
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2018 No. 75

**The Tobacco Products Manufacturing Machinery
(Licensing Scheme) Regulations 2018**

**PART 3
COMMISSIONERS**

Eligibility

4. The Commissioners may grant a licence to a person to carry out a regulated activity only if the Commissioners are satisfied that the person—

- (a) is a fit and proper person to carry out the regulated activity, and
- (b) will not use an item of tobacco products manufacturing machinery for the purpose of, or with a view to, the fraudulent evasion of the duty of excise charged on tobacco products under section 2(1) of the Tobacco Products Duty Act 1979⁽¹⁾.

Conditions and restrictions

5.—(1) The Commissioners may prescribe conditions and restrictions which may be imposed in a licence and different conditions and restrictions may be prescribed for different cases.

(2) The Commissioners may specify in a licence that restrictions and conditions are imposed in addition to those prescribed.

Variation or revocation of a licence by the Commissioners

6.—(1) The Commissioners may at any time for reasonable cause vary or revoke a licence.

(2) Where paragraph (1) applies, the Commissioners must give written notice of the variation or revocation to the licensee and state in that notice—

- (a) the date the variation or revocation has effect,
- (b) in the case of a variation, the variation made, and
- (c) the reasons for the variation or revocation.

⁽¹⁾ Section 2(1) was amended by Part 3 of Schedule 19 to the Finance Act 1981 (c. 35).