



State of Arizona

United States Importer Declaration Accepting Joint And Several Liability

Statutory Requirements

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 44-7111(3)(h), a Non-Participating Manufacturer ("NPM") located outside of the United States must provide a declaration from each of its importers to the United States of any of its brand families that such importer accepts joint and several liability with the NPM for all escrow deposits due pursuant to § 44-7101 as well as all penalties and other relief available to the State pursuant to A.R.S. §§ 44-7101 and 44-7111. The declaration shall appoint a resident agent for service of process in Arizona pursuant to A.R.S. § 44-7111(4). The declaration must be updated at least thirty days before any other importer begins the importation of the manufacturer's cigarettes. The declaration shall be submitted as part of the initial, annual and supplemental certifications required by A.R.S. § 44-7111. Please be aware that failure to comply with A.R.S. § 44-7111(3)(h) is grounds for removal from the Arizona Cigarette Directory. For the purposes of this subparagraph, "Importer" has the same meaning as in 27 code of federal regulations section 41.11 (2012).

Importer Information

Importer Name: _____

Contact Name and Title: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Federal Taxpayer ID Number: _____

Non-Participating Manufacturer Identification

Importer declares that it is a United States importer for the following NPM. *(Please identify below the foreign NPM whose products you import into the United States).*

Manufacturer Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Importer's Resident Agent for Service of Process

Resident Agent Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

E-Mail Address: _____



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Importer's Declaration

I certify that, based upon my personal knowledge, all of the information contained in this declaration and any attachments are true and accurate, and that I am authorized, under the laws of the state of Arizona or the jurisdiction where the importer resides or is organized, to bind the importer making this certification.

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 44-7111(3)(h), I declare that the importer accepts joint and several liability with the above identified Non-Participating Manufacturer for joint and several liability with the NPM for all escrow deposits due pursuant to § 44-7101 as well as all penalties and other relief available to the State pursuant to A.R.S. §§ 44-7101 and 44-7111. In addition, I also declare that the importer has appointed a resident agent for service of process in this state pursuant to A.R.S. § 44-7111(4).

Executed this _____ day of _____, 20 ____.

Signature of Authorized Officer or Agent for Importer

Name (Please Print Legibly)

Title (Please Print Legibly)

Notary:

City/County of _____, State of _____

Subscribed and affirmed before me on this date: _____

Signature: _____ Printed Name: _____
[Notary Public]

My commission expires: _____