



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration
Rockville MD 20857

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William B. Schultz
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Dear Mr. Schultz:

Your petition, submitted on behalf of the National Center for Tobacco-Free Kids and 16 other organizations, requesting the Food and Drug Administration to require the premarket approval for R.J. Reynolds Eclipse Products was received by this office on 12/18/01. It was assigned docket number 01P-0570/CP 1 and it was filed on 12/18/01. Please refer to this docket number in future correspondence on this subject with the Agency.

Please note that the acceptance of the petition for filing is a procedural matter in that it in no way reflects an agency decision on the substantive merits of the petition.

Sincerely,

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Dockets Management Branch

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