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**Ministry of Health
and Social Action**

Analysis: Administrative Order concerning creation and setting rules for the organization and functioning of the National Committee, regional and departmental committees for tobacco control.

THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL ACTION,

In light of the Constitution,

In light of Law No. 2014-14 of March 28, 2014, concerning the manufacture, packaging and labeling, sale and use of tobacco;

In light of Decree No. 2004-1404 of November 4, 2004, concerning the organization of the Ministry of Health and Medical Prevention;

In light of Decree No. 2014-845 of July 6, 2014, concerning the nomination of the Prime Minister;

In light of Decree No. 2014-849 of July 6, 2014, concerning the composition of the Government;

In light of Decree No. 2014-853 of July 9, 2014, concerning the distribution of services of the State and the control of public establishments, national companies and companies with public participation among the Presidency of the Republic, the Prime Minister and the Ministers;

In light of Decree No. 2014-867 of July 22, 2014, concerning the attributions of the Minister of Health and Social Action;

In light of Ministerial Administrative Order No. 6226 MSPHP-DPM dated June 2, 2009, concerning the creation, organization and functioning of a national committee, regional and departmental committees for tobacco control,

ORDERS

Article 1. – The National Committee for Tobacco Control (CNLT – *Comité national de Lutte contre le Tabagisme*) is hereby created.

Article 2. – The National Committee for Tobacco Control is a body for cooperation and reflection on tobacco control.

In particular, its mission is as follows:

- To facilitate the mobilization of actors;
- To assist with the harmonization of strategies for tobacco control;
- To give an opinion on national policy for tobacco control, particularly on instruments such as the strategic plan and national action plans;

- To make proposals for the implementation of the Framework Convention for Tobacco Control of the WHO (FCTC).

Article 3. – The National Committee for Tobacco Control is to be composed of the following people:

President: The Minister of Health

Vice President: The Director General of Health;

Rapporteur: Coordinator of the National Program for Tobacco Control (PNLT – *Programme national de lutte contre le Tabac*);

Members:

- Representatives of the National Assembly;
 - o The President of the Commission in charge of health;
 - o The president of the Commission of laws;
- Representatives of the Economic, Social and Environmental Council;
 - o The President of the Commission in charge of health;
- Representatives of the Ministry of Health:
 - o The Director of Prevention;
 - o The Director of the Campaign against Disease;
 - o The Director of Pharmaceuticals and Medications;
 - o The Director of Laboratories;
 - o The Head of the National Service of Education and Information for health;
 - o The Director of the Poison Control Center;
 - o The Head of the Bureau of Legislation.
- The representative of the Ministry of the Armed Forces;
- The representative of the Ministry of the Interior;
- The representative of the Ministry of Justice;
- The representative of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs;
- The representative of the Ministry of the Economy, Finance and Planning;
 - o The representative of the General Bureau of Taxation and Domains;
 - o The representative of the General Bureau of Customs;
 - o The representative of the National Agency of Statistics and Demographics;
- The representative of the Ministry of Agriculture;
- The representative of the Ministry of Women, the Family and Children;
- The representative of the Ministry of Urban Renewal, Housing and Living Standards;
- The representative of the Ministry of Local Governance;
- The representative of the Ministry of Industry;
- The representative of the Ministry of Ground Transportation;
- The representative of the Ministry of Higher Education;
- The representative of the Ministry of National Education;

