



**On determining the maximum allowable levels of nicotine and tar substance content in smoked tobacco products, including products with heated tobacco, tobacco for a hookah, a hookah blend, a system for heating tobacco, electronic systems for the consumption of liquids for their use**

Order of the Minister of Health of the Republic of Kazakhstan, dated December 15, 2020 No. KR DSM-277/2020. Recorded with the Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Kazakhstan on December 20, 2020, with No. 21815

In accordance with Paragraph 8, of Article 110, of the Code of the Republic of Kazakhstan dated July 07, 2020 "Concerning public health in the healthcare system" I HEREBY ISSUE THIS ORDER:

1. To determine:

- 1) the maximum allowable levels of nicotine and tar substance content in smoked tobacco products pursuant to Appendix 1 of the order herein;
- 2) the maximum allowable levels of nicotine and tar substance content in tobacco for a hookah, or a hookah blend, pursuant to Appendix 2 of the order herein;
- 3) the maximum allowable levels of nicotine tar substance content in products with heated tobacco, in a system for heating tobacco, in electronic systems for thier consumption and of the liquids for them, pursuant to Appendix 3 of the order herein.

2. Abrogate the order of the Minister of the National Economy of the Republic of Kazakhstan No. 424 dated June 9, 2015 "On the approval of the maximum allowable levels of nicotine and tar substance content in tobacco products" (recorded in the National Registry of Normative Legal Documents under No. 11689, published on August 3, 2015 in the "Adilet" legal informational system.)

3. To the Committee of Sanitary and Epidemiological Control of the Ministry of Health of the Republic of Kazakhstan, in the manner prescribed by the law of the Republic of Kazakhstan to ensure:

- 1) the recording of the order herein with the Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Kazakhstan;
- 2) the dissemination of the order herein on the internet resources of the Ministry of Health of the Republic of Kazakhstan;
- 3) the submission of information on the measure taken regarding subparagraph 1) and 2) of the subparagraph herein, within ten working days of recording the order herein with the Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Kazakhstan, to the Legal Department of the Ministry of Health of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

4. To entrust supervision over the implementation of the order herein to the acting Vice Minister of Health of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

5. The order herein will take effect twenty-one calendar days following its first official publication.

*The Minister of Health of the Republic of Kazakhstan:*

*A. Tsoy*

Appendix 1 to the Order of the Minister of  
Health of the Republic of Kazakhstan dated  
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**The maximum allowable levels of nicotine and tar substance content in smoked tobacco products**

Type of product	The maximum allowable level of nicotine content in the smoke of 1 unit of the product, milligram per cigarette	The maximum allowable level of tar substance content in the smoke of 1 unit of the product, milligram per cigarette
Cigarette	1.0*	10*

\* – the determination of the index is conducted in conjunction with the standards containing the regulations and methods of research (experiments) and measurements, including the rules of the selection of varieties confirmed by Decision of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission dated January 26, 2016 No. 9, "On the list of standards, regulations and methods of research (experiments) and measurements, including the rules for sampling necessary for the application and implementation of the requirements for the technical regulation of the Customs Union "Technical Regulations for Tobacco Production" (TR CU 035/2014) and for the implementation of compliance assessment for technical regulation facilities".

Appendix 2 to the Order of the Minister of  
Health of the Republic of Kazakhstan dated  
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**The maximum allowable levels of nicotine and tar substance content for a hookah and hookah blend**

Types of products	The maximum allowable level of the nicotine content in smoke, mg/cm <sup>3</sup>	The maximum allowable level of the tar substance content in smoke, mg/cm <sup>3</sup>
Hookah tobacco	1.0*	10*
Hookah blend	1.0*	10*

\* – the value of the indicator is determined after the introduction of the standard which defines the corresponding methods of determination, taking into account the metrological characteristics of the specified method of determination and the available scientific research.

Appendix 3 to the Order of the Minister of  
Health of the Republic of Kazakhstan dated  
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**The maximum allowable levels of nicotine tar substance content in products with heated tobacco, in a system for heating tobacco, in electronic systems for their consumption and of the liquids for their use**

Types of products	The maximum allowable level of the nicotine content mg/cm <sup>3</sup>	The maximum allowable level of the tar substance content in smoke, mg/cm <sup>3</sup>
Products with heated tobacco	1.0*	10*
Liquid for electronic consumption systems	1.0*	10*
System for heating tobacco	1.0*	10*
Electronic consumption systems	1.0*	10*

\* – the value of the indicator is determined after the introduction of the standard which defines the corresponding methods of determination, taking into account the metrological characteristics of the specified method of determination and the available scientific research.