Lao People's Democratic Republic

Prime Minister Office

Vientiane Capital, date 13.8.2018

NOTICE

To: - Minister of the Ministry of Health,
    - Minister of the Ministry of Industry and Commerce,

Subject: Prohibition to import, distribute/sell, consume E-cigarette and Shisha in Lao PDR

- Reference to Law on Tobacco Control No 07/NA, dated 26 November 2009;
- Reference to Proposed Letter of Natational Committee on Tobacco Control, Ministry of Health No 0785/NCTC, dated 13 July 2018,
- Reference to the Agreement and Guidance of the Prime Minister, dated 07 Aug. 2018,

The Prime Minister Office would like to be honored to inform the Prime Minister’s guidance and agreement to your excellencies as follows: “It is agreed to the Ministry of Health to become a partner dealing with the relevant sectors and local authorities in prohibiting to import, distribute/sell and consume E-cigarette and Shisha which are no compliance with relevant Laws and Regulations; it shall be strictly complied with the Tobacco Control Law”.

Therefore, it is informed to your excellencies to recognize and follow this notice content, accordingly.

CC to: - PM, Dep. PM 01 set each
- Party Central Office 01 set
- Min. of Foreign Affairs 01 set
- Min. of Social Security 01 set
- Min. of Education & Sports 01 set
- Head of PMO, Dep. PMO 01 set each
- Dept. of Research & Summary 01 set
- Nat. Committee on Tob.Control 01 set
- Archieve file 01 set

Minister,

Head of PMO

signed & sealed

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