

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	:	
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Plaintiff,	:	
	:	Civil Action No.
v.	:	99-2496 (GK)
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PHILIP MORRIS USA, Inc.,	:	
f/k/a Philip Morris, Inc.	:	
<u>et al.</u>	:	
Defendants.	:	

ORDER #589

This matter is now before the Court on Defendants' Motion for Partial Summary Judgment on Claims That Defendants Suppressed the Development of Potentially Less Hazardous Cigarettes ("Motion"). Upon consideration of the Motion, the Government's Opposition, the Reply, and the entire record herein, and for the reasons set forth in the accompanying Memorandum Opinion, the Motion is **denied**.

July 9, 2004

_____/s/_____
Gladys Kessler
United States District Court Judge