

Decree of the Ministry of Social Affairs and Health

amending the Decree of the Ministry of Social Affairs and Health on the labelling and other appearance of tobacco and related products and their unit packets

In accordance with the decision of the Ministry of Social Affairs and Health, the title of chapter 2, and section 20, subsection 3 of the Decree of the Ministry of Social Affairs and Health on the labelling and other appearance of tobacco and related products and their unit packets (591/2016) is *amended*; and a new section 14a is *added* to the Decree, as follows:

Chapter 2

Warning label for the unit packets of electronic cigarettes, refill containers and smokeless nicotine products

Section 14a

Warning label for the unit packets of smokeless nicotine products

The provisions of sections 11 to 14 on the warning label required for the unit packets of electronic cigarettes and refill containers also apply to the warning label required for unit packets of smokeless nicotine products under section 39a, subsection 1, paragraph 5 of the Tobacco Act (549/2016).

Section 20

Affixing of the warning label

The warning labels referred to in chapter 1 above or in section 39a, subsection 1, paragraph 5 of the Tobacco Act shall not be obscured and they shall be fully visible. They may not obscure the price label or the text relating to the retail price referred to in section 11 of the Act on the Excise Duty on Tobacco. The warning labels referred to in chapter 1 above shall also not obscure or interfere with the legibility of the traceability markings and security features referred to in section 32, subsection 1, paragraph 2 of the Tobacco Act.

This decree enters into force on [date] [month] 20xx.

Helsinki xx xx 20xx

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