

## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **TOBACCO ADVERTISING AND PROMOTION ACT 2002**

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*These notes refer to the Tobacco Advertising and Promotion Act 2002 (c.36)*

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