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(54) CIGARETTE MINI-PACK SHELL AND SLIDE

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(57)**CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a cigarette mini-pack shell and slide, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view disclosing the top, front, and right side of a cigarette mini-pack shell and slide, showing our new design;

FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a left side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a rear elevational view thereof;

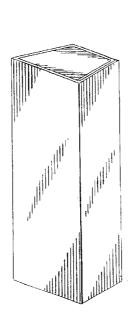
FIG. 5 is a top plan view thereof, the bottom plan view being

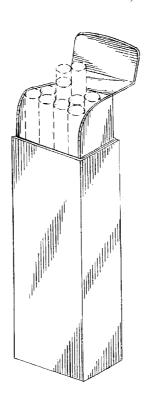
FIG. 6 is a perspective view thereof showing the pack in a partially open position;

FIG. 7 is a perspective view thereof showing the pack in a completely open position, with cigarettes shown in broken lines for illustrative purposes only and not as part of our claimed design; and,

FIG. 8 is a perspective view of a cigarette pack comprising two of the mini-packs shown in FIGS. 1-7.

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