

Extracts from Health Canada’s Forward Regulatory Plans 2018-2020 to 2023-2025

Regulations under the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act

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A.Regulations still in development

Tobacco Reporting Regulations - 2¹

Forward Plan	2017-2019	2018-2020	2019-2021	2020-2022	2021-2023	2022-2024	2022-2024	2023-2025
Date on website	2017-04-01	2018-10-12	2020-04-19	2021-02-28	2021-08-01	2022-04-26	2022-11-30	2023-07-21
Date of update	2017-04-01		2019-04-01	2021-02-01	2021-04-01	2022-04-01	2022-10-01	2023-04-01
Title	Amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations	Amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations - 2	Amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations - 2	Amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations	Amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations	Tobacco and Vaping Products Reporting Regulations	Tobacco and Vaping Products Reporting Regulations	Tobacco and Vaping Products Reporting Regulations
Description	<p>Amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations (TRR) are being proposed to modernize and improve the information collected by Health Canada from tobacco manufacturers and importers. This information is used to support decision-making and policies that aim to decrease the harms caused by the use of tobacco products in Canada. The amendments will address several recommendations made by the Standing Joint Committee for the Scrutiny of Regulations (SJCSR) as a result of their review.</p> <p>The Department is also proposing to update the tobacco testing methods that are prescribed in these regulations. As such, consequential amendments are also being proposed to the Tobacco Products Information Regulations which reference the same methods for the testing and display of constituent information on packages of smokeless tobacco products.</p>	<p>Amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations (TRR) are being proposed to improve the information collected by Health Canada from manufacturers and importers of tobacco products and to require that the Minister disclose certain information to the public.</p> <p>The proposed amendments would be made under new regulation-making powers set out in the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act.</p>	<p>Amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations (TRR) are being proposed to improve the information collected by Health Canada from manufacturers and importers of tobacco products and to require that the Minister disclose certain information to the public.</p> <p>The proposed amendments would be made under new regulation-making powers set out in the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act.</p>	<p>Proposed amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations would improve the information collected by Health Canada from manufacturers and importers of tobacco products and to require that the Minister disclose certain information to the public.</p> <p>The proposed amendments would be made under new regulation-making powers set out in the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act.</p>	<p>Proposed amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations would improve the information collected by Health Canada from manufacturers and importers of tobacco products and require that the Minister disclose certain information to the public.</p> <p>The proposed amendments would be made under new regulation-making powers set out in the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act.</p>	<p>Health Canada is proposing amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations to improve the information collected by Health Canada from manufacturers and importers of tobacco products and require that the Minister disclose certain information to the public. They would also expand the scope of information collected from vaping product manufacturers and importers under the anticipated Vaping Products Reporting Regulations. They would merge the two sets of reporting regulations into a single one.</p> <p>The proposed amendments would be made under new regulation-making powers set out in the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act.</p>	<p>Health Canada is proposing amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations to improve the information collected by Health Canada from manufacturers and importers of tobacco products and require that the Minister disclose certain information to the public. They would also expand the scope of information collected from vaping product manufacturers and importers under the anticipated Vaping Products Reporting Regulations. They would merge the two sets of reporting regulations into a single one.</p> <p>The proposed amendments would be made under new regulation-making powers set out in the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act.</p>	<p>Health Canada is proposing amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations to improve the information collected by Health Canada from manufacturers and importers of tobacco products and require that the Minister disclose certain information to the public. The proposed amendments would also expand the scope of information collected from vaping product manufacturers and importers under the anticipated Vaping Products Reporting Regulations. The proposed amendments would merge the two sets of reporting regulations into one.</p>
Potential impacts on Canadians, including businesses	There may be business impacts. The "One-for-One" rule and/or the Small Business Lens may apply.	There may be business impacts. The "One-for-One" Rule and/or the Small Business Lens may apply.	The proposed regulatory amendments would improve the information collected by Health	The proposed regulatory amendments would improve the information collected by Health	The proposed regulatory amendments would improve the information collected by Health	It is anticipated that the proposed regulatory amendments would improve the information collected	It is anticipated that the proposed regulatory amendments would improve the information collected	It is anticipated that the proposed regulatory amendments would improve the information collected

¹ From <https://frp.policygeek.ca/HC/2020-04-19/plan/vaping-product-promotion-regulations.html>

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			<p>Canada from manufacturers and importers of tobacco products and would assist in making decisions and policies aimed at continuing to reduce tobacco use in Canada.</p> <p>The disclosure requirements would give Canadians better access to tobacco product information collected by Health Canada.</p> <p>Tobacco manufacturers would be required to make changes to the tobacco product information that they are required to submit in their reports.</p>	<p>Canada from manufacturers and importers of tobacco products and would assist in making decisions and policies aimed at continuing to reduce tobacco use in Canada.</p> <p>The disclosure requirements would give Canadians better access to tobacco product information collected by Health Canada.</p> <p>Tobacco manufacturers would be required to make changes to the tobacco product information that they are required to submit in their reports.</p>	<p>Canada from manufacturers and importers of tobacco products and would assist in making decisions and policies aimed at continuing to reduce tobacco use in Canada.</p> <p>The disclosure requirements would give Canadians better access to tobacco product information collected by Health Canada.</p> <p>Tobacco manufacturers would be required to make changes to the tobacco product information that they are required to submit in their reports.</p>	<p>by Health Canada from manufacturers and importers of tobacco products and vaping products, and would assist in making decisions and policies aimed at continuing to reduce tobacco use in Canada.</p> <p>The disclosure requirements would give Canadians better access to tobacco product and vaping product information collected by Health Canada.</p> <p>Manufacturers would be required to make changes to the tobacco product and vaping product information they are required to submit in their reports.</p>	<p>by Health Canada from manufacturers and importers of tobacco products and vaping products, and would assist in making decisions and policies aimed at continuing to reduce tobacco use in Canada.</p> <p>The disclosure requirements would give Canadians better access to tobacco product and vaping product information collected by Health Canada.</p> <p>Manufacturers would be required to make changes to the tobacco product and vaping product information they are required to submit in their report</p>	<p>by Health Canada from manufacturers and importers of tobacco products and vaping products and would assist in making decisions and policies aimed at continuing to reduce tobacco use in Canada.</p> <p>The disclosure requirements would give people in Canada better access to tobacco product and vaping product information collected by Health Canada.</p> <p>Manufacturers would be required to make changes to the tobacco product and vaping product information they are required to submit in their reports.</p>
Consultation	<p>Health Canada held a technical consultation with tobacco manufacturers and importers as well as testing laboratories at the end of November 2012. Three other consultations were held with stakeholders on proposed TRR amendments in 2007, 2008 and 2009.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide further input on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is expected to start in summer 2017 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>A Notice to Interested Parties was published in the Canada Gazette, Part I on December 2, 2017, with a 60-day public comment period.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal, during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is expected to take place spring 2019 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>A Notice to Interested Parties was published in the Canada Gazette, Part I on December 2, 2017, with a 60-day public comment period.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal, during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is expected to take place in winter 2020 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>A Notice to Interested Parties was published in the Canada Gazette, Part I on December 2, 2017, with a 60-day public comment period.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal, during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in fall 2021 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>A Notice to Interested Parties was published in the Canada Gazette, Part I on December 2, 2017, with a 60-day public comment period.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal, during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in winter 2022 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>A Notice to Interested Parties was published in the Canada Gazette, Part I, on December 2, 2017, with a 60-day public comment period.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal, during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in spring 2023 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>A Notice to Interested Parties was published in the Canada Gazette, Part I, on December 2, 2017, with a 60-day public comment period.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal, during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in fall 2023 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>A Notice to Interested Parties was published in the Canada Gazette, Part I, on December 2, 2017, with a 60-day public comment period.</p> <p>People in Canada will also have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal, during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is expected to take place in winter 2024 and last 75 days.</p>
Date first included		Not stated	April 1, 2017	April 1, 2017	April 1, 2017	April 2017	April 2017	April 2017

