tobasfabrik A/S	Denmark	PM
PS 103 Amsterdam Shag – RYO	Peter Stokkebye Tobasfabrik A/S	Denmark	PM
PS 107 Late Harvest – RYO	Peter Stokkebye Tobasfabrik A/S	Denmark	PM
Pyramid	Liggett Group, Inc.	USA	PM

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Quality ²	Liggett Group, Inc.	USA	PM
Ranger – RYO	Nasco Products, Inc.	USA	PM
Rave	Lignum – 2 Inc.	USA	PM
Rave – RYO ²	Lignum – 2 Inc.	USA	PM
Revenge	Sandia Tobacco Manufacturers, Inc.	USA	NPM
Roll Rich – RYO	Lane Limited	USA	PM
Rook – RYO	M/s Dhanraj International	USA	PM
RYO Fine Cut – RYO	Lane Limited	USA	PM
Salem	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Samson (blue) – RYO	Lane Limited	USA	PM
Samson (brown) – RYO	Lane Limited	USA	PM
Sandia	Sandia Tobacco Manufacturers, Inc.	USA	NPM
Saratoga	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM
Shepherd’s Hotel	Von Eicken Group	USA	PM
Shield	Premier Manufacturing, Inc.	USA	PM
Smoker Friendly (SF)	Commonwealth Brands, Inc.	USA	PM
Smoker Friendly (SF) – RYO	Top Tobacco, LP	USA	PM
Smoke One	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Smokin Joes	Smokin Joes	USA	NPM
Smokin Joes Natural	Smokin Joes	USA	NPM
Smokin Joes – RYO (Excludes Smokin Joes Natural RYO, Smokin Joes Canadian Ryo and Smokin Joes American RYO)	Smokin Joes	USA	NPM
Sonoma	Commonwealth Brands, Inc.	USA	PM

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Springwater (Except styles Cherry, Vanilla, which cannot be sold)	Von Eicken Group	USA	PM
State Express (555)	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Sundance	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Taj Mahal Bidis	Kretek International	USA	PM
Tareyton	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
Teton – RYO	Wind River Tobacco Company, LLC	USA	PM
Top – RYO	Top Tobacco, LP	USA	PM
Treasurer	Chancellor Tobacco Company	U/K	PM
True	Lorillard Tobacco Company	USA	PM
USA Gold	Commonwealth Brands, Inc.	USA	PM
Ultra Buy	Premier Manufacturing, Inc.	USA	PM
Van Nelle – RYO	Top Tobacco, LP	USA	PM
Vantage	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM
VB Made in the USA	Farmers Tobacco Company of Cynthianna, Inc.	USA	PM
Virginia Slims	Philip Morris, USA	USA	PM
Wave	Japan Tobacco International USA, Inc.	USA	PM
West	Commonwealth Brands, Inc.	USA	PM
Wildfire – RYO (Except styles New York Vanilla, Island Margarita, Sunrise Strawberry, Velvet Peach, Cherries Jubilee, which cannot be sold)	Top Tobacco, LP	USA	PM
Wildhorse	Premier Manufacturing, Inc.	USA	PM
Wings	Japan Tobacco International USA, Inc.	USA	PM
Winston	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	USA	PM

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Zig Zag – RYO	National Tobacco Company	USA	NPM
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Annotations:

¹Listed per order of the Bankruptcy Court.

²The following products may not be manufactured after June 22, 2010. Manufacturers may not sell them after July 22, 2010. Existing product may be sold in the State.