Tobacco Control Policy Fact Sheet

Lao PDR: Smoke Free Places

Smoke Free Status of Indoor Workplaces, Indoor Public Places, and Public Transport

	100% Smoke Free	Some Restrictions	Smoking not Restricted	Uncertain	N/A
All indoor workplaces	■				
All indoor public places	■				
All public transport	■				
Government facilities	■				
Private offices	■				
Hospitals	■				
Residential healthcare facilities - public areas	■				
Non-residential healthcare facilities	■				
Childcare facilities/preschools	■				
Primary and secondary schools	■				
Universities/vocational facilities	■				
Shops	■				
Cultural facilities	■				
Indoor stadium/arenas	■				
Restaurants	■				
Bars/pubs/nightclubs	■				
Casinos	■				
Hotels/lodging - public areas	■				
Hotels/lodgings - guest rooms	■				
Prisons/detention facilities - public areas	■				
Trains, buses and other shared ground transportation other than taxis	■				
Taxis (for-hire vehicle)	■				
Commercial aircraft	■				
Commercial watercraft	■				
Public transport facilities (waiting areas for mass transit)	■				
Places where inflammable materials and substances are present	■				
Religious Facilities	■				

Definitions of Key Terms - Alignment with the FCTC and its guidelines

	Aligns	Does not Align	N/A
Second Hand Smoke (or similar term)	■		
Smoking or Smoke		■	
Public Place		■	
Workplace		■	
Public Transport		■	
Indoor or Enclosed	■		
Tobacco Product		■	
Exposure to second-hand smoke		■	

Smoke Free Status of Outdoor Places

	Yes	No	Uncertain
Is one or more outdoor place required to be smoke free?	■		

Enforcement Authority

	Yes	No
Is an enforcement authority identified?	■	

Duties and Penalties

	Duty	Penalty	Neither
Imposed on Owner/Employer?			
Post signs	■	■	
Remove ashtrays			■
Steps to require a person to stop smoking (e.g., warn, discontinue service, call authorities)	■	■	
Imposed on smoker?			
Not to smoke where prohibited	■	■	

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