Restrictions on Flavours in Vaping Product

Forward Plan	2020-2022	2021-2023	2022-2024	2024-2025
Date on website	2021-02-28	2021-08-01	2022-04-26	2023-07-10
Date of update	2021-02-01	2021-04-01	2022-04-01	2023-04-01
Title	Restrictions on Flavours in Vaping Products	Restrictions on Flavours in Vaping Products	Order Amending Schedules 2 and 3 to the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act (Flavours) and Standards for Vaping Products' Sensory Attributes Regulations	Order Amending Schedules 2 and 3 to the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act (Flavours) and Standards for Vaping Products' Sensory Attributes Regulations
Description	<p>The purpose of the proposed restrictions on flavours in vaping products is to prevent vaping product use from leading to the use of tobacco products by young persons and non-users of tobacco products. In particular, the proposed restrictions are intended to protect these individuals from inducements to use vaping products and from exposure to and dependence on nicotine that could result from the use of vaping products.</p> <p>The proposed regulations would set restrictions on flavours in vaping products.</p>	<p>The purpose of the proposed regulations would be to protect young persons from inducements to use vaping products.</p> <p>The proposed regulations would set restrictions on flavours in vaping products.</p>	<p>Health Canada is proposing amendments to the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act (Flavours) to protect young persons from inducements to use vaping products.</p> <p>The proposed order and regulations would establish restrictions on the use of flavours in vaping products. The promotion of flavours would be restricted to tobacco or mint/menthol. The use of all sugars and sweeteners as well as flavouring ingredients, with limited exceptions, would also be prohibited in the manufacture of vaping products. Sensory attributes standards are also being proposed for vaping products to further limit the range of sensory perceptions experienced by the user to those typical of tobacco or mint/mentol.</p>	<p>Health Canada is proposing amendments to the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act (Flavours) to protect young persons from inducements to use vaping products.</p> <p>The proposed order and regulations would establish restrictions on the use of flavours in vaping products. The promotion of flavours would be restricted to tobacco or mint/menthol. The use of all sugars and sweeteners as well as flavouring ingredients, with limited exceptions, would also be prohibited in the manufacture of vaping products. Sensory attributes standards are also being proposed for vaping products to further limit the range of sensory perceptions experienced by the user to those typical of tobacco or mint/mentol.</p> <p>Reducing the promotion and appeal of vaping products to young people are commitments made in the 2019 Mandate Letter.</p>
Potential impacts on Canadians, including businesses	The proposed regulations would impact vaping product manufacturers, importers and retailers as they would be required to manufacture and sell only those vaping products which comply with the requirements set forth.	The proposed regulations would impact vaping product manufacturers, importers and retailers as they would be required to manufacture and sell only those vaping products which comply with the requirements set forth.	It is anticipated that the proposed order and regulations would impact vaping product manufacturers, importers and retailers as they would be required to manufacture and sell only those vaping products which comply with the requirements set forth.	It is anticipated that the proposed order and regulations would impact vaping product manufacturers, importers and retailers as they would be required to manufacture and sell only those vaping products which comply with the requirements set forth.
Consultation	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on April 11, 2019, setting out potential regulatory measures to reduce youth access and appeal of vaping products. The consultation closed on May 25, 2019.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation has been published in the What We Heard: Reducing Youth Access and Appeal of Vaping Products: Consultation Summary.</p>	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on April 11, 2019, setting out potential regulatory measures to reduce youth access and appeal of vaping products. The consultation closed on May 25, 2019.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation has been published in the What We Heard: Reducing Youth Access and Appeal of Vaping Products: Consultation Summary.</p>	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on April 11, 2019, setting out potential regulatory measures to reduce youth access and appeal of vaping products.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation was published in the What We Heard: Reducing Youth Access and Appeal of Vaping Products: Consultation Summary.</p> <p>Canadians had the opportunity to provide further comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which started on June 19, 2021 and lasted 75 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on April 11, 2019, setting out potential regulatory measures to reduce youth access and appeal of vaping products.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation was published in the What We Heard: Reducing Youth Access and Appeal of Vaping Products: Consultation Summary.</p> <p>Health Canada pre-published the proposed changes in the Canada Gazette, Part I on June 19, 2021, with a 75-day comment period.</p>
Date first included	January 2021	February 2021	February 2021	February 2021
Date completed				

Amendments to the Tobacco Access Regulations (Age Verification for Online Sales)

