

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

Product Marketing Orders for

Native Menthol King hard pack, Native Menthol King Soft, Native Menthol 100's hard pack (Green), Native Menthol 100's Soft (Green), Native Menthol 100's hard pack, Native Menthol King hard pack (Green), Native Menthol 100's Soft, Native Full Flavor King hard pack, Native 100's Soft (Blue), Native 100's Soft (Ultra), Native Full Flavor 100's Soft, Native King hard pack (Ultra), Native King Soft (Ultra), Native King hard pack (Blue), and Native 100's hard pack (Blue)

Manufactured by Native Trading Associates, LLC

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.

Native Trading Associates, LLC wishes to introduce fifteen new combusted, filtered cigarettes into interstate commerce for commercial distribution in the United States and submitted to FDA fifteen requests for exemption from substantial equivalence to obtain marketing orders under the provisions of section 905(j)(3) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.

The Agency prepared the programmatic environmental assessment (PEA), dated October 8, 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) to support the finding of no significant impact. The evidence supporting this finding 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. No increased or new types of environmental impacts due to manufacturing the new products 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 would be the same as the disposal conditions of other combusted, filtered cigarettes 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 the manufacturing, use, and disposal of the new products.

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