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**NOTICE TO DISTRIBUTORS**  
**Removal and Transfer of PM Brands**  
**August 22, 2016**

This notice is provided to all entities licensed to distribute cigarettes in Illinois pursuant to Rule 250.80 of the Illinois Administrative Code. The following revisions will be made effective **September 1, 2016** to the Illinois Directory of Participating Manufacturers. Brand style revisions pursuant to the Cigarette Fire Safety Standard Act (425 ILCS 8/1 et seq) are not included on this notice but are included in a document on our website titled Illinois Directory Changes Under the Cigarette Fire Safety Standard Act.

<u>Manufacturer Name</u>	<u>Add/Delete</u>	<u>Product Type</u>	<u>Brand Family</u>
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**Deletion of PM Brands:**

Commonwealth Brands, Inc.	Delete	Cig	Davidoff
	Delete	Cig	West

**Transfer of PM Brands:**

From R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company to ITG Brands, LLC	Transfer	Cig	Kool
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The merger of Lorillard Tobacco Company (LTC) into R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company (RJRT) was effective June 12, 2015. As a result of the merger, RJRT divested the Kool brand to ITG Brands, LLC who became responsible for the brand for purposes of calculation and payment of MSA payments from and after the date of merger. RJRT continued to manufacture Kool for ITG Brands, LLC until September 1, 2016.

The Kool brand family which is being transferred to ITG Brands, LLC from RJRT remains legal for sale in Illinois.

If you have any questions, please contact us at:

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