These notes relate to the Tobacco and Primary Medical Services (Scotland) Act 2010 (asp 3) which received Royal Assent on 3 March 2010

TOBACCO AND PRIMARY MEDICAL SERVICES (SCOTLAND) ACT 2010

EXPLANATORY NOTES

THE ACT – OVERVIEW

Part 1 - Tobacco Products Etc.

Section 33 – Presumption as to contents of container

46. This section raises a presumption in prosecutions for displaying tobacco products (and smoking related products) or for selling tobacco to under-18s that the contents of a container conform to the packaging. The presumption can be rebutted by the accused or other party in a trial.