



Legislation Text

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**Requesting Agency:** Department of Public Health and Environment  
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**Item Title & Description:**

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Amends Chapter 24, sections 11-15 of the Denver Revised Municipal Code to increase the minimum age of the sale of tobacco products from eighteen years of age to twenty-one years of age, remove the ability to sell tobacco products from vending machines, and clarify language to support adequate enforcement of tobacco laws.

**Affected Council District(s) or citywide?**

citywide

**Executive Summary with Rationale and Impact:**

The bill to amend the Revised Municipal Code of the City and County of Denver Chapter 24 sections 11-15 does three things for tobacco control: increases the minimum age of sale from 18 to 21; removes the ability to sell tobacco products from vending machines; and clarifies the language to support adequate enforcement of tobacco laws.

**Address/Location (if applicable):**

**Legal Description (if applicable):**

**Denver Revised Municipal Code (D.R.M.C.) Citation (if applicable):**

**Draft Bill Attached?**