

These notes refer to the Tobacco Advertising and Promotion Act 2002 (c.36) which received Royal Assent on 7 November 2002

TOBACCO ADVERTISING AND PROMOTION ACT 2002

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Section 15: Obstruction of officers

59. This section makes obstructing an officer of an enforcement body, or making false statements to an officer, an offence. There is a defence to the latter charge if the accused adduces sufficient evidence to raise an issue that he did not know that the information was false and had reasonable grounds to believe it was true.