

Decree of the Ministry of Social Affairs and Health

amending the Decree of the Ministry of Social Affairs and Health on standards and notifications concerning tobacco and related products

In accordance with the decision of the Ministry of Social Affairs and Health, section 4 of the Decree of the Ministry of Social Affairs and Health on standards and notifications concerning tobacco and related products (592/2016) is *amended*; and a new section 6b is *added* to the Decree, as follows:

Section 4

Date of notification of studies and sales volumes

The information referred to in sections 16, 27, 29b and in subsection 1 of section 28 of the Tobacco Act shall be submitted to the National Supervisory Authority for Welfare and Health (*Valvira*) annually on 20 May at the latest. The information referred to in sections 16, subsection 2, section 27, subsection 1, and section 29b of the Tobacco Act shall be notified in respect of the previous calendar year.

Section 6b

Format of notification concerning smokeless nicotine products

For the purposes of the notification referred to in section 29a of the Tobacco Act, the format for the notification of smokeless tobacco products set out in Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2015/2186 establishing a format for the submission and making available of information on tobacco products shall be used.

This Decree enters into force on [date] [month] 20 .

Helsinki xx xx 20xx

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