

BULLETIN



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TO: Clerks of the Court

SUBJECT: Cigarette Vending Machines - Age Warning Labels

Alcohol and Tobacco Tax Bulletin TT-18 (supply enclosed) has been sent to all current holders of cigarette vending machine operator licenses issued by this office. We have also sent this notice to other existing vending machine licensees based on lists provided to us by various sources. Since licenses issued to the latter group are issued by the individual clerk's offices and not the comptroller, we do not know with certainty the accuracy of the provided lists.

A supply of the new warning labels is enclosed for your use. We enlist your assistance to assure compliance by:

- Providing a copy of Bulletin TT-18 and the new warning label to all *future* applicants who are issued a license by you to sell cigarettes at retail through vending machines.

- At renewal time, making existing licensees aware of these requirements and providing warning labels as may be needed by each licensee.

Your cooperation is greatly appreciated. Should you have any questions or require additional bulletins or labels, please feel free to contact Ms. Peggy Higgins of this office at 410-260-7383.

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Enclosures

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