Minnesota





Tribal Sales and Taxation





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Tribal Compacts – 2015

Overview of State Laws

Compacts specific to tobacco sales?	✓
Compacts take precedence over existing state laws governing area?	
Limits to which tribes are authorized to compact with state?	✓

State requires/suggests specific provisions within tobacco compacts?



Suggested or Required Compact Provisions

Stamping Requirements	
Recordkeeping	
Purchases Must Be Made From Licensed or Authorized Parties	
Duration or Length Of Contract	
Tax Rate	
Distribution of Funds	
Waiver of Sovereign Immunity	
Tax or Fee-Generated Revenue Sharing/Collection	✓
Enforcement	
Amount of Refund for Taxes Paid by Tribal Consumers	✓
Minimum Selling Price	

Duration of Compact: $\underline{N/A}$ | State Tobacco Tax Rate for Non-Compacting Tribes: $\underline{N/A}$

Tribal Sales – 2015

Tax-Exempt Status Limited To:

Specific, Listed Tribes	
Federally-Recognized Tribes	✓
Qualified/Authorized Tribes	
State-Recognized Tribes	

Tobacco sales laws directed at specific tribes?

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If yes, which tribes? N/A

Which Types of Tobacco Require Stamps?

All Products Sold On Tribal Land	
Those Sold To Tribes Without Agreements	✓
Those Sold To Nonmembers	✓
Those Sold To Other Parties Not Otherwise Tax-Exempt	
None/Silent	

Tax-Exempt Tribes Identified by State:

• N/A

Stamp Types Required for Tribal Sales:

State Excise Stamp	
Stamp Specific to Tribe	
Generic Tribal Stamp	
Generic Agreement Stamp	✓
Generic Exemption Stamp	
Silent As to Stamp Type	

Tribal Taxation – 2015

How State Regulates Taxation of Tobacco Sold on Tribal Land:

State Authorizes/Requires Alternative Payment in Lieu of Excise Tax		
State Tax Waived If Tribal Tax Is Same or Greater		
State Limits Tribal Access to Tax-Exempt Products (Quota)	✓	
State Requires Tax Pre-Payment	√ ∗	
* Refunds made for pre-payment of tax for sales to tax-exempt parties		
State Requires Pre-Payment of Taxes on: All Products Excess of Que	ota ✓	None Other
Other: N/A		
State Utilizes Coupon System to Implement Quota: Yes No	N/A	Δ