



# SPECIAL NOTICE

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**711**

## Reminder: New Reporting Requirements for Cigarette Tax Reporting Effective May 2020 Filing Period

As a reminder, we are incorporating uniform reporting standards into cigarette tax reporting. The new filing requirements become effective with the May 2020 filing period, which is due on June 25, 2020. Please visit our [Cigarette and Tobacco Products Online Filing webpage](#) to view the resources available to you in preparation for this transition.

### Reporting Changes

Reporting changes for cigarette [distributors](#), [manufacturers](#), and [wholesalers](#) were discussed in the special notices issued in October 2019 located under the Resources Tab, on our [Tax Guide for Cigarettes and Tobacco Products](#).

### Questions and Testing

If you have specific questions regarding this transition or would like to test the new files with us, please email [STFRegUpdates@cdtfa.ca.gov](mailto:STFRegUpdates@cdtfa.ca.gov) with the name and telephone number of the person we can speak to regarding these changes or the testing process.

### More Information

You may also contact us or call our Customer Service Center at 1-800-400-7115 (CRS:711) then select the *Special Taxes and Fees* option and follow the prompts for *Cigarette and Tobacco Products Licensing or Taxes*. Customer service representatives are available Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (Pacific time), except state holidays.