

CURRENT EU REGULATIONS

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Agenda

1 Review Tobacco Products Directive

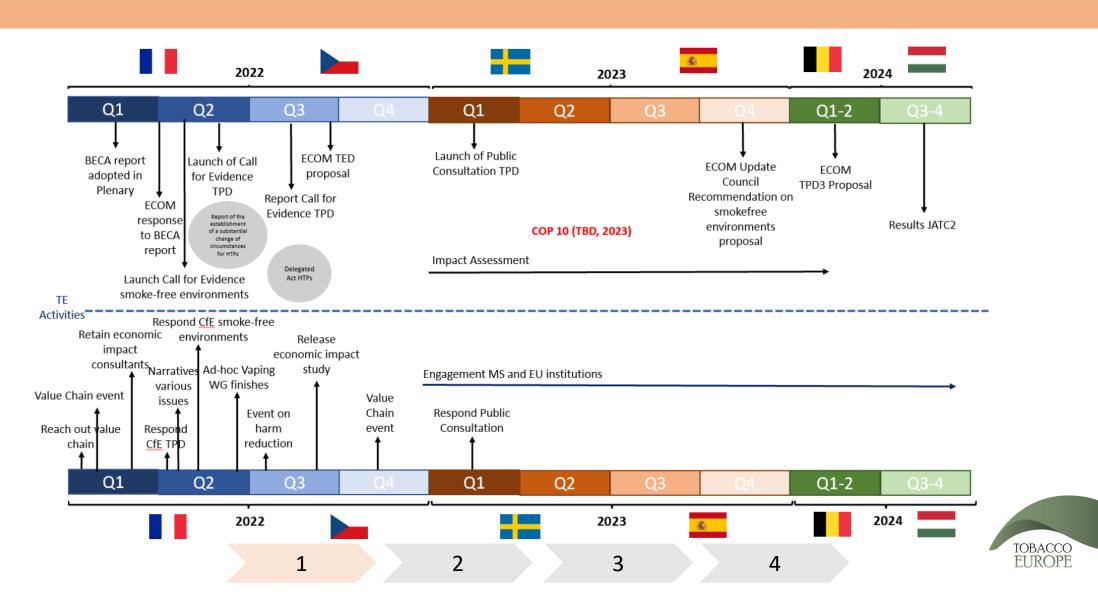
TPD Delegated acts

Review Tobacco Excise Directive

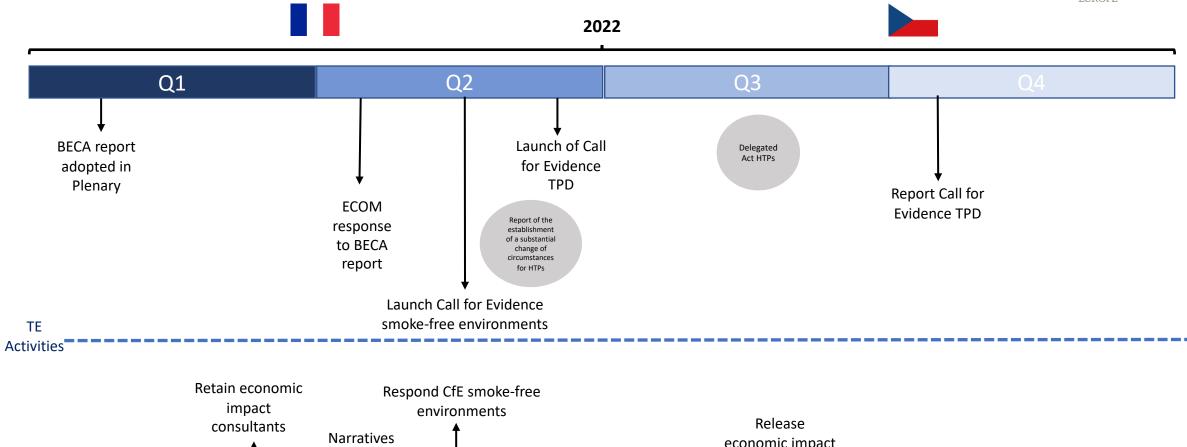
4 Environment issues

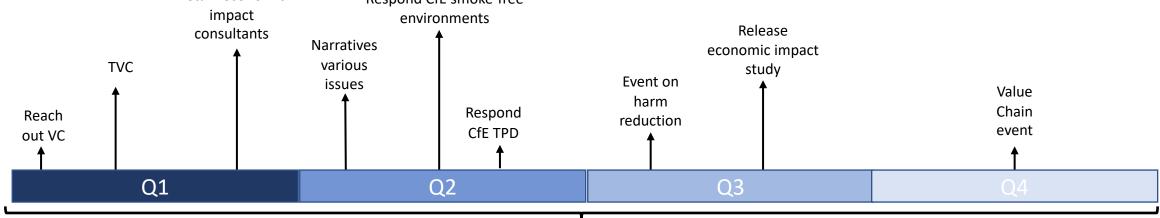
REVIEW TOBACCO PRODUCTS DIRECTIVE

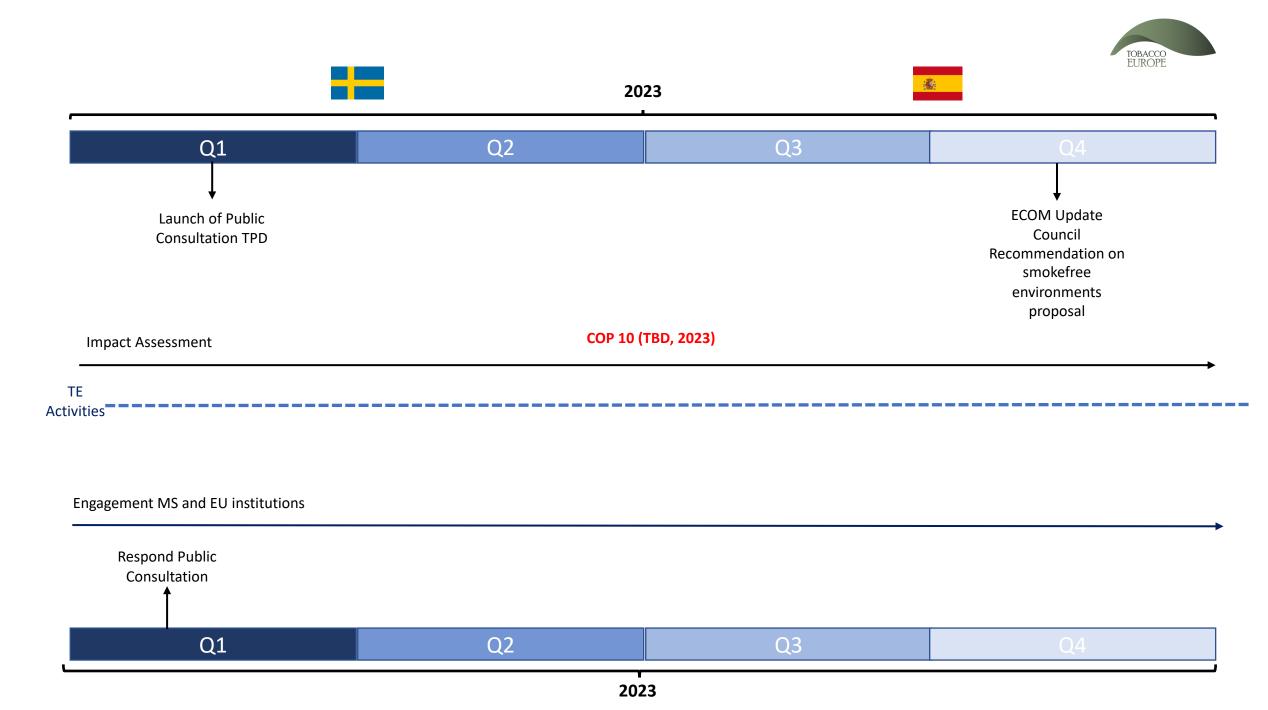
PROCEDURE AND TIMING











BECA REPORT

Increase minimum excise duties

Requirement of Plain Packaging

Enforcement of ban on characterising flavourings

Enforcement Filters
Littering Legislation

e-Cigarettes, THPs and novel products

Use of flavors

Call for implementation of FTCT art. 5.3

Smoke-free environments



REPORT ON SMOKE-FREE ENVIRONMENTS AND ADVERTISING

Report on Smoke-free Environments And Advertising of Tobacco and Tobacco Related Products (12/2021)

Main points

Extending prohibitions to HTPs

Covering social media

Reporting of mandatory promotional expenditure

Vapor and HTPs to be covered by smoke-free environment provisions

Extending advertising ban to all places where minors could be present, including private cars

Joint system of inspections and complaints



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CALL FOR EVIDENCE

PURPOSE

Evaluation of TPD

Describes problems to Tackle

Outlines policy options

Have your say (europa.eu)

OTHER

Targeted consultations

Workshops

Small Business Panels



TPD DELEGATED ACTS

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DEFINITION

Adopted by the EC

Technical details

Consultation expert group

Parliament and Council can revoke **USE IN TPD**

Article 27

Article 3.2 maximum emission levels

Art. 4.3 measurement methods

7.11 maximum content levels for additives

Etc.