Forward Plan	2020-2022	2021-2023	2022-2024	2022-2024 update	2023-2025
Date on website	2021-02-28	2021-08-01	2022-04-26	2022-11-30	2023-06-21
Date of update	2021-02-01	2021-04-01	2022-04-01	2022-10-01	2023-04-01
Title	Amendments to the Tobacco Access Regulations (Age Verification for Online Sales)	Amendments to the Tobacco Access Regulations (Age Verification for Online Sales)	Amendments to the Tobacco Access Regulations (Age Verification for Online Sales)	Amendments to the <i>Tobacco Access Regulations</i> (Age Verification for Online Sales)	Amendments to the <i>Tobacco Access Regulations</i> (Age Verification for Online Sales)
Description	<p>The purpose of the proposed amendments to the Tobacco Access Regulations (Age Verification for Online Sales) would be to protect the health of young persons from exposure to and dependence on nicotine that could result from the use of vaping products by restricting young persons from accessing vaping products and tobacco products through online retailers.</p> <p>The proposed regulations would amend current regulations to include vaping products, as they currently only apply to tobacco. The proposed regulations would also prescribe, in greater detail, the mechanisms that must be undertaken to verify age and identity in the context of online sales.</p>	<p>The purpose of the proposed amendments to the Tobacco Access Regulations (Age Verification for Online Sales) would be to protect the health of young persons from exposure to and dependence on nicotine that could result from the use of vaping products by restricting young persons from accessing vaping products and tobacco products through online retailers.</p> <p>The proposed regulations would amend current regulations to include vaping products, as they currently only apply to tobacco. The proposed regulations would also prescribe, in greater detail, the mechanisms that must be undertaken to verify age and identity in the context of online sales.</p>	<p>Health Canada is proposing amendments to the Tobacco Access Regulations (Age Verification for Online Sales) to restrict young persons from accessing vaping products and tobacco products through online retailers.</p> <p>The proposed regulations would amend current regulations to include vaping products, as they currently only apply to tobacco. The proposed regulations would also prescribe, in greater detail, the actions regulated parties may take to verify age and identity in the context of online sales.</p>	<p>Health Canada is proposing amendments to the Tobacco Access Regulations (Age Verification for Online Sales) to restrict young persons from accessing vaping products and tobacco products through online retailers.</p> <p>The proposed regulations would amend current regulations to include vaping products, as they currently only apply to tobacco. The proposed regulations would also prescribe, in greater detail, the actions regulated parties may take to verify age and identity in the context of online sales.</p>	<p>Health Canada is proposing amendments to the Tobacco (Access) Regulations to support measures in the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act that protect the health of young persons by restricting access to tobacco and vaping products. The proposed regulations would also prescribe, in greater detail, the actions regulated parties may take to verify age and identity in the context of online sales.</p>
Potential impacts on Canadians, including businesses	The proposed regulations would impact everyone who engages in online sales as they would be required to comply with the requirements set forth.	The proposed regulations would impact everyone who engages in online sales as they would be required to comply with the requirements set forth.	It is anticipated the proposed regulations would impact everyone who engages in online sales as these parties would be required to comply with the requirements set forth.	It is anticipated the proposed regulations would impact everyone who engages in online sales as these parties would be required to comply with the requirements set forth.	It is anticipated the proposed regulations amendments would impact everyone who engages in online sales of tobacco and vaping products as these parties would be required to comply with the requirements set forth.
Consultation	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on April 11, 2019, setting out potential regulatory measures to reduce youth access and appeal of vaping products. The consultation closed on May 25, 2019.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation has been published in the What We Heard: Reducing Youth Access and Appeal of Vaping Products: Consultation Summary.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in fall 2021 and last 30 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on April 11, 2019, setting out potential regulatory measures to reduce youth access and appeal of vaping products. The consultation closed on May 25, 2019.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation has been published in the What We Heard: Reducing Youth Access and Appeal of Vaping Products: Consultation Summary.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in fall 2021 and last 30 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on April 11, 2019, setting out potential regulatory measures to reduce youth access and appeal of vaping products.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation was published in the What We Heard: Reducing Youth Access and Appeal of Vaping Products: Consultation Summary.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in winter 2023 and last 30 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on April 11, 2019, setting out potential regulatory measures to reduce youth access and appeal of vaping products.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation was published in the What We Heard: Reducing Youth Access and Appeal of Vaping Products: Consultation Summary.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the <i>Canada Gazette</i>, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in spring 2023 and last 45 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on April 11, 2019, setting out potential regulatory measures to reduce youth access and appeal of vaping products.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation was published in the What We Heard: Reducing Youth Access and Appeal of Vaping Products: Consultation Summary.</p>
Date first included	January 2021	February 2021	February 2021	February 2021	February 2021
Completed					

B. Finalized regulations

Amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations - 1

Forward Plan	2017-2019	2018-2020	Canada GAzette
Date on website	2017-04-01	2018-10-12	OIC 2019-02-28
Date of update		Not stated	Published in Gazette 2019-03-20
Title	Amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations	Amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations - 1	Regulations Amending the Tobacco Reporting Regulations SOR 2019-0064
Description	<p>Amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations (TRR) are being proposed to modernize and improve the information collected by Health Canada from tobacco manufacturers and importers. This information is used to support decision-making and policies that aim to decrease the harms caused by the use of tobacco products in Canada. The amendments will address several recommendations made by the Standing Joint Committee for the Scrutiny of Regulations (SJCSR) as a result of their review.</p> <p>The Department is also proposing to update the tobacco testing methods that are prescribed in these regulations. As such, consequential amendments are also being proposed to the Tobacco Products Information Regulations which reference the same methods for the testing and display of constituent information on packages of smokeless tobacco products.</p>	<p>Amendments to the Tobacco Reporting Regulations (TRR) are being proposed to modernize and improve the information collected by Health Canada from tobacco manufacturers and importers. This information is used to support decision-making and policies that aim to decrease the harms caused by the use of tobacco products in Canada. The amendments will address several recommendations made by the Standing Joint Committee for the Scrutiny of Regulations (SJCSR) as a result of their review.</p> <p>The Department is also proposing to update the tobacco testing methods that are prescribed in these regulations. As such, consequential amendments are also being proposed to the Tobacco Products Information Regulations which reference the same methods for the testing and display of constituent information on packages of smokeless tobacco products.</p>	<p>Regulations Amending the TOBACCO REPORTING REGULATIONS in order to (1) address the recommendations of the Standing Joint Committee for the Scrutiny of Regulations; (2) update and clarify the requirements in order to make them more relevant to the current environment and to eliminate redundant requirements; (3) update the official testing methods for the sampling and testing of tobacco products to reflect technological advances; (4) require electronic submissions of reports; (5) improve the clarity of the requirements; and (6) align the requirements with the 2009 amendments to the Tobacco and Vaping Act.</p>
Potential impacts on Canadians, including businesses	There may be business impacts. The "One-for-One" rule and/or the Small Business Lens may apply.	There may be business impacts. The "One-for-One" rule and/or the Small Business Lens may apply.	
Consultation	<p>Health Canada held a technical consultation with tobacco manufacturers and importers as well as testing laboratories at the end of November 2012. Three other consultations were held with stakeholders on proposed TRR amendments in 2007, 2008 and 2009.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide further input on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is expected to start in summer 2017 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada held a technical consultation with tobacco manufacturers and importers as well as testing laboratories at the end of November 2012. Three other consultations were held with stakeholders on proposed TRR amendments in 2007, 2008 and 2009.</p> <p>Canadians had the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which started on May 27, 2017 and lasted 30 days.</p>	
Date first included		Not stated	

