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**AN BILLE SLÁINTE POIBLÍ (TOBAC) (LEASÚ), 2013**  
**PUBLIC HEALTH (TOBACCO) (AMENDMENT) BILL 2013**

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**EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

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*Purpose of Bill*

The Bill provides for the repeal of certain provisions contained in section 2 of the Tobacco Products (Control of Advertising, Sponsorship and Sales Promotion) Act 1978 and the amendment of section 38 of the Public Health (Tobacco) Act 2002 in respect of activities which are intended or are likely to promote the sale of tobacco products.

**Provisions of Bill**

*Section 1* amends section 38 of the Public Health (Tobacco) Act 2002 and provides for the Minister to make regulations in respect of activities which are intended or are likely to promote the sale of tobacco products.

*Section 2* repeals provisions contained in section 2 of the Tobacco Products (Control of Advertising, Sponsorship and Sales Promotion) Act 1978 and revokes Regulation 17 of the Tobacco Products (Control of Advertising, Sponsorship and Sales Promotion) Regulations 1991.

*Section 3* provides for short title, collective citation, construction and commencement.

*Department of Health,*  
*January, 2013.*