



Children and Young Persons (Protection from Tobacco) Act 1991

1991 CHAPTER 23

An Act to increase the penalties for the sale of tobacco to persons under the age of 16 years; to make other amendments of section 7 of the Children and Young Persons Act 1933 and section 18 of the Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Act 1937; to prohibit the sale of unpackaged cigarettes; to require the publication of warning statements in retail premises and on vending machines; to make provision with respect to enforcement action by local authorities relating to offences connected with the sale of tobacco and to other matters; and for connected purposes. [27th June 1991]

Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Extent Information

E1 This Act does not extend to Northern Ireland except as provided by s.8(7).

Status:

Point in time view as at 11/11/1991.

Changes to legislation:

Children and Young Persons (Protection from Tobacco) Act 1991, Introductory Text is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 04 October 2023. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.