Tobacco Products Labelling Regulations

Forward Plan	2017-2019	2018-2020	2019-2021	2020-2022	2021-2023	2022-2024	2022-2024	2023-2025	Canada Gazette
Date on website	2017-04-19	2018-10-12	2020-04-19	2021-02-28	2021-08-01	2022-04-26	2022-11-30	2023-07-10	Publication 2023-06-07
Date of update	2017-04-01		2019-08-16	2021-02-01	2021-04-01	2022-04-01	2022-10-01	2023-04-01	OIC 2023-05-18
Title	Package Labelling Pursuant to the Tobacco Act	Package Labelling Pursuant to the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act	Tobacco Products Labelling Regulations	Tobacco Products Labelling Regulations	Tobacco Products Labelling Regulations	Tobacco Products Labelling Regulations	Regulations Amending the Tobacco Products Regulations (Plain and Standardized Appearance) and Order Amending Schedule 1 to the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act	Regulations Amending the Tobacco Products Regulations (Plain and Standardized Appearance) and Order Amending Schedule 1 to the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act	Regulations Amending the Tobacco Products Regulations (Plain and Standardized Appearance) SOR/ 2023-0097 and Order Amending Schedule 1 to the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act SOR/ 2023-0098
Description	Health Canada is proposing to make changes to the health-related labelling of tobacco products and require package labelling for those products not yet subject to labelling requirements. Tobacco products considered for modified labelling requirements may include cigarettes, little cigars, cigars, pipe tobacco, bidis, kreteks, and smokeless tobacco, while products that would be subject to new requirements may include water-pipe tobacco (also known as narguileh and shisha) and blunt wraps. The goal would be to increase awareness of the health hazards and health effects associated with tobacco use. Labelling requirements for cigarettes and little cigars were last updated in 2011, while requirements for product like cigars, pipe tobacco, bidis, kreteks and smokeless tobacco were put place in 2000.	Health Canada is proposing to make changes to the health-related labelling of tobacco products and require package labelling for those products not yet subject to labelling requirements. Tobacco products considered for modified labelling requirements may include cigarettes, little cigars, cigars, pipe tobacco, bidis, kreteks, and smokeless tobacco, while products that would be subject to new requirements may include water-pipe tobacco (also known as narguileh and shisha) and blunt wraps. The goal would be to increase awareness of the health hazards and health effects associated with tobacco use. Labelling requirements for cigarettes and little cigars were last updated in 2011, while requirements for product like cigars, pipe tobacco, bidis, kreteks and smokeless tobacco were put place in 2000.	Health Canada is proposing to make changes to the health-related labelling of tobacco products and require package labelling for those products not yet subject to labelling requirements. Tobacco products considered for modified labelling requirements may include cigarettes, little cigars, cigars, pipe tobacco, bidis, kreteks, and smokeless tobacco, while products that would be subject to new requirements may include water-pipe tobacco (also known as narguileh and shisha) and blunt wraps. The goal would be to increase awareness of the health hazards and health effects associated with tobacco use. Labelling requirements for cigarettes and little cigars were last updated in 2011, while requirements for product like cigars, pipe tobacco, bidis, kreteks and smokeless tobacco were put place in 2000.	Proposed amendments to the Tobacco Products Labelling Regulations would change the health-related labelling of tobacco products and require package labelling for those products not yet subject to labelling requirements. Tobacco products being considered for modified labelling requirements may include cigarettes, little cigars, cigars, pipe tobacco, bidis, kreteks, and smokeless tobacco, while products that would be subject to new requirements may include water-pipe tobacco (also known as narguileh and shisha) and blunt wraps.	Proposed amendments to the Tobacco Products Labelling Regulations would update existing health-related labelling requirements and extend requirements to all tobacco products, including those not covered under existing regulations (e.g. tobacco products intended for use with a device, water pipe tobacco and novel tobacco products).	Health Canada is proposing amendments to the Tobacco Products Labelling Regulations would update existing health-related labelling requirements set out in the Tobacco products information Regulation and the Tobacco Products Labelling Regulations (Cigarettes and Little Cigars). They would also extend labelling requirements to all tobacco products, including those not covered under existing regulations (e.g. tobacco products intended for use with a device, water pipe tobacco and novel tobacco products).	Health Canada is proposing to update existing health-related labelling requirements set out in the Tobacco Products Information Regulations and the Tobacco Products Labelling Regulations (Cigarettes and Little Cigars). They would also extend package labelling requirements to all tobacco products, including those not covered under existing regulations (e.g. tobacco products intended for use with a device, water pipe tobacco and novel tobacco products) and mandate warnings on individual cigarettes.	Health Canada is proposing to update existing health-related labelling requirements set out in the Tobacco Products Information Regulations and the Tobacco Products Labelling Regulations (Cigarettes and Little Cigars). The proposed amendments would also extend package labelling requirements to all tobacco products, including those not covered under existing regulations (e.g., tobacco products intended for use with a device, water pipe tobacco and novel tobacco products) and mandate warnings on individual cigarettes.	
Potential impacts on Canadians, including businesses	There may be business impacts. The "One-for-One" Rule and/or the Small Business Lens may apply.	There may be business impacts. The "One-for-One" Rule and/or the Small Business Lens may apply.	The proposed regulatory amendments would improve the clarity of the labelling requirements by bringing together two sets of labelling regulations into one. Tobacco	The proposed regulatory amendments would improve the clarity of the labelling requirements by bringing together two sets of labelling regulations into one. Tobacco	The proposed regulatory amendments would improve the clarity of the labelling requirements by bringing together two sets of labelling regulations into one. Tobacco	It is anticipated that the proposed regulations would improve the clarity of the labelling requirements by bringing together two sets of labelling regulations into one.	It is anticipated that the proposed regulations would improve the clarity of the labelling requirements by bringing together two sets of labelling regulations into one.	It is anticipated that the proposed regulations would improve the clarity of the labelling requirements by bringing together two sets of labelling regulations into one.	

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			<p>manufacturers would be required to make changes to their tobacco product packaging to comply with new proposed labelling requirements.</p> <p>Health Canada would require manufacturers and importers of tobacco products to ensure they have a new and constantly rotating set of labels to inform Canadians about the health effects and health hazards of tobacco use.</p>	<p>manufacturers and importers would be required to make changes to their tobacco product packaging to comply with new proposed labelling requirements.</p> <p>Health Canada would require manufacturers and importers of tobacco products to ensure they have a new and constantly rotating set of labels to inform Canadians about the health effects and health hazards of tobacco use.</p>	<p>manufacturers and importers would be required to make changes to their tobacco product packaging to comply with new proposed labelling requirements.</p> <p>The proposal would introduce a rotation scheme whereby messages would be changed periodically to help maintain their salience, memorability and effectiveness to inform Canadians about the health effects and health hazards of tobacco use. Health Canada would require manufacturers and importers of tobacco products to ensure they have a new and constantly rotating set of labels to inform Canadians about the health effects and health hazards of tobacco use.</p>	<p>Tobacco manufacturers and importers would be required to make changes to their tobacco product packaging to comply with new proposed labelling requirements.</p> <p>They would also have to comply with a rotation scheme whereby messages would be changed periodically.</p>	<p>Tobacco manufacturers and importers would be required to make changes to their tobacco product packaging to comply with new proposed labelling requirements.</p> <p>They would also have to comply with a rotation scheme whereby messages would be changed periodically.</p>	<p>Tobacco manufacturers and importers would be required to make changes to their tobacco product packaging to comply with new proposed labelling requirements.</p> <p>They would also have to comply with a rotation scheme whereby messages would be changed periodically.</p>	
Consultation	<p>It is anticipated that Canadians will be consulted on the concepts and approaches to update the labelling of tobacco products in Canada. Health Canada expects to consult with interested parties and citizens in 2017 with proposals aimed at updating the tobacco product labelling in Canada.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide input through an online consultation and during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period on the regulatory proposal.</p>	<p>Health Canada expects to consult with interested parties and citizens in fall 2018 on a published consultation document that includes proposals aimed at updating tobacco product labelling in Canada for a 90 day comment period.</p> <p>Canadians will also have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is expected to take place in spring 2020 and last 30 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada consulted with interested parties and citizens in fall 2018 on a published consultation document that includes proposals aimed at updating tobacco product labelling in Canada for a 90 day comment period.</p> <p>Canadians will also have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is expected to take place in winter 2021 and last 30 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada consulted with interested parties and citizens in fall 2018 for a 90-day comment period on a published consultation document that includes proposals aimed at updating tobacco product labelling in Canada. A summary of the consultation has been published in the What We Heard: New Health-Related Labelling for Tobacco Products: Consultation Summary.</p> <p>Canadians will also have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in fall 2021 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada consulted with interested parties and citizens in fall 2018 for a 90-day comment period on a published consultation document that included proposals aimed at updating tobacco product labelling in Canada.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation has been published in the What We Heard: New Health-Related Labelling for Tobacco Products: Consultation Summary.</p> <p>Canadians will also have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in fall 2021 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada consulted with interested parties and citizens in fall 2018 for a 90-day comment period on a published consultation document that included proposals aimed at updating tobacco product labelling in Canada.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation was published in the What We Heard: New Health-Related Labelling for Tobacco Products: Consultation Summary.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in spring 2022 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada consulted with interested parties and citizens in fall 2018 for a 90-day comment period on a published consultation document that included proposals aimed at updating tobacco product labelling in Canada.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation was published in the What We Heard: New Health-Related Labelling for Tobacco Products: Consultation Summary.</p> <p>Health Canada pre-published the proposed changes in the Canada Gazette, Part I, on June 11, 2022 with a 75-day public comment period.</p> <p>Health Canada plans to publish the proposed changes in Canada Gazette, Part II in spring 2023.</p>	<p>Health Canada consulted with interested parties and citizens in fall 2018 for a 90-day comment period on a published consultation document that included proposals aimed at updating tobacco product labelling in Canada. A summary of the consultation was published in the What We Heard: New Health-Related Labelling for Tobacco Products: Consultation Summary.</p> <p>Health Canada pre-published the proposed Regulations Amending the Tobacco Products Regulations (Plain and Standardized Appearance) and Order Amending Schedule 1 to the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act in the Canada</p>	

