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# The Tobacco and Primary Medical Services (Scotland) Act 2010 (Sale of Tobacco Products from Vending Machines) Order.

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# Message

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## 1. Structured Information Line

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#### 2. Member State

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#### 4. Notification Number

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#### 5. Title

The Tobacco and Primary Medical Services (Scotland) Act 2010 (Sale of Tobacco Products from Vending Machines) Order.

#### 6. Products Concerned

This draft Order provides for a prohibition on the sale of tobacco products from automatic machines. A tobacco product is defined in the Tobacco and Primary Medical Services (Scotland) Act 2010 ("the relevant primary legislation") as a product consisting wholly or partly of tobacco and intended to be smoked, sniffed, sucked or chewed.

#### 7. Notification Under Another Act

#### 8. Main Content

Article 2(3) of the draft Order provides for a prohibition on the sale of tobacco products from automatic machines.

# 9. Brief Statement of Grounds

Surveys suggest that one in ten regular underage smokers aged 13 and 15 in Scotland reported buying cigarettes illegally from cigarette vending machines. The policy aim of these regulations is to cut off this potential source of supply to children and young people under 18 to protect them from the health risks associated with smoking.

#### 10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

References of the Basic Texts: Attached as background context are:

- 1. The Tobacco and Primary Medical Services (Scotland) Act 2010.
- 2. Title of Proposals: Tobacco Provisions to be contained in the Health (Scotland) Bill.

## 11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

## 12. Grounds for the Emergency

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### 13. Confidentiality

No

## 14. Fiscal measures

No

#### 15. Impact assessment

Details of the regulatory impact assessment can be found on pages 26-37 of document no. 2 mentioned in Section 10 above).

# 16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT aspect

No - The draft has no significant impact on international trade

SPS aspect

No - The draft has no significant impact on international trade

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