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請各位尊貴的議員不要忽略我們基層報販，為一個根本不能達到的目標而犧牲我們的生計。

反對全禁，支持規管加熱煙杜絕黑市，保護報販生計。

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日期： 1-14-2019

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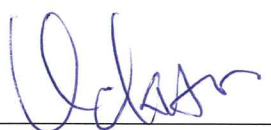
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郭主席及所有議員：

就政府擬全禁加熱煙的立法建議遞交意見書

我是一名報販，得知政府計劃全禁電子煙和加熱煙。本人請求各位議員反對全禁，因為只會令到我們報販少了一樣可賣的產品，將錢送給走私的人。希望各位立法會議員能為民請命，要求政府收回全禁的方案，改用規管的手法，解決問題。謝謝！

陳記報檔 上

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立法會公聽會的民意已經很清楚：

過半反對全禁

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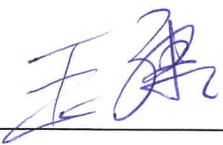
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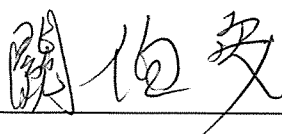
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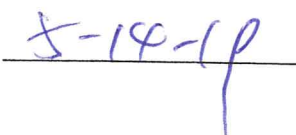
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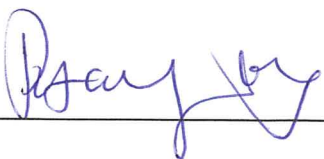
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日期： 14-5-2019

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我認為醫生太過理想主義，忽略了黑市的存在，全禁只會將所有煙民推向黑市，迫人犯法。何必呢？

希望立法會能理性處理問題，謝謝！



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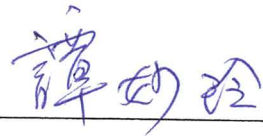
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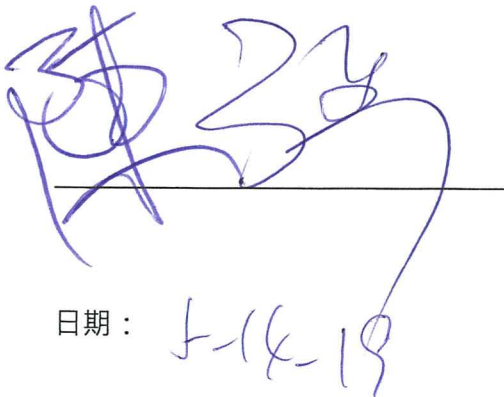
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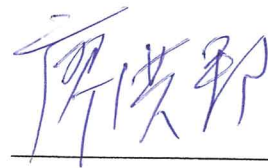
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日期：5-14-19

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各位議員：

公聽會的民意明確，過半人反對政府全禁電子煙的方案。請各位議員體察報販的生計問題，不要為了一時的掌聲而犧牲報販賴以為生的收入來源，改以規管加熱煙的方法解決問題，謝謝！

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郭主席及所有議員：

就政府擬全禁加熱煙的立法建議遞交意見書

我是一名報販，得知政府計劃全禁電子煙和加熱煙。本人請求各位議員反對全禁，因為只會令到我們報販少了一樣可賣的產品，將錢送給走私的人。希望各位立法會議員能為民請命，要求政府收回全禁的方案，改用規管的手法，解決問題。謝謝！



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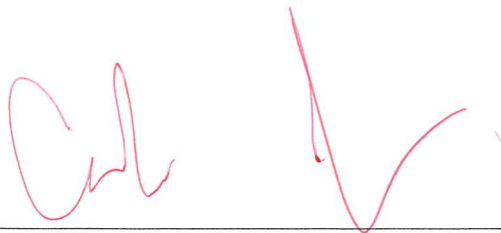
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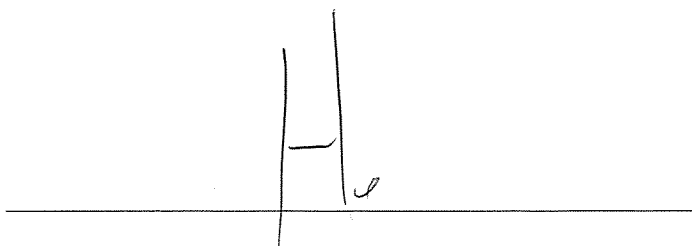
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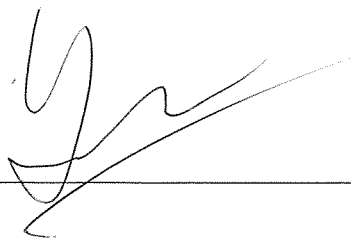
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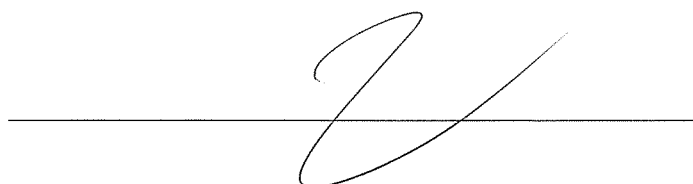
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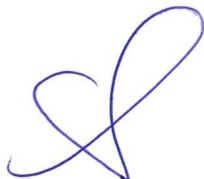
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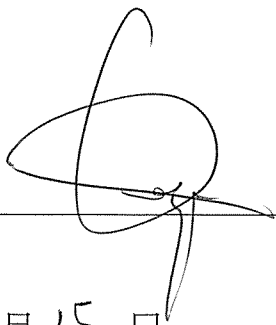
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Dear Secretary Chan, Chairman Kwok and LegCo members above,

I have been following the discussions closely on the public hearing for the proposed bill on banning e-cig and heat not burn products and before that, in the news and media. I would strongly recommend that the government take into account the views of the HK Food and Beverage Industry as we are those who come in contact with HK consumers the most. I hope that as part of a group, the Secretary and Legco Members above can take time to see us and understand the situation further. Please feel free to circulate my letter to within the members of the bills committee.