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								<p>Gazette, Part I on June 11, 2022, with a 75-day public comment period.</p> <p>Health Canada plans to publish the amended regulations and Order in the Canada Gazette, Part II in spring 2023.</p>	
Date first included		Not stated	April 1, 2015	April 1, 2015	April 1, 2015	April 2015	April 2015	April 2015	

Vaping Products Labelling and Packaging Regulations

Forward Plan	2018-2020	2019-2020	2019-2021	Canada Gazette
Date on website	2018-10-12	2019-04-01	2020-04-19	OIC 2019-12-18
Date of update		2019-04-01	2019-08-16	2019-12-25 (part II). June 2019 (Part I)
Title	Vaping Products (Health or Safety; Labelling and Contents) Regulations	Vaping Products (Health or Safety; Labelling and Contents) Regulations	Vaping Products Labelling and Packaging Regulations	Vaping Products Labelling and Packaging Regulations SOR 2019-353
Description	<p>The Government of Canada introduced Bill S-5: An Act to amend the Tobacco Act and the Non-Smokers Health Act and to make consequential amendments to other acts in the Senate on November 22, 2016.</p> <p>On May 23, 2018, the Bill received Royal Assent. As a result, Health Canada has the authority to address:</p> <p>Vaping product-related health or safety issues under the Canada Consumer Product Safety Act (CCPSA) unless products have a health claim and are therefore subject to the Food and Drugs Act; and,</p> <p>Issues related to the manufacture, sale, labelling and promotion of vaping products under the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act.</p> <p>At this time, no product-specific regulations under the CCPSA exist for vaping products. Until specific regulatory requirements are in place, the general safety provisions and the Consumer Chemicals and Containers Regulations, 2001(CCCR, 2001) under the CCPSA, apply to vaping products without therapeutic claims in order to address the risks associated with children ingesting e-liquids that contain nicotine.</p> <p>A single set of regulations pursuant to both the CCPSA and Tobacco and Vaping Products Act, will address in a consolidated manner the potential health or safety risks from vaping products used by consumers. The immediate focus will be on the mitigation of the risks associated with children ingesting e-liquids that contain nicotine. The regulations will also address labelling issues to increase public awareness about the health hazards of using vaping products and to help prevent the public from being deceived with respect to those hazards, as well as content standards issues.</p> <p>The proposed single set of regulations, using powers under the CCPSA, would also remove the carve-out for vaping devices with refillable tanks and other vaping device parts that hold or may hold vaping liquids with nicotine. This was introduced as part of the Bill to provide time for industry members to manufacture or source vaping devices with refillable tanks that meet the CCCR, 2001 requirements, which includes child-resistant containers and toxicity labelling.</p>	<p>On May 23, 2018 Bill S-5: An Act to amend the Tobacco Act and the Non-Smokers Health Act and to make consequential amendments to other acts, received Royal Assent. As a result, Health Canada has the authority to address:</p> <p>Vaping product-related health or safety issues under the Canada Consumer Product Safety Act (CCPSA) or the Food and Drugs Act; and,</p> <p>Issues related to the manufacture, sale, labelling and promotion of vaping products under the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act (TPVA).</p> <p>A single set of regulations pursuant to both the CCPSA and Tobacco and Vaping Products Act, will address in a consolidated manner the potential health or safety risks from vaping products used by consumers.</p> <p>At this time, no product-specific regulations under the CCPSA exist for vaping products. Until specific regulatory requirements are in place, the general safety provisions and the Consumer Chemicals and Containers Regulations, 2001(CCCR, 2001) under the CCPSA, apply to vaping products without therapeutic claims in order to address the risks associated with children ingesting e-liquids that contain nicotine.</p> <p>The immediate focus will be on the mitigation of the risks associated with children ingesting e-liquids that contain nicotine. The regulations will also address labelling issues to increase public awareness about the health hazards of using vaping products and to help prevent the public from being deceived with respect to those hazards, as well as content standards issues. The proposal would also extend child-resistant container requirements and certain labelling provisions to vaping devices and parts that may contain a vaping substance.</p> <p>Pursuant to the TVPA, the regulations will also address labelling issues to increase public awareness about the health hazards of using vaping products and to help prevent the public from being deceived with respect to those hazards, as well as content standards issues.</p>	<p>A single set of regulations pursuant to both the CCPSA and TVPA, will address in a consolidated manner the potential health or safety risks from vaping products used by consumers.</p> <p>At this time, no product-specific regulations under the CCPSA exist for vaping products. Until specific regulatory requirements are in place, the general safety provisions and the Consumer Chemicals and Containers Regulations, 2001(CCCR, 2001) under the CCPSA, apply to vaping products without therapeutic claims in order to address the risks associated with children ingesting e-liquids that contain nicotine.</p> <p>The immediate focus will be on the mitigation of the risks associated with children ingesting e-liquids that contain nicotine. The regulations will also address labelling issues to increase public awareness about the health hazards of using vaping products and to help prevent the public from being deceived with respect to those hazards, as well as content standards issues. The proposal would also extend child-resistant container requirements and certain labelling provisions to vaping devices and parts that may contain a vaping substance.</p> <p>Pursuant to the TVPA, the regulations will also address labelling issues to increase public awareness about the health hazards of using vaping products and to help prevent the public from being deceived with respect to those hazards, as well as content standards issues.</p>	<p>VAPING PRODUCTS LABELLING AND PACKAGING REGULATIONS in order to help (1) protect young persons and non-users of tobacco from exposure to, and dependence on, nicotine; (2) prevent vaping product use from leading to the use of tobacco products; and (3) protect the health and safety of young children by reducing the risk that they ingest vaping substances containing toxic concentrations of nicotine.</p>
Potential impacts on Canadians, including businesses	There may be business impacts. The "One-for-One" Rule and/or the Small Business Lens may apply.	The proposed regulations would provide Canadians with information about the health hazards of using vaping products and	The proposed regulations would provide Canadians with information about the health hazards of using vaping products and	

