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*Certified Public Accountants*

**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE  
WITH SECTION 2925(3)(f) OF THE  
NEW YORK STATE PUBLIC AUTHORITIES LAW**

To the Board of Directors  
Ulster Tobacco Asset Securitization Corporation:

We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial statements of the governmental activities and the major fund of the Ulster Tobacco Asset Securitization Corporation (the "Corporation"), as of and for the year ended December 31, 2017, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Corporation's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated March 13, 2018.

In connection with our audit, nothing came to our attention that caused us to believe that the Corporation failed to comply with Section 2925(3)(f) of the New York State Public Authorities Law regarding investment guidelines during the year ended December 31, 2017. However, our audit was not directed primarily toward obtaining knowledge of such noncompliance. Accordingly, had we performed additional procedures, other matters may have come to our attention regarding the Corporation's noncompliance with the above rules and regulations.

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope and results of our testing. This communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

*Drescher & Malecki LLP*

March 13, 2018