S.I. 57 of 2015

TOBACCO CONTROL ACT

(Act 14 of 2009)

Tobacco (Health Warnings and Messages) Regulations, 2015

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 27(c) of the Tobacco Control Act, the Minister responsible for Health makes the following Regulations—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Tobacco (Health Warnings and Messages) Regulations, 2015.

Citation

2. In these Regulations —

Interpretation

"health warnings and messages" means text, colour, images of health warnings set out in the Schedule.

3.(1) A person who manufactures, imports, supplies, displays, distributes or sells a tobacco product, shall ensure the health warnings and messages are displayed on a tobacco product package in the format and proportion of the image and text as set out in the Schedule.

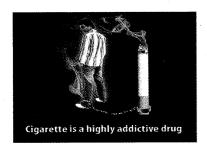
Health warning and message

- (2) A person who manufactures, imports, supplies, displays, distributes or sells tobacco product, may choose any of the pictures set out in the Schedule to be displayed on their tobacco product.
- (3) A person who manufactures, imports, supplies, displays, distributes or sells a tobacco product, shall comply with subregulation (1) within the period of 12 months from the date of the commencement of these Regulations.
- 4. The normal opening of the tobacco package product shall not permanently damage, conceal, obscure, or hamper the visibility of the health warnings and messages displayed.

Damage to health warnings and messages

SCHEDULE

TEXT, COLOUR AND IMAGES OF HEALTH WARNINGS

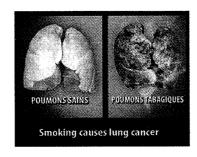




















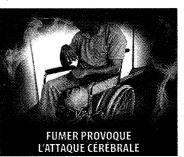








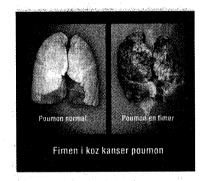












MADE this 23rd day of November, 2015.

MITCY LARUE MINISTER OF HEALTH