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		<p>would help protect Canadians, in particular, young children, from the accidental ingestion of vaping liquids. With respect to child-resistant containers, the CCPSA and the CCCR, 2001 currently apply to vaping products that are not marketed as therapeutic products. Thus, a number of vaping products would already meet this requirement. However, this proposal would extend the requirements to additional vaping devices (with refillable tanks and other vaping device parts that hold or may hold vaping liquids with nicotine).</p>	<p>would help protect Canadians, in particular, young children, from the unintentional ingestion of vaping liquids. With respect to child-resistant containers, the CCPSA and the CCCR, 2001 currently apply to vaping products that are not marketed as therapeutic products. Thus, a number of vaping products would already meet this requirement. However, this proposal would extend the requirements to additional vaping devices (with refillable tanks and other vaping device parts that hold or may hold vaping liquids with nicotine).</p>	
Consultation	<p>Health Canada consulted Canadians on the broader proposed regulatory approaches for vaping products through the publication of a consultation paper, which was published on Canada.ca in August 2017 for a 60 day public comment period.</p> <p>In addition, a Notice to Industry was posted and mailed to stakeholders in October 2017.</p> <p>Health Canada posted the Guidance on Vaping Products Not Marketed for a Therapeutic Use on May 23, 2018 and notified industry members of its availability. This document signaled Health Canada's intention to introduce specific vaping products (health or safety) regulations under the CCPSA.</p> <p>Health Canada conducted a webinar for industry in June 2018 entitled, Vaping Industry's Responsibilities under the Canada Consumer Product Safety Act, Health Canada Information Session - A webinar for Vaping Stakeholders. One webinar was conducted in English and another in French. Both included a question and answer segment.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is anticipated to take place in winter 2019 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada consulted Canadians on the broader proposed regulatory approaches for vaping products through the publication of a consultation paper, which was published on Canada.ca in August 2017 for a 60 day public comment period.</p> <p>In addition, a Notice to Industry was posted and mailed to stakeholders in October 2017. The notice described the issues surrounding regulation of vaping products and a description of the risk posed. The notice described what the interim measures for regulation would be under the CCCR, 2001 and the general prohibition of the CCPSA. It also stated product specific requirements would be developed.</p> <p>Health Canada posted the Guidance on Vaping Products Not Marketed for a Therapeutic Use on May 23, 2018 and notified industry members of its availability. This document signaled Health Canada's intention to introduce specific vaping products (health or safety) regulations under the CCPSA.</p> <p>Health Canada conducted a webinar for industry in June 2018 entitled, Vaping Industry's Responsibilities under the Canada Consumer Product Safety Act, Health Canada Information Session - A webinar for Vaping Stakeholders.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is anticipated to take place in spring 2019 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada consulted Canadians on the broader proposed regulatory approaches for vaping products through the publication of a consultation paper, which was published on Canada.ca in August 2017 for a 60 day public comment period.</p> <p>In addition, a Notice to Industry was posted and mailed to stakeholders in October 2017. The notice described the issues surrounding regulation of vaping products and a description of the risk posed. The notice described what the interim measures for regulation would be under the CCCR, 2001 and the general prohibition of the CCPSA. It also stated product specific requirements would be developed.</p> <p>Health Canada posted the Guidance on Vaping Products Not Marketed for a Therapeutic Use on May 23, 2018 and notified industry members of its availability. This document signaled Health Canada's intention to introduce specific vaping products (health or safety) regulations under the CCPSA.</p> <p>Health Canada conducted a webinar for industry in June 2018 entitled, Vaping Industry's Responsibilities under the Canada Consumer Product Safety Act, Health Canada Information Session - A webinar for Vaping Stakeholders.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which started on June 22, 2019 and will last 75 days.</p>	
Date first included		October 1, 2017	October 1, 2017	
Date completed				

<p>Framework for E-cigarettes, Bill S-5, an Act to amend the Tobacco Act, the Non-Smokers' Health Act and to make consequential amendments to other Acts was introduced in the Senate on November 22, 2016. On May 23, 2018, the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act received Royal Assent. Health Canada consulted Canadians on the proposed Vaping Products Reporting Regulations through the publication of a consultation paper, which was published on Canada.ca in August 2017 for a 60 day public comment period. The public comment period was open until October 27, 2017. Canadians will have the opportunity to provide input on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is expected to take place in spring 2019 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>Regulatory Framework for E-cigarettes, Bill S-5, an Act to amend the Tobacco Act, the Non-Smokers' Health Act and to make consequential amendments to other Acts was introduced in the Senate on November 22, 2016. On May 23, 2018, the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act received Royal Assent. Health Canada consulted Canadians on the proposed Vaping Products Reporting Regulations through the publication of a consultation paper, which was published on Canada.ca in August 2017 for a 60 day public comment period. The public comment period was open until October 27, 2017. Canadians will have the opportunity to provide input on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is expected to take place in winter 2020 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>publication of a consultation paper, which was published on Canada.ca in August 2017 and lasted 60 days. A summary of the consultation has been published in a What We Heard Report: Consultation summary: proposals for the regulation of vaping products. Canadians will have the opportunity to provide input on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in fall 2021 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>publication of a consultation paper, which was published for public comment on Canada.ca in August 2017, and lasted 60 days. A summary of the consultation has been published in a What We Heard Report: Consultation summary: proposals for the regulation of vaping products. Canadians will have the opportunity to provide input on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in winter 2022 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>publication of a consultation paper in August 2017. A summary of the consultation was published in a What We Heard Report: Consultation summary: proposals for the regulation of vaping products. Canadians will have a further opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in spring 2022 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>publication of a consultation paper in August 2017. A summary of the consultation was published in a What We Heard Report: Consultation summary: proposals for the regulation of vaping products. Canadians will have a further opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the <i>Canada Gazette</i>, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in spring 2022 and last 45 days.</p>	<p>publication of a consultation paper in August 2017. A summary of the consultation was published in a What We Heard Report: Consultation summary: proposals for the regulation of vaping products. Health Canada pre-published the proposed changes in the Canada Gazette, Part I, on June 18, 2022 with a 45-day public comment period. Health Canada plans to publish the proposed changes in Canada Gazette, Part II in spring 2023.</p>	<p>publication of a consultation paper in August 2017. A summary of the consultation was published in a What We Heard Report: Consultation summary: proposals for the regulation of vaping products. Health Canada pre-published the proposed changes in the Canada Gazette, Part I, on June 18, 2022 with a 45-day public comment period. Health Canada plans to publish the proposed changes in Canada Gazette, Part II in spring 2023.</p>
Date first included	October 1, 2017	October 1, 2017	October 1, 2017	October 2017	October 2017	October 2017	October 2017

