

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 2244

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

*Tackey Chan*

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*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act further regulating the sale of tobacco products.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Tackey Chan</i>	<i>2nd Norfolk</i>	<i>1/29/2021</i>
<i>Jon Santiago</i>	<i>9th Suffolk</i>	<i>10/22/2021</i>

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By Mr. Chan of Quincy, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2244) of Tackey Chan further regulating the sale of tobacco products. Public Health.

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)  
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An Act further regulating the sale of 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. Section 6 of Chapter 270 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2018  
2   official edition, is hereby amended by striking out subsection (d) and (e) and inserting in place  
3   the following three subsections:

4           (d) Any retailer that sells, offers for sale, or distributes for commercial purpose any  
5   tobacco product shall maintain a stock of, and offer for retail sale, at least one type of nicotine  
6   replacement therapy drug, device, or combination product that has been approved by the federal  
7   Food and Drug Administration for cessation of tobacco use pursuant to the “Federal Food, Drug,  
8   and Cosmetic Act,” 21 U.S.C. ss.301 et seq.

9           (e) A person who violates this section shall be punished by a fine of \$100 for the first  
10   offense, \$200 for a second offense and \$300 for a third or subsequent offense.

11           (f) The department of public health may promulgate regulations to implement this  
12   section.