STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Standardised Packaging of Tobacco Products Regulations 2015

 Made
 19th March 2015

 Coming into force
 20th May 2016

The Secretary of State is a Minister designated for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(1) in relation to measures relating tobacco, tobacco products, nicotine, nicotine products and herbal products for smoking(2).

The Secretary of State makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 94 and 135(2) and (3) of the Children and Families Act 2014(3) and section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972.

A draft of these Regulations has been laid before and approved by resolution of each House of Parliament in accordance with section 135(6) of the Children and Families Act 2014 and paragraph 2(2) of Schedule 2 to the European Communities Act 1972(4).

^{(1) 1972} c. 68; section 2(2) was amended by section 27(1)(a) of the Legislative and Regulatory Reform Act 2006 (c. 51) and by the Schedule to the European Union (Amendment) Act 2008 (c. 7).

⁽²⁾ S.I. 2014/2705

^{(3) 2014} c. 6.

⁽⁴⁾ Paragraph 2(2) of Schedule 2 to the European Communities Act 1972 was amended by section 27(2)(a) of the Legislative and Regulatory Reform Act 2006.