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## **Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade**

## **NOTIFICATION**

## Revision

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6.

1. Notifying Member: FINLAND

If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):

2. Agency responsible:

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Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:

- 3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ ], 3.2 [ ], 7.2 [ ], other:
- 4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Nicotine pouches without tobacco
- **5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Draft Government Proposal for Amending the Tobacco Act; (89 page(s), in Finnish)
- **6. Description of content:** Laying down comprehensive regulation on nicotine pouches
- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health or safety
- 8. Relevant documents:

Tobacco Act (549/2016), G/TBT/N/FIN/50

This notification replaces G/TBT/N/FIN/85, G/TBT/N/FIN/85/Rev.1 and G/TBT/N/FIN/85/Rev.2.

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**9. Proposed date of adoption:** as soon as possible (not specified)

Proposed date of entry into force: as soon as possible (not specified)

## **10. Final date for comments:** 60 days from notification

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone or fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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