- The representative of the Ministry of Commerce;
- The representative of the Ministry of Tourism and Air Transportation;
- The representative of the Ministry of Promotion of Investment;
- The representative of the Ministry of Communication;
- The representative of the Ministry of Youth;
- The representative of the Order of Physicians of Senegal;
- The representative of the Order of Pharmacists of Senegal;
- The representative of the Order of Dental Surgeons of Senegal;
- The representative of the Syndicates of Health;
- Three representatives of the Association of Presidents of Departmental Councils;
- Three representatives of the Association of Mayors of Senegal;
- Three representatives of the consumer organizations of Senegal;
- Three representatives of the tobacco control organizations of Senegal;
- The representative of the Association of Imams and Ulama of Senegal;
- The representative of the Clergy;
- The representative of the World Health Organization (WHO);
- The representative of the Center of Research for International Development (CRDI – *Centre de Recherche pour le Développement International*);
- The representative of the World Bank;
- The representative of the United Nations Development Programme (UNPD);
- The representative of the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP);
- The representative of the United Nations Children’s Fund (UNICEF);
- The representative of the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA);
- The representative of the Association of Traditional Communicators;
- The representative of the Association of Senegalese Journalists on Health, Population and Development
- The representative of the Association of Nurses of Senegal;
- The representative of the Association of Midwives of Senegal;
- The representative of the Association of Traditional Practitioners of Senegal;
- The representative of the Syndicate of Information and Communication Professionals (SYNPICS – *Syndicat des Professionnels de l’Information et de la Communication*);
- The representative of the Movement of Enterprises of Senegal (MEDES – *Mouvement des Entreprises du Sénégal*);
- The representative of the National Council of Enterprises of Sénégal (CNES – *Conseil National des Entreprises du Sénégal*);
- The representative of the National Council of Employers (CNP – *Conseil National du Patronat*);
- The representative of the Social Security Fund (CSS – *Caisse de Sécurité Sociale*);

- The representative of the Jacques Chirac Center;

Article 4. – The President of the Committee may call upon any person whose competencies are deemed to be useful to the accomplishment of the mission.

Article 5. – The Committee shall meet every six months upon being convened by its President. It can be convened for extraordinary sessions.

Article 6. – The National Committee for Tobacco Control shall include the following commissions:

- A Commission for planning and partnerships;
- A Commission for communication and advocacy;
- A Commission for tobacco control legislation;

Article 7. – At the level of each region a Regional Tobacco Control Committee (CRLT – *Comité régional de Lutte contre le Tabagisme*) is hereby created.

Article 8. – The regional Committee has the following missions in particular:

- To facilitate the mobilization of actors;
- To assist with the harmonization of strategies for tobacco control;
- To play a role of monitoring and providing alerts;
- To participate in advocacy activities for tobacco control in the region;
- To draw up activity reports annually to be submitted to the National Committee based on the reports of the departmental committees.

Article 9. – The Regional Tobacco Control Committee shall be composed as follows:

President: The Governor of the region;

Rapporteur: The Chief Doctor of the region;

Members:

- The heads of regional agencies concerned with tobacco control;
- The representatives of local communities;
- Non-governmental organizations operating in the regions;
- Grassroots community organizations operating in the regions;

The Committee shall meet upon being convened by its President.

Article 10. – The President of the Committee may call upon any person whose competencies are deemed to be useful.

Article 11. – Specialized commissions can be created within the Regional Tobacco Control Committee.

Article 12. – At the level of each department a Departmental Committee for Tobacco Control (CDLT – *Comité départemental de Lutte contre le Tabagisme*) is hereby created.

Article 13. The departmental Committee has the following missions in particular:

- To facilitate the mobilization of actors;
- To assist with the harmonization of strategies for tobacco control;

- To play a role of monitoring and providing alerts;
- To participate in advocacy activities for tobacco control in the department;
- To draw up activity reports annually to be submitted to the Regional Committee for Tobacco Control (CRLT).

Article 14. – The Departmental Tobacco Control Committee shall be composed as follows:

President: the Prefect;

Rapporteur: The Chief Doctor of the district of the chief location in the department;

Members:

- The heads of departmental agencies concerned with tobacco control;
- The representatives of local communities in the department;
- Non-governmental organizations in the department;
- Grassroots community organizations in the department;

The Committee shall meet upon being convened by its President.

Article 15. – The Committee may call upon any person whose competencies are deemed to be useful.

Article 16. – Specialized commissions can be created within the Departmental Tobacco Control Committee.

Article 17. – Any provisions at variance with this Administrative Order, particularly Administrative Order No. 6226 MSPHP-DPM of June 2, 2009, concerning the creation, organization and functioning of a national committee, regional committees and departmental committees for tobacco control, are hereby rescinded.

Article 18. – The Director General of Health and the Director of Prevention are charged, each within the scope of their concerns, with the execution of this Administrative Order, which is to be registered and published, with notice given hereof wherever it may be necessary.

Done in Dakar, on

The Minister of Health and Social Action

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