Concentration of Nicotine in Vaping Products Regulations

Forward Plan	2020-2022	2021-2023	Canada Gazette
Date on website	2020-02-28	2021-08-01	OIC 2021-06-10
Date of update	2021-02-01	2021-04-01	Gazette 2021-06-23
Title	Concentration of Nicotine in Vaping Products Regulations	Concentration of Nicotine in Vaping Products Regulations	Nicotine Concentration in Vaping Products Regulations SOR/ 2021-0123
Description	<p>The purpose of the proposed Concentration of Nicotine in Vaping Products Regulations is to prevent vaping product use from leading to the use of tobacco products by young persons and non-users of tobacco products. In particular, these regulations are intended to protect these individuals from inducements to use vaping products and from exposure to and dependence on nicotine that could result from the use of vaping products.</p> <p>The proposed regulations would set a limit on the concentration of nicotine in vaping products.</p>	<p>The purpose of the proposed regulations would be to protect young persons from inducements to use vaping products.</p> <p>The proposed regulations would set a limit on the concentration of nicotine in vaping products.</p>	<p>CONCENTRATION OF NICOTINE IN VAPING PRODUCTS REGULATIONS in order (1) to establish a maximum nicotine concentration of 20 mg/mL for vaping products manufactured or imported for sale in Canada and prohibit the packaging and sale of vaping products if the nicotine concentration displayed on the package exceeds that value; and (2) amend the Vaping Products Labelling and Packaging Regulations (VPLPR) to align with this limit for products intended for the domestic market, while continuing to maintain the maximum nicotine concentration of 66 mg/mL in vaping products intended for export.</p>
Potential impacts on Canadians, including businesses	The proposed regulations would impact vaping product manufacturers, importers and retailers as they would be required to manufacture and sell only those vaping products which comply with the requirements set forth.	The proposed regulations would impact vaping product manufacturers, importers and retailers as they would be required to manufacture and sell only those vaping products which comply with the requirements set forth.	
Consultation	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on April 11, 2019, setting out potential regulatory measures to reduce youth access and appeal of vaping products. The consultation closed on May 25, 2019.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation has been published in the What We Heard: Reducing Youth Access and Appeal of Vaping Products: Consultation Summary.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to begin in fall 2020 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on April 11, 2019, setting out potential regulatory measures to reduce youth access and appeal of vaping products. The consultation closed on May 25, 2019.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation has been published in the What We Heard: Reducing Youth Access and Appeal of Vaping Products: Consultation Summary.</p> <p>Canadians had the opportunity to provide further comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which started on December 19, 2020, and lasted 75 days.</p> <p>The final publication of the regulations in the Canada Gazette, Part II, is expected to take place in summer 2021.</p>	
Date first included	January 2021	February 2021	
Date completed			

Tobacco Products Regulations (Plain and Standardized Appearance)

Forward Plan	2017-2019	2018-2020	2019-2021	Canada Gazette
Date on website	2017-04-01	2018-10-12	2019-04-01	OIC 2019-04-23
Date of update			2019-04-01	Gazetted 2019-05-01
Title	Plain and Standardized Packaging Regulations	Tobacco Products Regulations (Plain and Standardized Appearance)	Tobacco Products Regulations (Plain and Standardized Appearance)	Tobacco Products Regulations (Plain and Standardized Appearance) SOR 2019-0107
Description	In accordance with the purpose of the Tobacco Act, which is to provide a "legislative response to a national public health problem of substantial and pressing concern", these regulations would aim to protect young persons and others from inducements to use tobacco products and the consequent dependence on them.	<p>On May 23, 2018, the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act (TVPA) received Royal Assent.</p> <p>The TVPA enables the Government of Canada to develop regulations regarding plain and standardized appearance measures for tobacco products.</p> <p>This takes the Government of Canada one step closer to delivering on its mandate letter commitment to complete the introduction of plain and standardized requirements for tobacco products.</p>	<p>On May 23, 2018, the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act (TVPA) received Royal Assent.</p> <p>The TVPA enables the Government of Canada to develop regulations regarding plain and standardized appearance measures for tobacco products.</p> <p>This takes the Government of Canada one step closer to delivering on its mandate commitment to complete the introduction of plain and standardized requirements for tobacco products.</p>	TOBACCO PRODUCTS REGULATIONS (PLAIN AND STANDARDIZED APPEARANCE) in order to (1) reduce the appeal of tobacco packages and the products they contain to reduce inducements to tobacco use; and (2) prevent youth and others from tobacco initiation, from developing an addiction to nicotine and from the consequent health hazards of tobacco use.
Potential impacts on Canadians, including businesses	There may be business impacts. The "One-for-One" Rule and/or the Small Business Lens may apply.	There may be business impacts. The "One-for-One" Rule and/or the Small Business Lens may apply.	The proposed regulations will impact Canadians, particularly youth. Reducing inducements to tobacco use, by reducing the appeal of tobacco packages and the products they contain, is expected to help further reduce the appeal and attractiveness of tobacco products. This, in association with other tobacco control measures, will help prevent youth and others from tobacco initiation and becoming lifelong tobacco users. In addition, tobacco manufacturers will be required to make changes to tobacco product packaging and to certain tobacco products in order to comply with new requirements.	
Consultation	<p>Informal consultations were launched on May 31, 2016 and ended on August 31, 2016.</p> <p>A summary of the comments from the consultation was published on January 18, 2017 as part of the National Non-Smoking Week.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide input on the proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is currently anticipated to take place beginning fall 2017.</p>	<p>Informal consultations were launched on May 31, 2016 and ended on August 31, 2016.</p> <p>A summary of the comments from the consultation was published on January 18, 2017 as part of the National Non-Smoking Week.</p> <p>On June 23, 2018, the proposed Tobacco Regulations (Plain and Standardized Appearance) were published in Canada Gazette, Part I for a 75-day public consultation, ending September 6, 2018. All comments submitted will be considered and a "What We Heard" report will be prepared.</p>	<p>Informal consultations were launched on May 31, 2016 and ended on August 31, 2016.</p> <p>A summary of the comments from the consultation was published on January 18, 2017 as part of the National Non-Smoking Week.</p> <p>On June 23, 2018, the proposed Tobacco Regulations (Plain and Standardized Appearance) were published in Canada Gazette, Part I for a 75-day public consultation, ending September 6, 2018.</p> <p>The publication of the regulations in the Canada Gazette, Part II, is expected to take place in spring 2019.</p>	
Date first included			April 1, 2016	
Completed				