I would like to express my view towards the recently proposed ban on alternative tobacco products such as e-cigarettes and heat not burn products. I would like to express my views to the government to initiate a public consultation regarding alternative tobacco products because I believe regulate is a better option.

As a user of these alternative tobacco products myself, I realize the benefit of these products, especially to those around me. Many of my family members and employees have already changed to these types of products. When compared to traditional cigarettes, these alternative products have a less lingering smell, and people around me have express this positive aspect of me.

As a member of the Legislative Council in the Bills Committee, please consider my voice and take a neutral position on this proposed ban. I would like to request the government to conduct a public consultation on alternative tobacco products. This allows people like me to express our opinion, and for the government to evaluation the pros and cons of these products. This will allow all Legislative Council members to make an informed decision before banning the product.

Thank you for your kind attention,

Sincerely,



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Dear Secretary Chan and Chairman Kwok,

I have been told by my staffs and friends that Mr. Chairman Kwok would welcome further comments in the LegCo public hearing. Therefore we would submit our views below and request to meet with Secretary Chan respective Kowloon West Geographical Legco Members (Hon. Cheng Chung Tai, Hon. Andrew Wan, Hon. Alice Mak Mei-Kuen, Hon. Junius Ho Kwan-Yiu, Hon. Chu Hoi Dick) to discuss on it. Hope this letter could be circulated with the members of the Bills Committee.

The emergence of alternative tobacco has been noticeable in my industry, with our outdoor bars and seating area. Once smelly, dirty and un-enjoyable for non-smokers, we now see more balance. This leads me to ask, why is there a ban on a product which helps my business provide a cleaner and safer environment? And by safer I am specifically meaning that we are at less risk of having fire incidents and burnt furniture.

At my bar in Kowloon area in Tsim Sha Tsui, a strip of road full of restaurants and bars, many of us have come to realize that our own working conditions can be improved. What makes me concerned is that having consumers who don't want to smoke normal cigarettes will be now forced to adopt their old habits and make my working area full of ash and smells affecting others.

This seems a bit strange. As a governing body, I would have expected more public consideration from the government. It feels like they have thought that one simple decision could eliminate a discussion or a whole community. I don't support smoking, but those that choose to do so, should also have the right to choose the better way to use tobacco.

Unfortunately the Government did not seek any public opinion. I am simply requesting that we should regulate to avoid youth consumption, avoid travelers who come and force them to adopt cigarettes and ensure that Hong Kong smokers also have a choice. Why are we not hosting a public consultation for these consumers and businesses to share their thoughts? Should Hong Kong allow for a balanced discussion and come to terms for what would be best? I hope you can understand my views.

I understand as a LegCo member you have ability to support my views. I hope you can provide your

honest consideration on the topic. Your voice is crucial for the government to see us small businesses are also affected by their decisions, and that they should listen to us. As such, the Hong Kong Government should regulate not ban alternative tobacco products.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'J. Lee', is written over a purple circular stamp. The stamp contains the text 'A PLUS' in a circular arrangement around a central point.

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7 May 2019

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Dear Secretary Chan, Chairman Kwok, Hon. Cheng Chung Tai, Hon. Andrew Wan, Hon. Alice Mak Mei-Kuen, Hon. Junius Ho Kwan-Yiu, Hon. Chu Hoi Dick,

Chairman Kwok mentioned in the recent LegCo public hearing that additional comments are welcomed.

I would like to take this opportunity and respond to this invitation. I, along with the food and beverage industry, would like to meet with the Secretary, Hon. Cheng Chung Tai, Hon. Andrew Wan, Hon. Alice Mak Mei-Kuen, Hon. Junius Ho Kwan-Yiu, Hon. Chu Hoi Dick to voice our views on this matter. I also would like to request the Chairman to circulate this letter with the Members of the Bills Committee.

I am writing to request the Bills Committee to reconsider the recent proposal from the Government to pose a ban on e-cigarettes and alternative tobacco products. As a bar owner myself, I recognize the benefit of these products to both smokers and even non-smokers as they help making my premise a cleaner and safer place with less smell and even less risk of having fire accidents.

I have many concerns about the full ban which the government is proposing now rather than to regulate e-cigarettes and Heated Tobacco Products. If these products are properly regulated like how cigarettes are being regulated now, they would not be reachable by youth. There are also not much official documents letting us know how well or bad are these products compared to cigarettes. I hope the

government can let us know if there are authorities releasing research results from other countries that we can learn from.

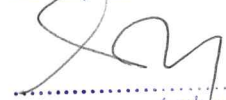
Apart from that, I would like to request a consultation to share our views from all aspects of life and ask for the Government to provide feedback on our views directly.

As you are the LegCo member who has joined the Bills Committee for this Smoking Bill, we request that you would lend your hand in support for a balanced approach to protect the public health and the consumers' freedom of choice.

Based on the above, I urge the Government to regulate, not ban these alternative products in HK.

Sincerely,

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Authorized Signature(s)

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Dear Secretary Chan and Chairman Kwok,

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I would like to submit my view with the open invitation from Chairman Kwok in the LegCo public hearing. Other than this submission, I am also asking to meet with the Secretary respective Kowloon West Geographical Legco Members (Hon. Cheng Chung Tai, Hon. Andrew Wan, Hon. Alice Mak Mei-Kuen, Hon. Junius Ho Kwan-Yiu, Hon. Chu Hoi Dick) so to discuss the subject with stakeholders like us. We respectfully hope Chairman Kwok will allow this letter to be circulate within the Members of the Bills Committee.

There has been heated discussion regarding the proposed ban for new tobacco products such as e-cigarettes and heat not burn products. This letter is to express my opinions towards this issue.

