

HOUSE No. 2129

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Nine

An Act relative to prohibiting the distribution, possession and use of all tobacco products..

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 270, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is hereby amended
2 by striking Section 6 in its entirety, and inserting in place thereof the following new section:-

3 Section 6. Distributing, possessing and/or using any cigarette, chewing tobacco, snuff or
4 any tobacco in any of its forms by a person is prohibited. Any offenders shall be punished by a
5 fine of no less than \$150 for the first offense, not less than \$200 for a second offense and not less
6 than \$300 for any third offense or subsequent offense or by imprisonment in a house of
7 corrections for not more than 6 months.

8 SECTION 2. Sections 6A and 21 of Chapter 270, as so appearing, is hereby repealed.

9 SECTION 3. Section 22 of Chapter 270, as most recently amended by Chapter 215 of the
10 Acts of 2008, is hereby repealed.