

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE
With MD Code Ann., Bus. Reg. §§16-401 to 16-403

Calendar Year 2023



For definitions of terms, please refer to Md Code Ann., Bus. Reg. §16-402

1. Nonparticipating Manufacturer's Identification

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

2. Status as Tobacco Product Manufacturer Selling in Maryland

In 2023, the manufacturer was a tobacco product manufacturer that sold cigarettes to consumers in Maryland, directly or through a distributor, retailer, or similar intermediary.

Yes _____ No _____

If the answer is no, please enter 0 for the number of units sold in Part 3.

If the answer is yes, you are obligated to set up a qualifying escrow account, and deposit the appropriate funds.

3. Units sold

In calendar year 2023, the manufacturer sold the following number of individual cigarettes and "roll-your-own" tobacco in Maryland: _____

4. Escrow rate and payment

The unadjusted escrow rate for 2023 is \$0.0188482.

The inflation adjustment multiplier for 2023 is 130.36796%.

The escrow rate adjusted for inflation is \$0.0434202.

Number of units sold (from #3): _____

Inflation-adjusted escrow rate (from #4): x \$0.0 0434202

Total amount to be deposited in escrow: \$ _____

5. Financial Institution

Name of Institution: _____

Address of Institution: _____

Phone Number: _____

Account Number: _____

Date Account Opened: _____

Total Amount Held for State of Maryland: \$ _____

6. Documentation

If the manufacturer has recently adopted a new or amended escrow agreement, or this is the initial escrow deposit, attach an executed copy of the qualified escrow agreement, and any amendments, to this Certificate of Compliance.

For all deposits, attach copies of your receipt or other proof of deposit from your financial institution.

7. Certification

I certify that the above information is true and correct.

Signature of Authorized Agent: _____

Name of Authorized Agent: _____

Title of Authorized Agent: _____

Date: _____

8. Mail this certificate of compliance to:

Aravind Muthukrishnan, Assistant Attorney General
Tobacco Enforcement Unit
Office of the Attorney General of Maryland
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