As a bar owner in Prince Edward district, I have noticed a growing trend of my customers and employees using new tobacco product during the past years, and not cigarettes anymore. I can see the potential positive impact of these products which can improve the lives of smokers and even non-smokers nearby. These alternative tobacco products apparently have less lingering smell that will not upset people around us.

I am a supporter of regulating these new tobacco products instead of a ban, and my concern about the current proposal is that the government did not disclose data comparing cigarette and these new tobacco products. There has not been a proper consultation to gather the public opinion neither. If something has to be regulated or banned, the public needs a holistic view with both positive and negative aspects to choose their stance.

I hope that as being one of the LegCo members representing the functional /geographic Constituency, you will help to support a neutral approach considering the wellbeing of the Hong Kong people and respect the consumers' freedom of choice.

I urge that Government should regulate these products in Hong Kong, not ban them. This is a solution that will address Youth Smoking concerns while providing a better alternative for Adult smokers in Hong Kong.

Most grateful for your kind attention.

Sincerely,

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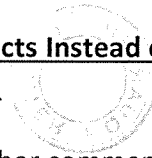
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Dear Secretary Chan and Chairman Kwok,

Re: Bills Committee: Regulate Alternative Tobacco Products Instead of Ban
Urging for a Proper Public Consultation



Chairman Kwok has mentioned in the LegCo public hearing, that further comments on the subject are welcome. I hereby respectfully submit my view on this matter in response to this open invitation. In addition to my sharing of views, we would like to ask to meet with the Secretary respective Kowloon West Geographical Legco Members (Hon. Cheng Chung Tai, Hon. Andrew Wan, Hon. Alice Mak Mei-Kuen, Hon. Junius Ho Kwan-Yiu, Hon. Chu Hoi Dick) to discuss our views on the subject matter. We also ask the Chairman to allow this letter to be circulated with Members of the Bills Committee.

I am writing to request the Bills Committee to reconsider the proposed ban on e-cigarettes and alternative tobacco products. I believe that regulation is more balanced approach for the Hong Kong Government and for the Hong Kong Citizens.

I own a few bars in the Central areas, from time to time we encounter customers that smoke. We do see some of our customers have already switched to these alternative tobacco products but not cigarette as before. Being a non-smoker myself and so do some of my employees, this has greatly improved our working environment and even making it more inviting and enjoyable to the non-smoker customers.

I have many concerns about the proposal especially seeing it not consulted by the public, I also did not see the government releasing official documents regarding the comparison between these alternative tobacco product and cigarettes. Like what the Chairman of the Bills Committee

has stated during their meeting, a lot of smokers have already switched to these alternative tobacco products since the government has delayed the proposal. Should the government revisit the current situation of the society before even making up their mind?

It is clear the public has doubt if the Food & Health Bureau have considered views from the public or any interested parties. Besides, Hong Kong has a proven success on regulating of cigarette, which only adults can legally buy cigarettes. We kindly ask for a consultation and not just a public hearing to share our views and ask for the Government to provide feedback on our views directly.

As you are the LegCo member who has joined the Bills Committee, I hope to see Hong Kong evolve to give a better environment for its people to live and grow with your help. I also hope that you can speak to the government to conduct a proper consultation so everyone can get a more holistic picture of the issue. This can be achieved by regulating these tobacco products and not by the ban.

Thank you and best regards,



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7 May 2019

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Dear Chairman Kwok, Hon. LegCo Members and Secretary Chan,
(please circulate this letter to other Bills Committee members),

I watched the recent Public Hearings and I noted that Chairman Kwok welcomes further submissions and comments on the proposed ban on heat not burn products and alternative tobacco products. As such, I would like to also submit my comments on this matter and ask to meet with the Secretary and respective Kowloon West Geographical Legco Members (Hon. Cheng Chung Tai, Hon. Andrew Wan, Hon. Alice Mak Mei-Kuen, Hon. Junius Ho Kwan-Yiu, Hon. Chu Hoi Dick) for a more throughout discussion.

I am writing to request the Hong Kong Government to reconsider the proposed ban on heat not burn products and alternative tobacco products. I believe that regulation is more balanced approach for the Hong Kong Government and for the Hong Kong Citizens. As an employee from a Beer company in Hong Kong, I would like to express my opinions toward this issue.

In the community I belong to, there is a heated discussion about this proposed ban. As a smoker, I experience the benefits of the heat not burn products that I am using, and of course the customers who smoke. But more importantly, non-smoker customers who visit places also express appreciation for this conversion because there is less odor and no second-hand smoke.

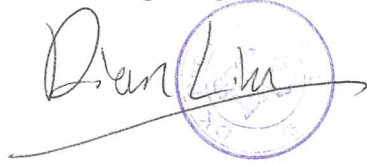
I am a supporter of these heat not burn products should be regulated rather than a ban, and my concern with the current proposal is that the government has not disclosed data on comparative cigarettes and these new tobacco products. There is no proper negotiation to collect public opinion. If certain things must be regulated or prohibited, the public needs to consider both positive and negative aspects in order to choose their own position.

It is clear the public has doubt if the Food & Health Bureau have considered views from the public or any interested parties. Besides, Hong Kong has a proven success on regulating of cigarette, which

only adults can legally buy cigarettes. We kindly ask for a consultation and not just a public hearing to share our views and ask for the Government to provide feedback on our views directly.

I strongly ask the Hong Kong Government to regulate, not ban heat not burn products in Hong Kong.

Sincerely,

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Dear Secretary Chan and Chairman Kwok,

During the LegCo public hearing regarding the proposed bill, Chairman Kwok welcomed additional comments on the subject matter. I would like to request a meeting with the Secretary respective Kowloon West Geographical Legco Members (Hon. Cheng Chung Tai, Hon. Andrew Wan, Hon. Alice Mak Mei-Kuen, Hon. Junius Ho Kwan-Yiu, Hon. Chu Hoi Dick) to discuss my opinion on the subject. I also hope that this opportunity can be open to the food and beverage industry. I also respectfully request for this letter to be circulated with other Members of the Bills Committee.

