

## Tobacco and Primary Medical Services (Scotland) Act 2010

## PART 1

TOBACCO PRODUCTS ETC.

## **CHAPTER 1**

DISPLAY, SALE AND PURCHASE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS

Display of tobacco products etc.

## 1 Prohibition of tobacco displays etc.

- (1) A person who in the course of business displays or causes to be displayed tobacco products or smoking related products in a place where tobacco products are offered for sale commits an offence.
- (2) A person does not commit an offence under subsection (1) if the display—
  - (a) is in a specialist tobacconist,
  - (b) does not include cigarettes or hand-rolling tobacco, and
  - (c) complies with any prescribed requirements.
- (3) A person does not commit an offence under subsection (1) if—
  - (a) the tobacco products or smoking related products are displayed in the course of a business involving the sale of tobacco products only to persons who carry on a tobacco business (or their employees), and
  - (b) the display complies with any prescribed requirements.
- (4) The Scottish Ministers may provide in regulations that no offence is committed under subsection (1) in relation to a display of tobacco products or smoking related products which complies with requirements specified in the regulations.

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).

- (5) A person guilty of an offence under subsection (1) is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 4 on the standard scale.
- (6) For the purposes of subsection (1), a website is not a place.
- (7) In subsection (2), "specialist tobacconist" has the meaning given by section 6(2) of the Tobacco Advertising and Promotion Act 2002 (c.36).