

*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 7 – Confiscation of tobacco from persons under 18

20. This section empowers the police to confiscate a tobacco product or cigarette papers from a person under 18 who is in possession of them in a public place. Failure to comply with a request from the police to surrender the tobacco product or cigarette papers or, when such a request has been made, for a name and address is an offence.