I am writing this letter to express my views regarding the recent government proposal to pose ban on alternative tobacco products and e-cigarettes. I am a believer that regulation is a better approach than banning, taking consideration of the public health and consumers' choice of freedom.

There is a heated discussion about this proposed ban in the community where I belong. Being a smoker myself, I can see and experience the benefits of the heat not burn product I am using, and of course from my customers who smoke. But more importantly, customers that visit my places who do not smoke, also express their appreciation of such switching, as there are less smell and pose less unpleasant effect to them.

However, as far as we know, the government did not conduct a proper public consultation before proposing a Bill to ban these products. I believe it is a simple logic that the public should have the rights to receive information about the product being discussed, by evaluating the products' pros and

cons to public health. Are there any researches worldwide regarding this topic the government can share?

To add on, please regulate these e-cigarette and alternative tobacco products, as regulating will provide a choice for current smokers to choose a better alternative than smoking cigarettes. It also ensures the youth will not have access to tobacco products through illegal ways.

Since you are a LegCo member in the Bills Committee, please speak up to the government to conduct a public consultation for the public to express their opinions. I hope you will support a balanced approach to this issue.

Sincerely,

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9/5/2019.

Timber.

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Dear Secretary Chan, Chairman Kwok and LegCo members above,

I have heard that the Chairman welcomes more comments in the LegCo public hearing, so I would like to submit my opinions on this issue. There are other people from the F&B industry have the same concern too, we would like to gather together and meet the Secretary to discuss out views. We hope the chairman would circulate this letter among the members of the Bill Committee as well.

I would like to ask if the Bills Committee can reconsider the proposed ban on e-cigarettes and alternative tobacco products. I believe that regulation is more effective and gives a balanced approach for HK Government and for HK Citizens.

I work at a bar in Kowloon area in Tsim Sha Tsui. Week on week there are different consumers visiting the area and also choose to smoke. However some of my consumers currently have already switched to use these alternative tobacco products. This has benefitted my working environment and also my staff which some are non-smokers

I'm not happy that The Government has not consulted us on the topic and then proposed a bill to ban all e-cigarettes and heated tobacco product. I was wondering if the Food & Health Bureau have considered views from the public or interested parties. I'm quite confused on the topic also because if it were regulated, these products would not be reachable by youth. I would kindly ask again for a consultation

We kindly ask for a consultation and not just a public hearing to share our views and ask for the Government to provide feedback on our views directly.

As a business owner in the hospitality industry, I am on the forefront of both the tourism sector and also hope to see Hong Kong evolve to give a better environment for its people to live and grow. As you have a position to represent the people I hope you can take the best action and support a balance approach for all parties in Hong Kong.

As such, we ask for regulation, not ban for alternative tobacco products for this balanced approach.

Thank you and best regards,

Amber
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Dear Chairman Kwok, Hon. LegCo Members and Secretary Chan,
(please circulate this letter to other Bills Committee members),

As Chairman Kwok mentioned that he is welcome further comments on the subject. I would like to submit my view on the subject and would like to request to meet up with the Secretary and respective Kowloon West Geographical Legco Members (Hon. Cheng Chung Tai, Hon. Andrew Wan, Hon. Alice Mak Mei-Kuen, Hon. Junius Ho Kwan-Yiu, Hon. Chu Hoi Dick) for further discussion. Also, I would like this letter to be circulated with Members of the Bills Committee.

I am writing this letter to express my opinion and disappointment on the recent Government bill proposal to ban alternative tobacco products instead of an appropriate regulation. I would like to ask the Government to gather feedback from the general public before making a conclusion that make negatively affect the public health of Hong Kong and the freedom of choice of the people.

I have been working in a bar for years now and I have almost been a smoker for some years. I have recently noticed that my customers and people who working with me have start to use of these "new tobacco products" instead of cigarettes in the past few years. I have also started to try out these products and the effects I am experiencing now is quite surprising. There are much less smell and smoke that will affect others, so will hardly disturb people around us, which I would say is a good news to my non-smokers customers since they enjoy a pleasant environment for a drink without worrying the second hand smoke.

I would like the Government to clarify some doubts I have in mind, if these new tobacco products are properly regulated by law, like how cigarettes are being regulated now, they

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would not be reachable by youth, and the Government should also be able to arrest people who trade illegally. I also wish the Government would release official documents comparing these products and traditional cigarettes so smokers can choose their best-suit product with their own risks. Furthermore, on 30th Apr 2019, the US FDA announced that the IQOS is authorized for sale in the USA, and it is confirmed that IQOS is appropriate for the protection of public health. There is no way for LegCo to ignore this fact, please take a look at the public announcement by FDA in <https://www.fda.gov/news-events/press-announcements/fda-permits-sale-iqos-tobacco-heating-system-through-premarket-tobacco-product-application-pathway>

I believe a public consultation regarding alternative tobacco products can let the Government to hear the voice from its people. Since you are the LegCo member who joined the Bills Committee, please request the government to open the gate for the people to voice their opinions. As such, the Hong Kong Government should regulate these alternative tobacco products, not banning them.

Best regards,

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Dear Secretary Chan, Chairman Kwok and LegCo members above,

I have noticed that in the public hearing of the Legislative Council, Chairman Kwok has already mentioned further comments on this issue. In response to this open invitation, I would like to raise my views on this matter and hope to meet with the Secretary and LegCo members above to discuss our views on the matter. We also respectfully requested the Chairman to allow this letter to be distributed to members of the Bills Committee. I hope to meet with you together with other participants from the Food & Beverage industry.

Also, I am writing to express my view towards the proposed ban on e-cigarettes and alternative tobacco products. I hope you will reconsider this bill proposal and take a better approach to take care and protect Hong Kong public health.

As a bar owner, I believe these products can benefit my customers and also non-smokers surrounding with lower risk, and bring less smell to the premises.

