Ministry of Welfare


SECTION I.
Objectives, scope and administration.

Article 1
The objective of this Act is to reduce damage to health and fatalities caused by tobacco, by reducing tobacco consumption and protecting people from the effects of tobacco smoke. Every person’s right not to have to inhale air polluted by tobacco smoke from others shall be respected.

Those who have care of a child shall seek to ensure that the child’s rights under the second paragraph are observed, including in places where smoking is not prohibited under Section III of this Act.
SECTION II.
Sales and advertising.

Article 7
All forms of advertising of tobacco and smoking accessories are prohibited in Iceland.

Article 8
Tobacco may neither be sold nor delivered to individuals under the age of 18 years.

Sale of tobacco from self-service machines is prohibited.

Sale of cigarettes in units of less than whole packets of 20 cigarettes is prohibited.

Tobacco may not be sold in schools, institutions for children and teenagers, or at health institutions.

Only persons who are at least 18 years of age may sell tobacco.
SECTION III.
Restrictions on smoking.
Article 9

Smoking is prohibited in the service areas of institutions, business and voluntary organisations, for instance at restaurants and places of entertainment, and where cultural and social activities take place, including sports and leisure activity. The same applies to equivalent outdoor areas, if they are not sufficiently open to ensure adequate ventilation.

The Minister shall, in consultation with the Minister in charge of sports affairs and the Icelandic Sports and Olympic Federation, issue rules regarding restrictions on tobacco consumption out-of-doors at sports facilities.
SECTION III.
Restrictions on smoking.
Article 10

Smoking is entirely prohibited:
1. In primary/lower secondary schools, local authority summer work-training programmes for children, pre-schools, all day-care facilities for children, and on premises primarily intended for children’s and teenagers’ social, sports and leisure activities.
2. At public gatherings indoors which are primarily intended for children or teenagers.
3. In upper-secondary schools and other secondary-level schools.

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All other consumption of tobacco is also prohibited in primary/lower secondary schools, local authority summer work-training programmes for children, pre-schools, all day-care facilities for children, and on premises primarily intended for children’s and teenagers’ social, sports and leisure activities. The same applies to all gatherings primarily intended for teenagers.
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• For the retail sale of tobacco, a special licence is required from the Board of Health of the relevant region.

• Ban on any form of media coverage of individual tobacco products for purposes other than warning of their harmful effects.

• Tobacco and tobacco trademarks shall not visible to the customer at points of sale.

• Sales banned to minors under 18.
Rökning 12-16 år gamla elever i Reykjavik, 1974-2002
Undersökningar av distriktets läkare och Reykjaviks cancerförening

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Daglig rökning, 13-16 år, 1997-2015


Green = 10th grade (15-16 y)
Red = 9th grade (14-15 y)
Blue = 8th grade (13-14 y)
Daglig rökning i gymnasiet (16-20 år)

Rannsókir & greining 2016
Daglig rökning i åldern 18-69, 1989-2016

Males

Females
Använda snus dagligen, män
"Gamla" traditionella nästobaken
Försäljning i ton, 2003-2015
Användning av E-Cigaretter, 18 år och äldre, 2015 och 2016

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Användning av E-cigarettor – har provat
Gymnasiets (16-20 år), 2016

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Daglig rökning i ålder 18-69 år, 1985 till 2015
Med viktiga milstolpar av öronmärkta skatter för tobakskontroll

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Hur kommer vi vidare?
Till “endgame”?

- Vi behöver en ny strategi, en handlingsplan och ny lagstiftning
- Skatte- och prispolitiken
- Brist på politiskt stöd
- Brist på resurser - hälsovården inaktiv
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