

**Smoking (Prohibition on Advertisements) (Amendment) Act 1989
(No. 36 of 1989)**

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The following Act was passed by Parliament on 6th October 1989 and assented to by the President on 7th November 1989:—

**SMOKING (PROHIBITION ON ADVERTISEMENTS) (AMENDMENT) ACT
1989**

(No. 36 of 1989)

I assent.

WEE KIM WEE
President.
7th November 1989.

Date of Commencement: 1st January 1990

An Act to amend the Smoking (Prohibition on Advertisements) Act (Chapter 309 of the 1985 Revised Edition).

Be it enacted by the President with the advice and consent of the Parliament of Singapore, as follows:

Short title and commencement

1. This Act may be cited as the Smoking (Prohibition on Advertisements) (Amendment) Act 1989 and shall come into operation on such date as the Minister may, by notification in the *Gazette*, appoint.

Amendment of section 2

2. Section 2 of the Smoking (Prohibition on Advertisements) Act (referred to in this Act as the principal Act) is amended —

(a) by deleting the word “or” at the end of paragraph (c) of the definition of “advertisement”, and by inserting immediately thereafter the following paragraph:

“(d) by means of any writing on any vehicle, ash-tray, calendar, cigarette-lighter, clock or any other object

or thing; or”;

- (b) by re-lettering the existing paragraph (d) of the definition of “advertisement” as paragraph (e);
- (c) by inserting, immediately after the definition of “advertisement”, the following definition:

“ “advertisement relating to smoking” means any advertisement referred to in section 3(1) which has not been approved under section 3(2);”; and

- (d) by inserting, immediately after the word “includes” in the definition of “writing”, the words “painting, inscription,”.

Repeal and re-enactment of section 3 and new sections 3A, 3B and 3C

3. Section 3 of the principal Act is repealed and the following sections substituted therefor:

“Prohibition on advertisements relating to smoking

3.—(1) Except as provided in subsection (2) or section 7, any person who publishes or causes to be published or takes part in the publication of any advertisement —

- (a) containing any express or implied inducement, suggestion or request to purchase or to smoke cigarettes, cigars or any other form of tobacco;
- (b) relating to smoking in terms of which are calculated, expressly or impliedly, to lead to, or to induce, urge, promote or encourage the use of cigarettes, cigars or any other form of tobacco for the purpose of smoking; or
- (c) which mentions, illustrates or depicts —
 - (i) the name or trade name of any person associated or concerned with the manufacture, distribution or marketing of cigarettes, cigars or any other form of tobacco;
 - (ii) a brand name of or trade mark relating to cigarettes, cigars or any other form of tobacco; or
 - (iii) any pictorial device commonly associated with a brand name of or trade mark relating to cigarettes, cigars or any