## BRITISH-AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY LIMITED

LEGAL AND SECRETARIAL DEPARTMENT

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Ms. Carmen de Pape, Clerk of the Health Committee, Standing Committee on Health, House of Commons, Ottawa, Ontario. K1A6A6 CANADA

Dear Ms. De Pape,

## Plain Packaging for Tobacco Products in Canada

Thank you for your letter dated 19th April and for the opportunity to make a submission to the committee.

In conjunction with Rothmans, British-American Tobacco Company introcommissioned a legal opinion from its external lawyers Lovell White Durrant. I enclose two copies of the opinion, one in English and one in French.

For the reasons set out in Lovell White Durrant's opinion I hope that the committee will take into account the important points which it raises.

Do please let me know if we can be of any further assistance.

Yours sincerely,

Peter Clarke.

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