

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

Product Marketing Orders for Marlboro Heatsticks, Marlboro Smooth Menthol Heatsticks, Marlboro Fresh Menthol Heatsticks, and IQOS System Holder and Charger

Manufactured by Philip Morris Products S.A.

The Center for Tobacco Products of the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has carefully considered the potential environmental impact of these actions and has concluded that these actions will not have a significant effect on the quality of the human environment. Therefore, environmental impact statements are not required.

Philip Morris Products S.A. submitted modified risk tobacco product applications to obtain marketing orders under the provisions of sections 911 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.

FDA prepared the programmatic environmental assessment (PEA), dated June 29, 2020, in accordance with the Council on Environmental Quality's regulations (40 CFR 1500–1508) implementing the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and FDA's NEPA regulations (21 CFR 25.40). The PEA concluded that the marketing orders would have no significant impact and is available to the public upon request.

The PEA evaluates potential environmental effects due to manufacturing, use, and disposal of the modified risk tobacco products. No increased or new types of environmental impacts due to manufacturing are anticipated. FDA does not foresee use of the modified risk tobacco products to result in new or different environmental impacts. FDA believes that the disposal of the modified risk tobacco products is the same as the disposal conditions of similar packaging waste, small consumer electronics, and currently marketed cigarette products. Therefore, FDA does not foresee significant adverse impacts to the environment due to the proposed actions from manufacturing, use, and disposal of the modified risk tobacco products.

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