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TO: ALL LICENSEES AUTHORIZED TO AFFIX TAX STAMPS TO CIGARETTES

RE: **NOTICE OF INJUNCTIONS PROHIBITING TOBACCO SALES**

Dear Licensee:

We are writing to inform you that the following tobacco product manufacturers have been found to be in violation of Haw. Rev. Stat., Chapter 675. As such, the tobacco product manufacturers listed below are prohibited from selling cigarettes to consumers within the State (whether directly or through a distributor, retailer or similar intermediary) for a period of two years from the date of the respective Judgment.

Name of Tobacco Product Manufacturer	Case Number	Dates Prohibited from Selling
Gunvantrai Harivallabh Jani Bidies ¹	02-1-2874-12	11/24/2003 through 11/23/2005
Kisanlal Bastiram Sarda ²	02-1-2865-12	12/15/2003 through 12/14/2005
Mangalore Ganesh Beedi Works ³	1RC02-435	08/28/2002 through 08/27/2004
M/S Mohanlal Hargovinddas ⁴	1RC02-434	09/23/2003 through 09/22/2005
Sable Waghire & Company ⁵	02-1-2875-12	11/21/2003 through 11/20/2005

As a reminder, only the products listed in the Cigarette and Roll-Your-Own Tobacco Directory (available at www.state.hi.us/ag/tobacco_unit.htm) may be stamped or possessed for sale or distribution pursuant to Haw. Rev. Stat. §245-22.5.

If you have any information indicating that these entities are selling cigarettes to consumers within the State (whether directly or through a distributor, retailer or similar intermediary), please telephone the undersigned at (808) 586-1203 or email at Alex.R.Barrett@hawaii.gov. Thank you for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Alex R. Barrett
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- 1 Brand(s) include (but are not limited to): "Ranvir."
- 2 Brand(s) include (but are not limited to): "Bullet", "Hare Krishna", "Indian", "Kailas", and "Village."
- 3 Brand(s) include (but are not limited to): "Sher" and "Sher Bidis."
- 4 Brand(s) include (but are not limited to): "501 Ganesh", "Ganesh Beedi", and "Ganesh Bidis."
- 5 Brand(s) include (but are not limited to): "Irie" and "Shivsagar."