

Extraordinary

MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE

(Department of Health and Family Welfare)

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 20th December, 2010

G.S.R. (E): In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 7, sub-section (2) of section 8, section 10 and section 31 of the Cigarettes and other Tobacco Products (Prohibition of Advertisement and Regulation of Trade and Commerce, Production, Supply and Distribution) Act, 2003 (34 of 2003), the Central Government hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Cigarettes and other Tobacco Products (Packaging and Labelling) Rules, 2008, namely:-

1. (1) These Rules may be called the Cigarettes and other Tobacco Products (Packaging and Labelling) Amendment Rules, 2010.
(2) They shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. In the Cigarettes and other Tobacco Products (Packaging and Labelling) Rules, 2008, following shall be substituted, namely:-

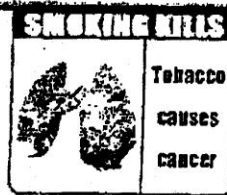
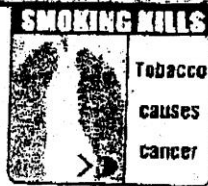
(A) for rule 5, the following shall be substituted, namely:-

"5. Rotation of Specified Health Warnings.- The Specified Health Warning on tobacco packs shall be rotated every two years from the date of notification of the rules or earlier, as the case may be, as specified by the Central Government"

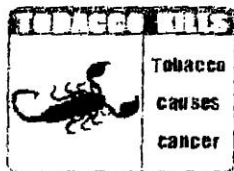
(B) in the Schedule, for paragraph 2, the following paragraph shall be substituted, namely:-

" 2. The specified health warnings are-

(1) For smoking forms of tobacco packs:-



2) For chewing or smokeless forms of tobacco packages:-



Note:- These rules are accompanied by a CD that contains a soft copy of these health warnings, for inclusion in printing of tobacco product packages".

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Note:- The Principal rules were published vide No. G.S.R. 182(E) dated 15th march, 2008 and subsequently amended vide No. G.S.R.693(E) dated 29-09-2008 and vide No. S.O.2814(E) dated 28-11-2008 and vide No.G.S.R.305(E) dated 3-5-2009 and vide No.G.S.R.176(E) dated 05-03-2010 and vide No.G.S.R.411(E) dated 17-05-2010.