We were never given a chance to express our opinions to the government, and I believe Legco should consider views from all aspects. We should be informed the pros and cons of banning compared to regulating these new tobacco products. Many cigarette users have already been using these products due to the delayed government proposal, the government should therefore re-evaluate the current situation and make decisions after considering the opinion of smokers and non-smokers for a balanced decision.

I urge for the Government to regulate as this is a better option compare to banning. As regulating is already proven effective in Hong Kong ensuring minors do not have access to these products while banning will promote illegal sales and minors will have access to them via unsafe and channels.

I really hope that a consultation will be carried out by the government soon, so to provide concrete results for Legco members to make sound decisions for the Hong Kong people.

Thank you for your attention,

Sincerely,



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Dear Secretary Chan and Chairman Kwok,

It has come to my attention that in the LegCo public hearing, Chairman Kwok has mentioned that further comments on the subject are welcome. In response to this open invitation, we hereby respectfully submit my view on this matter.

We also respectfully ask the Chairman to allow this letter to be circulated with Members of the Bills Committee.

As the Director of Goldpoly Company Ltd, a "Logistics Service Provider" company operating in tobacco industry in Hong Kong and other five Asia countries for more than 30 years, I would like to request the Bills Committee to have a proper public consultation for the regulation of alternative tobacco product instead of strictly banning it without a full consideration of opinions from all stakeholders.

We understand the proposed law not only forbids the any HK citizen from choosing a better alternatives of cigarettes products that produces less smell and harm inside Hong Kong territory. It may also disallow the importation of the alternative tobacco products and this will impose unnecessary constraints on our business environment and have a big negative impact on our business.

In addition, the ban contradicts the intention of the Hong Kong government to develop Hong Kong as the major logistics hub in Asia and Hong Kong will lose more of its competitiveness as a Regional Hub to our nearby countries.



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More importantly in our logistics and warehouse business in Hong Kong, many of our employees are smokers. In the past couple years, some of our employees have already switched to heated tobacco products which is potentially less harmful. If the heated tobacco products are banned in Hong Kong, then our "smoker" employees will have to go back to a more harmful traditional cigarettes.

We and other interested parties want to voice all these concerns to the Government. Therefore, we kindly ask that the Hong Kong Government to do a proper Public Consultation of the alternative tobacco products instead of passing the law in a hurry and rushed manner. In our opinion, we would like the Hong Kong Government to regulate (not ban) the heat not burn tobacco product.

Your kind attention will be highly appreciated.

Sincerely,

For and on behalf of
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Authorized Signature(s)

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Dear Secretary Chan and Chairman Kwok,

It has come to my attention that in the LegCo public hearing, Chairman Kwok has mentioned that further comments on the subject are welcome. In response to this open invitation, I hereby respectfully submit my view on this matter and would like to ask to meet with the Secretary to discuss our views on the subject matter.

I also respectfully ask the Chairman to allow this letter to be circulated with Members of the Bills Committee.

As a professional in Hong Kong I believe we should have our regulatory framework based on principle and correct information in Hong Kong. I understand alternative heated tobacco can potentially reduce harmful chemicals than cigarette smoke, and this is supported by various studies in the US and UK conducted by independent parties.

The proposed ban in Hong Kong thereby in my view restrict the freedom of choice for 600,000 existing smokers to switch to an alternative tobacco products and I cannot understand the logic of such regulation.

From what I have learnt through different sources from around the world, I understand that these alternative tobacco products potentially reduce up to 95% harmful chemicals than traditional cigarettes.

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) recently took an important action to improve the US nation's health by approving the heat-not-burn product – IQOS to be available for sale

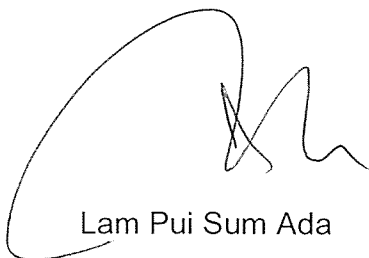
in United States. (<https://www.washingtonexaminer.com/opinion/fdas-best-health-move-this-year-approving-a-new-tobacco-product>)

Public Health England ("PHE") has recently released a new film showing the devastating harms that come from smoking, and how this can be avoided by switching to e-cigarette, heated tobacco or another type of quit aid. Around 2.5 million adults are using e-cigarettes in UK, and they have helped thousands of people successfully quit (<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/phe-health-harms-campaign-encourages-smokers-to-quit>).

As a non-smoker, I fully agree that traditional cigarette is harmful. Alternative tobacco products would be another options for those who would like to continue to smoke and/or cannot quit due to their own personal reason. Total ban to these alternative products, not only leave smokers in Hong Kong no choice but to continue on traditional cigarettes, which is known to be more harmful. In addition, this would encourage illicit trade and the black market – but not helping in protecting those under-aged, which is the point HK government is focusing on.

I urge the Hong Kong Government to regulate, but not ban these alternative heated tobacco products in Hong Kong as I can only see benefit to the general public with these new alternative products.

Thank you for taking the time to read my letter and really hope you can help to pass this message to the Government and resulting the right action.

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Dear Secretary Chan , Chairman Kwok and LegCo members above

Three days of public hearing gave me more confidence that Secretary Chan needs to take a deeper understanding of the situation on this topic. More and more people are voicing their opinions on the topic and I would be happy to join representatives of my Food and Beverage Industry to urge you to regulate and not ban Heat not Burn products and speak to the Secretary. As I understand there is a bills committee, I would also like to give my approval to be circulated to them.

The emergence of alternative tobacco has been noticeable in my industry, with our outdoor bars and seating area. Once smelly, dirty and un-enjoyable for non-smokers, we now see more balance. This leads me to ask, why is there a ban on a product which helps my business provide a cleaner and safer environment? And by safer i am specifically meaning that we are at less risk of having fire incidents and burnt furniture.

