

Information Notice

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INFORMATION NOTICE TO FIRST NATIONS AND ON-RESERVE TOBACCO RETAILERS REGARDING TOBACCO TAX RATE CHANGE

As announced on March 23, 2022, the Tobacco Tax rate has been increased on the following tobacco products, **effective at 12:01 a.m. on March 24, 2022.**

- Cigarettes by 2¢ per cigarette (from 27¢ to 29¢);
- Smokeless tobacco by 8¢ per gram (from 27¢ to 35¢);
- Heated tobacco products (Heat-Not-Burn) by 1.3¢ per unit (from 20.5¢ to 21.8¢); and,
- Roll-your-own tobacco by 8¢ per gram (from 27¢ to 35¢).

Please update your point-of-sale systems with the updated rates effective at 12:01 am on March 24, 2022. Please contact your point-of-sale system vendor should you require any system updates as a result of this change.

First Nations and on-reserve retailers are not required to take an inventory count for this rate change. Starting March 24, 2022, tobacco tax on tobacco products sold tax-free to eligible First Nations individuals on-reserve, will be refunded based on the new tax rates.

For further reference please see Information Bulletin [TT-1, General Information](#). If you have any questions regarding these changes, please contact the Ministry of Finance.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

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