Vaping Products Promotion Regulations (Advertising Restrictions)

Forward Plan	2018-2019	2019-2020	Canada Gazette
Date on website	2018-10-19	2019-04-01	OIC 2020-06-25
Date of update		2019-04-01	Gazette June 25, 2020 (part II), December 21 2019 (part I)
Title	Vaping Product Promotion Regulations	Vaping Products Promotion Regulations (Advertising Restrictions)	Vaping Products Promotion Regulations SOR/ 2020-0143
Description	<p>The purpose of the proposed Vaping Products Promotion Regulations is to protect young persons from inducements to use vaping products.</p> <p>The Tobacco and Vaping Products Act currently does not impose any limitations on information and brand preference advertising for vaping products. Hence, such advertising could appear on any media channel, including television, radio, newspapers, websites, billboards, public places such as recreational and sports facilities etc.</p> <p>The proposed regulations would limit youth exposure to information and brand preference advertising of vaping products by restricting advertisement of vaping products in certain places and in certain media channels.</p>	<p>The purpose of the proposed Vaping Products Promotion Regulations is to protect young persons from inducements to use vaping products.</p> <p>The Tobacco and Vaping Products Act currently does not impose any limitations on information and brand preference advertising for vaping products. Hence, such advertising could appear on any media channel, including television, radio, newspapers, websites, billboards, public places such as recreational and sports facilities, etc.</p> <p>The proposed regulations would limit youth exposure to information and brand preference advertising of vaping products by restricting advertisement of vaping products in certain places and in certain media channels. Warning messages on advertisements of vaping products is also being proposed to inform Canadians of the risks of vaping.</p>	<p>VAPING PRODUCTS PROMOTION REGULATIONS in order to (1) protect young persons from inducements to use vaping products by prohibiting advertising that can be seen or heard by them, including the display of vaping products and vaping product-related brand elements at points of sale; and (2) enhance public awareness about the health hazards or health effects of using vaping products by requiring that advertising convey a health warning that would enable adults to make an informed choice re-garding the use of these products.</p>
Potential impacts on Canadians, including businesses	There may be business impacts. The “One-for-One” Rule and/or the Small Business Lens may apply	The proposed regulations would impact Canadians, in particular youth and non-users of tobacco products, as advertising of vaping products would be further restricted. Manufacturers, importers and retailers of vaping products would be impacted by the regulatory proposal as their ability to promote their vaping products would be restricted.	
Consultation	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on August 25, 2017, setting out proposals to regulate vaping products in Canada. The consultation closed on October 27, 2017.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal, during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is expected to take place in spring 2019 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on August 25, 2017, setting out proposals to regulate vaping products in Canada. The consultation closed on October 27, 2017.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal, during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is expected to take place in winter 2020 and last 75 days.</p>	
Date first included		October 1, 2018	
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Vaping Product Promotion Regulations (Comparison of Health Effects)

Forward Plan	2018-2020	2019-2021	2020-2021
Date on website	2018-10-12	2020-04-19	2020-11-19
Date of update		2019-04-01	
Title	Vaping Product Promotion Regulations (Comparison of Health Effects)	Vaping Product Promotion Regulations	Vaping Product Promotion Regulations
Description	<p>The purpose of the proposed Vaping Product Promotion Regulations (Comparison of Health Effects) would be to prevent the public from being deceived or misled with respect to the health hazards of using vaping products.</p> <p>The proposed regulations would set out a selection of authorized statements regarding the health risks of vaping products by comparing the health effects arising from the use of the products or from its emissions.</p>	<p>The purpose of the proposed Vaping Product Promotion Regulations would be to prevent the public from being deceived or misled with respect to the health hazards of using vaping products.</p> <p>The proposed regulations would set out a selection of authorized statements regarding the health risks of vaping products by comparing the health effects arising from the use of the products or from its emissions.</p>	<p>The purpose of the proposed Vaping Product Promotion Regulations would be to prevent the public from being deceived or misled with respect to the health hazards of using vaping products.</p> <p>The proposed regulations would set out a selection of authorized statements regarding the health risks of vaping products by comparing the health effects arising from the use of the products or from its emissions.</p>
Potential impacts on Canadians, including businesses	There are no expected business impacts.	The proposed regulation would impact vaping product manufacturers, importers and retailers as they will be able to use statements that compare the health effects of vaping product use and tobacco use in their vaping promotions.	The proposed regulation would impact vaping product manufacturers, importers and retailers as they will be able to use statements that compare the health effects of vaping product use and tobacco use in their vaping promotions.
Consultation	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on August 25, 2017, setting out proposals to regulate vaping products in Canada. The consultation closed on October 27, 2017.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is expected to take place winter 2019 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on August 25, 2017, setting out proposals to regulate vaping products in Canada. The consultation closed on October 27, 2017.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is expected to take place in winter 2020 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on August 25, 2017, setting out proposals to regulate vaping products in Canada. The consultation closed on October 27, 2017.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I public comment period, which is expected to take place in winter 2020 and last 75 days.</p>
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Date completed			

Regulations Amending the Vaping Products Promotion Regulations (Package and Design Features)

Forward Plan	2020-2022	2021-2023
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Title	Regulations Amending the Vaping Products Promotion Regulations (Package and Design Features)	Regulations Amending the Vaping Products Promotion Regulations (Package and Design Features)
Description	<p>The purpose of the proposed restrictions on vaping products promotion (package and design features) would be to protect young persons and non-users of tobacco products from inducements to use vaping products.</p> <p>The proposed regulations would place certain limits on what promotional elements can appear on vaping product packages. They would also impose restrictions on design features that are appealing to youth to prevent their use in the manufacture of vaping products.</p>	<p>The purpose of the proposed restrictions on vaping products promotion (package and design features) would be to protect young persons and non-users of tobacco products from inducements to use vaping products.</p> <p>The proposed regulations would place certain limits on what promotional elements can appear on vaping product packages. They would also impose restrictions on design features that are appealing to youth to prevent their use in the manufacture of vaping products.</p>
Potential impacts on Canadians, including businesses	The proposed regulations would impact vaping product manufacturers and importers. They would require that manufactures and importers comply with the requirements.	The proposed regulations would impact vaping product manufacturers and importers. They would require that manufactures and importers comply with the requirements.
Consultation	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on April 11, 2019, setting out potential regulatory measures to reduce youth access and appeal of vaping products. The consultation closed on May 25, 2019.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation has been published in the What We Heard: Reducing Youth Access and Appeal of Vaping Products: Consultation Summary.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in winter 2022 and last 75 days.</p>	<p>Health Canada published a consultation document on April 11, 2019, setting out potential regulatory measures to reduce youth access and appeal of vaping products. The consultation closed on May 25, 2019.</p> <p>A summary of the consultation has been published in the What We Heard: Reducing Youth Access and Appeal of Vaping Products: Consultation Summary.</p> <p>Canadians will have the opportunity to provide comments on the regulatory proposal during the Canada Gazette, Part I, public comment period, which is expected to take place in winter 2022 and last 75 days.</p>
Date first included	January 2021	February 2021
Date completed		