I work at a bar in tst. Week on week there are different consumers visiting the area and also choose to smoke. However some of my consumers currently have already switched to use these alternative tobacco products. This has benefitted my working environment and also my staff which some are non-smokers

This seems a bit strange. As a governing body, i would have expected more public consideration from the government. It feels like they have thought that one simple decision could eliminate a discussion or a whole community. I don't support smoking, but those that choose to do so, should also have the right to choose the better way to use tobacco.

We kindly ask for a consultation and not just a public hearing to share our views and ask for the government to provide feedback on our views directly.

As a business owner in the hospitality industry, i am on the forefront of both the tourism sector and also hope to see hong kong evolve to give a better environment for

its people to live and grow. As you have a position to represent the people i hope you can take the best action and support a balance approach for all parties in hong kong.

Since you are a legco member in the bills committee, please speak up to the government to conduct a public consultation for the public to express their opinions. I hope you will support a balanced approach to this issue.

Yours faithfully,

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9-5-2019



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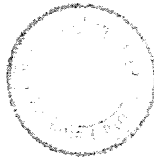
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Dear Hon. Cheung Kwok-Kwan, Hon. Au Nok Hin, Chairman Kwok, Secretary Chan,

In the recent LegCo public hearing, Chairman Kwok stated that the public can further share comments regarding this subject matter. I would like to accept this invitation and further voice my opinion on the subject. Meanwhile, I would like to ask to meet with the Secretary with the respective Legco Members (Hon. Cheung Kwok-Kwan, Hon. Au Nok Hin) and Secretary for Food and Health to discuss our views from the food and beverage industry. Please circulate this letter amongst the Members of the Bills Committee.

Recently, the proposed ban alternative tobacco products and heat not burn products from the Hong Kong Government has caught my attention. I am writing this letter to express my opinion and disappointment on the matter. As a bar manager in Central district, I would like to ask the government listen to the needs of the citizen and find a balanced solution to handle this matter. This proposed ban affects public health of Hong Kong and does not make sense.

Many of my customers and employees are smoking cigarettes and alternative tobacco products, and I can see the benefits to those who choose alternative tobacco products. A full ban on these products will take the choice away from them, forcing them to continue using cigarettes. I believe banning the product will also allow illegal tobacco sellers to profit from this ban, making it accessible to minors through illegal channels.

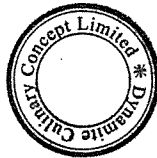
In addition, the government has not conduct a public consultation to gather the opinions from the people of Hong Kong. Without hearing the people of Hong Kong, the best decision cannot be made for my customers and the people of Hong Kong.

Also, there are those who have already fully changed to these new alternatives. Many of my customers, staff and even some family and friends are using these products. If they continue smoking, having to go back to cigarettes is counter-intuitive in a modern society. I believe smokers should have a choice to choose the proper product that is best for them.

As such, the Hong Kong Government should regulate these alternative heat not burn products, not banning them.

Please voice out to the government to conduct a public consultation regarding alternative tobacco products. Since you are the LegCo member who joined the Bills Committee, please request the government to open the gateway for the people to voice their opinions.

Sincerely,



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Dear Secretary Chan, Chairman Kwok and LegCo members above,

I would like to share my opinion in response to the open invitation welcoming further comments on the issue from Chairman Kwok in the LegCo public hearing. I would also like to ask to meet with the Secretary and Legco Members above to discuss on the subject matter face to face. We hope that the Chairman will allow this letter to be circulate within the Members of the Bills Committee.

As a bar owner located in Tsim Sha Tsui, I am writing this letter to express my view towards the proposed ban on e-cigarettes and alternative tobacco products. I hope you will reconsider this proposed ban and take a better approach to the people of Hong Kong.

There are many bars located Tsim Sha Tsui. I believe these new products can benefit my customers and those around them by providing a lower risk option. If more people change to these new products, there will be less smell which affects the non-smokers around the premises.

We were never given a chance to express our opinions to the government, and I believe Legco should listen to the opinion from all angles. At the same time, we should be informed regarding the positive and negative aspects of banning vs. regulating these new tobacco products. The government should make decisions after considering the opinion of smokers and non-smokers and achieve a balanced decision.

My opinion to the topic is that regulating is a better option compare to banning. Regulating is the best approach to ensure minors do not have access to these products. Meanwhile, banning the



product will promote illegal sales of these products and minors will have access to them via unsafe channels.

I really hope that a consultation will be carried out by the government, from a neutral angle. This will provide concrete results for Legco members to make sound decisions for the people of Hong Kong.

I urge the Hong Kong Government to regulate alternative tobacco products (not ban) as this is a solution that will address Government's concerns while provide Adult Smokers a better smoking alternative.

Thank you for your attention,

Sincerely,



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8/5/2019

May 7, 2019

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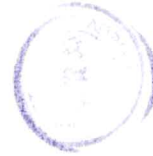
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Dear Secretary Chan, Chairman Kwok, Hon. Cheng Chung Tai, Hon. Andrew Wan, Hon. Alice Mak Mei-Kuen, Hon. Junius Ho Kwan-Yiu, Hon. Chu Hoi Dick,

Chairman Kwok mentioned in the recent LegCo public hearing that additional comments are welcomed.

I would like to take this opportunity and respond to this invitation. I, along with the food and beverage industry, would like to meet with the Secretary, Hon. Cheng Chung Tai, Hon. Andrew Wan, Hon. Alice Mak Mei-Kuen, Hon. Junius Ho Kwan-Yiu, Hon. Chu Hoi Dick to voice our views on this matter. I also would like to request the Chairman to circulate this letter with the Members of the Bills Committee.

I am writing to request the Bills Committee to reconsider the recent proposal from the Government to pose a ban on e-cigarettes and alternative tobacco products. As a bar owner myself, I recognize the benefit of these products to both smokers and even non-smokers as they help making my premise a cleaner and safer place with less smell and even less risk of having fire accidents.

