

Cigarettes.

General technical specification.

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4. General technical specifications.

4.1 Cigarettes must be in accord with specifications of health standards of tar and nicotine in smoke, which are set forth by documents of Turkmenistan.

4.2 Cigarettes are manufactured of various brands. Each brand must be different from other brands by its name and by one or multiple things: recipe, size, presence or absence of filter, and also other consumer characteristics, which are determined by the manufacturing of the product or its licensing

4.3 For the production of the cigarette, the following are upheld.

[Lists various methods about filters and paper]

4.4 Cigarettes are made round or ova, with filtering apparatus or without.

4.5 Physical characteristics of cigarettes are determined with the following standards:

[Lists physical characteristics of cigs]

4.6 The other appearance of cigarettes must be whole and clean with a well attached filter system. Possible defects of the outer appearance and packs are determined by the producer of the product. One of the methods of determining defects are described in appendix A.

4.7 Aroma and taste of the smoke of each brand is determined by licensing [cannot read text]

4.8 [Cannot read text, which is about the outer appearance of the packaging]

4.9 The artistic depiction of the package and block must be in accord with a standard, which is determined by the manufacturer and which must be licensed.

4.10 For the packaging the following are upheld

[Lists physical characteristics of the label, e.g., paper type]

4. 11 Information on the consumer packaging of cigarettes must contain the following:

4.11.1 The name of the tobacco product, ie “cigarette.” It is also allowed to put other information next to the word cigarette, such as “20 filtered cigarettes.”

4.11.2 Brand and in the presence of a trade mark, taken by the manufacturer, which is established in the country of manufacturing or licensing, which is the proprietor of the brand or trade mark.

4.11.3 Name and origin (company address, including the country) of production, and also the licensing (if the cig was made with a license)

4.11.4 If one organization (firm or company) controls the production process, uses materials, quality of the process in the factory, preparing cigarette brands of this organization, should be indicated on each package, or box. Only the name of this organization (firm or company) with the following text “produced under the control (then the name and company address, including the country, of this organization). After this text, the country is indicated of production “made in X”.

4.11.5 The presence of a filtering mechanism.

4.11.6 Number of cigarettes

4.11.7 Writing “with menthol” for cigarettes prepared with menthol

4.11.8 Writing that warns about the dangers of smoking, which occupies no less than 4% of each of the big sides of the packaging.

4.11.9 Writing about the tar and nicotine content in the condensate of cigarette smoke (mg per cigarette), occupying no less than 4% one of the sides of the packaging.

4.11.10 The presence of the current standard, if the cigarettes are prepared in accordance with this standard.

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4.11.12 . . . 4.11.1 – 4.11.11.

The placement of advertising information on the consumer packing is allowed in the manufacturer's availability or licensing documents of proof of such information.

4.11.13 Each pack should have a sign with the indication of the brand of cigarette.

4.12 Information, listed in 4.11.1 to 4.11.13 is written in the language of the country where the cigarettes are sold. The text can be dubbed into foreign languages. The name of the manufacturer, license and cigarette brand can be written in Latin letters.

4.13 Information should be on each consumed package (pack, box) in the same place for each specific brand of cigarettes.

4.14 The information can be placed by any method and must be easily and clearly read.

4.14.1 The method of writing of information must maintain its integrity upon storing, transport and use of the cigarette by the consumer.

The method of writing should be allowed by the health administration

4.15 Blocks should be packaged in transportation packing. [Cannot read text]

4.16 [Cannot read text, about the tightness of the packaging]

4.17 On the box with the cigarettes there must be a sign with the following information

-name and company address

-brand

- number of cigs in the box

- month and year of manufacturing

- expiration date

- length of storage

- current standard

Text like "keep dry", "keep away from heat" according to TDS 14192.

On the box there could also be placed additional information characterizing the production.

5. Rules of acceptance/receiving

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6. Methods of control

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7. Transport and storage

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Appendix A

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