

TEXAS VAPE PRODUCT COMPLIANCE DIVISION

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TO: All Texas Vape Product Wholesalers and Distributors
FROM: Compliance Enforcement Division
DATE: August 13, 2025
SUBJECT: Mandatory Removal of China-Made and Prefilled Disposable Nicotine Vapes by August 31, 2025

This notice is issued pursuant to Texas Senate Bill 2024, which prohibits the sale, distribution, or marketing of specific nicotine vaping products beginning September 1, 2025. Under SB 2024, any wholesaler or distributor found in possession of prohibited products after this date will be subject to enforcement action. This includes civil penalties, criminal charges, product seizure, and possible loss of wholesale or distribution licensing.

PROHIBITED PRODUCTS UNDER SB 2024:

Any nicotine e-cigarette, vape, or related device manufactured in China, or containing components manufactured in China. All prefilled disposable nicotine vaping devices, regardless of country of manufacture, that do not meet Texas compliance standards.

PENALTIES FOR NON-COMPLIANCE:

Failure to comply with SB 2024 can result in:
Class A misdemeanor charges for each offense.
Fines up to \$4,000 per violation.
Immediate seizure of non-compliant products without reimbursement.
Suspension or revocation of your wholesale/distribution license, prohibiting further operations in Texas.

ENFORCEMENT & INSPECTION:

Beginning September 1, 2025, state-authorized inspectors may conduct unannounced visits to wholesale, distribution, and retail locations. Any prohibited products located during these inspections will be confiscated immediately, and violations will be referred for prosecution and administrative penalty.

NO GRACE PERIOD:

There will be no grace period after September 1, 2025. Any prohibited products found in inventory on or after this date will be treated as active violations.

MANDATORY COMPLIANCE DEADLINE:

All non-compliant products must be removed from wholesale and retail inventory no later than August 31, 2025 to avoid enforcement action.

BY ORDER OF:

Texas Vape Product Compliance Division – Enforcement Office
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For the complete text of SB 2024, visit the official Texas Legislature website.