I have many concerns about the full ban which the government is proposing now rather than to regulate e-cigarettes and Heated Tobacco Products. If these products are properly regulated like how cigarettes are being regulated now, they would not be reachable by youth. There are also not much official documents letting us know how well or bad are these products compared to cigarettes. I hope the

government can let us know if there are authorities releasing research results from other countries that we can learn from.

Apart from that, I would like to request a consultation to share our views from all aspects of life and ask for the Government to provide feedback on our views directly.

As you are the LegCo member who has joined the Bills Committee for this Smoking Bill, we request that you would lend your hand in support for a balanced approach to protect the public health and the consumers' freedom of choice.

Based on the above, I urge the Government to regulate, not ban these alternative products in HK.

Sincerely,



Gula Gula 7 May 2019



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Dear Secretary Chan, Chairman Kwok and LegCo members above,

During the recent public hearing in LegCo, Chairman Kwok mentioned that additional comments regarding the proposed bill is accepted. I would like to submit my view on the subject, and hope that the Secretary and LegCo members above would meet the food and beverage industry to discuss this topic in detail. I also respectfully ask to have this letter circulated within the Members of the Bills Committee.

As a bar owner in Tsim Sha Tsui district, and I would like to express my view towards the recently proposed ban on alternative tobacco products such as e-cigarettes and heat not burn products. I encourage the government to initiate a public consultation on this topic before enforcing a ban on these products.

I encounter many smokers who have already switched to these alternative tobacco products during my daily operations, and hear a lot of their comments and concerns to the proposed ban. As a user of these alternative tobacco products myself, I realize the benefit of these products in my life and those around me. There is noticeable less smell which does not affect those around me, even after I smoke. On top of that, we should be given a choice to choose a product which is better than traditional cigarettes.

Since you are a Legislative Council in the Bills Committee, I would like to request you to take a balanced stance on the subject. A public consultation allows both smokers and non-smokers to express their opinion on the subject. Meanwhile, the government can also understand these alternative tobacco products better before making a decision on this bill.

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Dear Secretary Chan, Chairman Kwok and LegCo members above,

Recently, I have realized that the Chairman Kwok would like to hear more noise and opinions from the public regarding this issue. I am more than happy to hear that, I would also like to accept this invitation and comment on this matter to Secretary Chan and Legco Members above. It would be great if we can meet up face to face and discuss this issue, it would be even better if I could discuss this topic with my food and beverage industry. Nonetheless, I hope that the Charmain will distribute this letter to all other members of the Bills Committee.

Recently, there has been a lot of news regarding the proposed ban for new tobacco products such as e-cigarettes and heat not burn products. This letter is to express my views towards this issue.

I am a bar owner in Tsim Sha Tsui district, and a large percentage of my patrons and smokers are currently using new tobacco products. During the past years, I have noticed more and more customers are using these new tobacco products, and not cigarettes anymore. From my exposure of these new tobacco products, I can see the potential benefits of these products to improve the lives of smokers and those around them.

At this point, it seems like the government has not disclosed the strengths and weaknesses of these new tobacco products. There has not been a consultation to gather the opinions of the people in Hong Kong. The government should also address the positive and negative aspects if these new tobacco products are regulated or banned.

Since I am a bar owner, there are smokers around me during work. Since heat not burn products do not have a strong smell, there is no lingering tobacco smell on my body when I return home. My family and those around me benefitted by having this new tobacco product.

Since you are the LegCo member, I hope that you will help support a neutral and balanced approach to the wellbeing of the consumers' freedom of choice.

I also request that you to request the government to conduct a public consultation where the public and consumers can share their concerns and viewpoints towards this issue.

Based on the above, we strongly ask the Government to regulate, not ban these alternative tobacco products in Hong Kong.

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,



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Dear Secretary Chan, Chairman Kwok and LegCo members above,

I have been following the discussions closely on the public hearing for the proposed bill on banning e-cig and heat not burn products and before that, in the news and media. I would strongly recommend that the government take into account the views of the HK Food and Beverage Industry as we are those who come in contact with HK consumers the most. I hope that as part of a group, the Secretary and Legco Members above can take time to see us and understand the situation further. Please feel free to circulate my letter to within the members of the bills committee.

I would like to express my view towards the recently proposed ban on alternative tobacco products such as e-cigarettes and heat not burn products. I would like to express my views to the government to initiate a public consultation regarding alternative tobacco products because I believe regulate is a better option.

As a user of these alternative tobacco products myself, I realize the benefit of these products, especially to those around me. Many of my family members and employees have already changed to these types of products. When compared to traditional cigarettes, these alternative products have a less lingering smell, and people around me have express this positive aspect of me.

As a member of the Legislative Council in the Bills Committee, please consider my voice and take a neutral position on this proposed ban. I would like to request the government to conduct a public consultation on alternative tobacco products. This allows people like me to express our opinion, and for the government to evaluation the pros and cons of these products. This will allow all Legislative Council members to make an informed decision before banning the product.

Thank you for your kind attention,
Sincerely,



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9th May 2019



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Dear Secretary Chan and Chairman Kwok,

I have been told by my staffs and friends that Mr. Chairman Kwok would welcome further comments in the LegCo public hearing. Therefore we would submit our views below and request to meet with Secretary Chan respective Kowloon West Geographical Legco Members (Hon. Cheng Chung Tai, Hon. Andrew Wan, Hon. Alice Mak Mei-Kuen, Hon. Junius Ho Kwan-Yiu, Hon. Chu Hoi Dick) to discuss on it. Hope this letter could be circulated with the members of the Bills Committee.

The emergence of alternative tobacco has been noticeable in my industry, with our outdoor bars and seating area. Once smelly, dirty and un-enjoyable for non-smokers, we now see more balance. This leads me to ask, why is there a ban on a product which helps my business provide a cleaner and safer environment? And by safer I am specifically meaning that we are at less risk of having fire incidents and burnt furniture.

