

Notice of Seizure of Contraband

Date of notice 7/22/2015	Seizure date and time 7/21/2015 11:30am	Seized by A. Huber & C. Kane	Tax type Tobacco	Minnesota ID number 3685516
Seizure location 43 7th St W. St. Paul, MN 55102-1128		Seized from Dahir Wako dba 7th St. Grocery		

The property listed below is hereby seized as contraband by the Commissioner of Revenue under the authority granted in Chapter 297F of the Minnesota Statutes. The specific section(s) of the law under which this property is declared to be contraband is/are Minn. Stat. § 21, which state(s):

- (a) Cigarette packages which do not have stamps affixed to them as provided in this chapter, including but not limited to (i) packages with illegible stamps and packages with stamps that are not complete or whole even if the stamps are legible
- (h) Cigarette packages offered for sale or held as inventory in violation of section 297F.20, subdivision 7.
- (j) Any cigarette packages or tobacco products offered for sale or held as inventory for which there is not an invoice from a licensed seller as required under section 297F.13, subdivision 4.

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32 boxes of Swisher Sweet 2 pack foil pouch  
2 packs of electronic cigarette kits  
11 E-liquid containing nicotine 30 ml  
4 grape purple Amaren 50gr boxes  
5 grape green Amaren 50gr boxes  
7 A1 Smoke Juice 10 ml MarlUSA  
7 A1 Smoke Juice 10ml Nport

101 packs of 20 Newport Reds Cigarettes  
18 packs of 20 Camel Blue Cigarettes  
304 packs of 20 Newport Menthol Cigarettes  
45 packs of 20 Marlboro Green 100 Cigarettes  
13 packs of 20 Marlboro Green Cigarettes  
4 packs of 20 Marlboro Red Cigarettes

If you have questions about this seizure, contact the Minnesota Department of Revenue at:  
651-556-3035

Owner/Clerk Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Inspection Agent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**This notice is being served upon you by certified mail as required by Minnesota law.**  
You may also be served this notice in person. This property will automatically be forfeited to the State of Minnesota unless you demand a judicial review of the seizure within 60 days of the date of this notice.

**How to demand a judicial review.**

1. File a civil complaint with the court administrator in the county where the seizure occurred.
  2. Include proof that you served a copy of the complaint on the Department of Revenue.
  3. List your name as "plaintiff" and the seized property as "defendant" in the title of the complaint.
  4. State the grounds on which you allege the property was improperly seized and what your ownership interest is in the property.
- You do not have to pay the court filing fee if it is determined you cannot afford the fee. If the value of the seized property is \$10,000 or less, you can file an action in conciliation court to recover the property. If the value of the seized property is less than \$500, you do not have to pay the conciliation court filing fee.