

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

Marketing Orders for

Royal Blunts XXL Sour Apple, Royal Blunts XXL Peach, Royal Blunts XXL Blueberry, Royal Blunts XXL Purple Haze, Royal Blunts XXL Wet Mango, Royal Blunts XXL Passion Fruit, and Royal Blunts XXL OGK

Marketed by New Image Global, Inc.

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

New Image Global, Inc. wishes to introduce seven cigar component products into interstate commerce for commercial distribution in the United States and submitted to FDA substantial equivalence reports to obtain marketing orders under the provisions of Sections 905(j) and 910 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.

The Agency prepared the Programmatic Environmental Assessment (PEA), dated May 2, 2022, in accordance with the Council on Environmental Quality's regulations (40 CFR Part 1500–1508) implementing the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and FDA's NEPA regulations (21 CFR 25.40) to support the findings of no significant impact. The evidence supporting these findings is contained in the attached PEA, which is available to the public upon request.

The PEA evaluates potential environmental effects due to manufacturing, use, and disposal of the new products including air quality, water resources, soil, land use, zoning, biological resources, socioeconomics, environmental justice, solid waste hazardous materials, floodplains, wetlands, and coastal zones. No increased or new types of environmental impacts due to manufacturing are anticipated. The Agency does not foresee that use of the new products would result in new or different environmental impacts. The Agency believes that the disposal of the new products is the same as the disposal conditions of other cigar component products that are currently marketed in the United States. Therefore, the Agency does not foresee adverse impacts to the environment due to the proposed actions as a result of manufacturing, use, and disposal of the new products.

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