At my bar in Kowloon area in Tsim Sha Tsui, a strip of road full of restaurants and bars, many of us have come to realize that our own working conditions can be improved. What makes me concerned is that having consumers who don't want to smoke normal cigarettes will be now forced to adopt their old habits and make my working area full of ash and smells affecting others.

This seems a bit strange. As a governing body, I would have expected more public consideration from the government. It feels like they have thought that one simple decision could eliminate a discussion or a whole community. I don't support smoking, but those that choose to do so, should also have the right to choose the better way to use tobacco.

Unfortunately the Government did not seek any public opinion. I am simply requesting that we should regulate to avoid youth consumption, avoid travelers who come and force them to adopt cigarettes and ensure that Hong Kong smokers also have a choice. Why are we not hosting a public consultation for these consumers and businesses to share their thoughts? Should Hong Kong allow for a balanced discussion and come to terms for what would be best? I hope you can understand my views.

I understand as a LegCo member you have ability to support my views. I hope you can provide your

honest consideration on the topic. Your voice is crucial for the government to see us small businesses are also affected by their decisions, and that they should listen to us. As such, the Hong Kong Government should regulate not ban alternative tobacco products.

Best regards,

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8-5-2019.

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Dear Secretary Chan and Chairman Kwok,

It has come across to me that Chairman has invited the public to express further comments regarding to the Bill. In regards to this matter, I would like to submit my views and meet with Secretary Chan respective Kowloon West Geographical Legco Members (Hon. Cheng Chung Tai, Hon. Andrew Wan, Hon. Alice Mak Mei-Kuen, Hon. Junius Ho Kwan-Yiu, Hon. Chu Hoi Dick) together with my other partners in the industry. We also sincerely request the Chairman to circulate this letter to the Bills Committee.

I am writing this letter to express my views regarding the recent government proposal to pose ban on alternative tobacco products and e-cigarettes. I believe regulation is a better approach than a complete ban, with respect of the public health and consumers' choice of freedom in the Hong Kong society.

As a bar owner in the Kowloon District, my customers have been bringing up this "new tobacco product" to our discussion whenever they come to my premise. More surprisingly, some non-smoker consumer often ask me about these products because they obviously saw more and more people are using it, yet there are not much smoke and smell that affect their experience. Quitting is definitely the best solution for a better health, however if someone just cannot quit, why the Government cannot allow a choice that is better for the smokers themselves, but less affecting people around them too?

I hope the Government can let us know if there's any researches conducted by authorities so smokers can make their own choices with risk. Some customers within my community also raised the concern that the Government did not conduct a proper public consultation before proposing a Bill to ban these products. If we need to a decision that aim at improving the health of the general public, it would be the best if we can gather feedback from the people as we are the stakeholders that involve.

Michael Ho
8th MAY 2019



The Old Monk

Please reconsider to regulate the new tobacco products, as regulating will provide a choice for current smokers to choose a better alternative than smoking cigarettes. Effective regulation (like what Hong Kong has been working on cigarettes so far) can also ensure the youth will not have access to tobacco products through illegal channels.

Since you are a LegCo member in the Bills Committee representing xxx functional / geographic constituency, please speak up to the government to conduct a public consultation for the public to express their opinions. I hope you will support a balanced approach to this issue.

Thank you for your kind attention.

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尊敬的陳肇始局長及郭偉強主席。

本人觀看立法會就《2019年吸煙(公眾衛生)(修訂)條例草案》
舉行公聽會時,得知郭主席呼籲仍然需要發表意見的市民可向
委員會提交意見書。有鑒於此,本人謹此向委員會提交意見書。
並請求與陳局長會面,就此議題發表意見。本人亦謹此請郭
主席容許委員會委員傳閱此信。

本人是佐敦區永發士多負責人鄧生,在佐敦區經營廿多年。

就政府將要修訂條例要求全禁加熱煙,我個人認為此做法不太可行。
其實政府應先進行公眾諮詢,而並非只舉行公聽會,諮詢可以有
全港都可以發表意見。政府亦更容易分辨清楚是否應全面禁止加熱煙。



與政府就此議題上做法強硬，亦無考慮如果全禁後所帶來的問題有多嚴重。

此禁令若果執行，將會引致更多的私煙，令到店舖業務及利潤受到強烈打擊，已致整個業界都難以生存。

因此本人懇請政府先諮詢一下業界及公眾，不要閉門造車黑箱作業

反對全禁加熱煙，促請政府收回方案
建議政府以規管取代全禁



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之前政府轉軌全禁加熱煙，令我們大失所望。

一直以來私煙市場令我生意大量流失，我們無能為力。

但加熱煙有縫罅令我們從黑市煙市場找回流失的熟客。
現在已經有不少吸煙人士轉用加熱煙，政府不面對現實，
只想以全禁方式逃避，只會產生反效果。懇請政府撤回禁售加熱煙既建議，作出公眾諮詢，收回草案，
改為規管！

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本人是梁先生, 於元朗區經營報檔多年, 最能夠看見市面上市民對新興煙草產品的需求就是我們, 亦經常都有熟客問我們何時會有加熱煙可給他們選購和選用。

一種是吸煙者, 他們會說吸加熱煙時身上留有煙味會較少, 他們亦會留意到一些加熱煙既資訊知道比傳統香煙平均減少左9成以上的害處。

另一種係非吸煙者，他們有一些家人轉用左加熱煙後，對家裏空氣或者是自己的健康都覺得影響較少，因為真係減少左很多二手煙，他們都會表示支持已有吸煙習慣，既家人和朋友轉左加熱煙。

而政府最初亦表態支持規管，但最近推出的全禁草案，可說是令我們業界和市民大感震驚，一種較低危害及需求咁大既產品，竟用全禁來立法，簡直是荒謬的做法，全禁只會將不法既私煙問題擴大，以及市民少左一種更好選擇權。

懇請政府三思，反對全禁，請將草案收回，改為規管！

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