Commission Report 2018 - 579 delegated acts



HTP PROPOSAL

CONTENT

Characterizing flavors

Health warnings

Packaging

PROCEDURE

Consultation TEG

Endorsement EP and Council

Transition and transposition periods



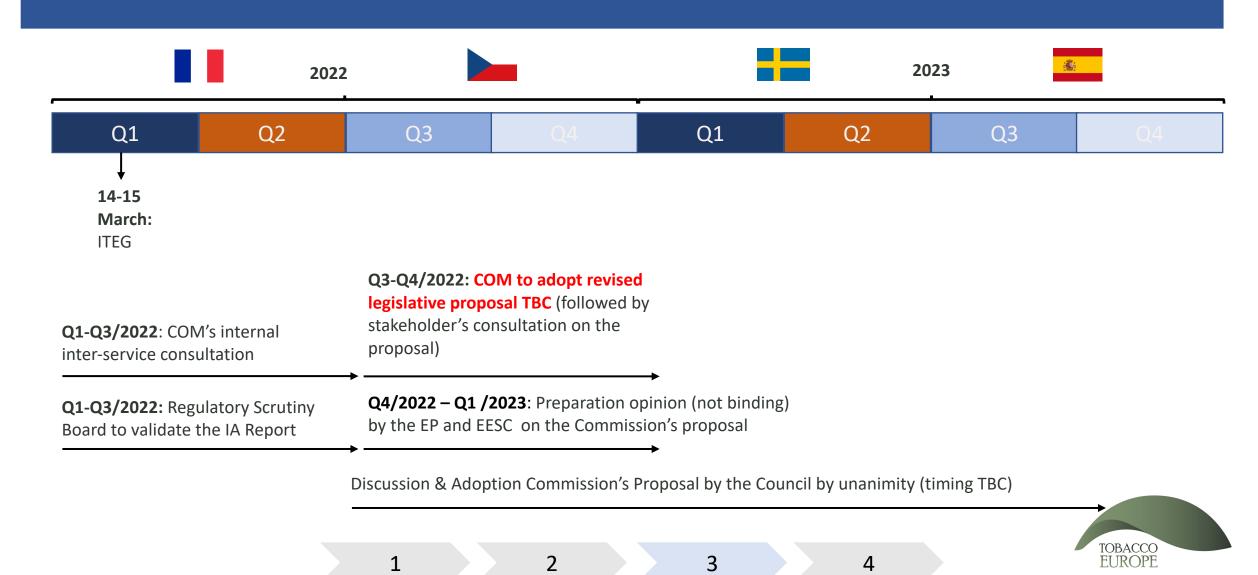
REVIEW TOBACCO EXCISE DIRECTIVE

TED REVIEW

A. Tobacco Europe's view on TED:

- 1. Taxation on traditional tobacco products:
 - Minimum rates: any increase must be limited as Member States should have full control over their fiscal policy and on how they generate revenue.
- 2. Taxation of new products:
 - EU framework for taxation welcomed
 - Creation of separate and dedicated excise categories for electronic cigarettes, tobacco-free oral nicotine pouches and heated tobacco products, underpinned by clear definitions.
- B. COM to consider Council conclusions concerning the structure and rates of excise duty applied to manufactured tobacco (June 2020)
- C. COM currently working on TED proposal, to be tabled before end 2022 (ref. timeline)

TED REVIEW AND TIMELINE



SINGLE USED PLASTICS

TIMELINE

Entry into force 02.07.2019 Transposition 03.07.2021

Application national schemes

05.01.2023

KEY ISSUES

Weight vs volume vs item

EPR/PRO

National outreach



BATTERIES REGULATION

Purpose

Key aspects

E-cigarettes and HTPs

Article 11 - replaceability





THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME

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