

IN THE
House of Commons



JANUARY 20TH - THE GENTLEMEN, LEO CAVINDER,
SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING BILL FOR CONSIDERATION.

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to

prohibit Tobacco on the Property of the House, permit fine collection for such violation, appealing such fine, enforcement of prohibition, and fine collection.

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BE IT ENACTED by this House of Commons, in this present, assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1 **SECTION 1. Title.**

2 (a) This Act may be cited as “No Excuse Tobacco Act
3 (NETA).”

4 **SECTION 2. Prohibition.**

5 (a) The use of any tobacco products, including e-cigarettes
6 or vaping, are prohibited inside or outside the House of
7 Commons.

8 (b) The droppage of any cigarettes or ash trays are
9 prohibited.

10 **SECTION 3. Fines.**

11 (a) Failure of any persons to comply with § 2 of this Act is
12 subject to following fines:

13 (i) \$50 for the first offense and/or within 25 feet of
14 animals;

15 (ii) \$100 for the second offense and/or within 15 feet
16 of animals;

17 (iii) \$175 for the third offense and/or within 10 feet
18 of animals; and

19 (iv) \$500 for subsequent offense and/or within 3 feet
20 of animals.

21 (b) Fines shall be issued the same day of the incident by
22 the Sergeant-at-Arms.

23 (c) Fines shall be paid within sixty (60) days or when the
24 Sergeant-at-Arms makes an appeal decision in the
25 affirmative, whichever comes first.

26 **SECTION 4. Enforcement.**

27 (a) The Speaker of the House in coordination with the
28 Sergeant-at-Arms is responsible for enforcement of this
29 Act.

30 (b) The Sergeant-at-Arms is permitted to involve local law
31 enforcement to enforce this Act.

32 (c) Failure of the Sergeant-at-Arms to enforce this Act is
33 subject to censure and removal from position.

34 **SECTION 5. Appeal.**

35 (a) Anyone may appeal a fine duly issued to them within
36 ten (10) days after receiving a notice in writing.

37 (b) The appellant shall provide evidence and
38 documentation to the Sergeant-at-Arms within thirty (30)
39 days after the appeal notice is issued.

40 (c) The Sergeant-at-Arms shall make a final decision
41 within ten (10) days after all documentation is submitted
42 by the appellant.

43 **SECTION 6. Fine collection.**

44 (a) The Sergeant-at-Arms is permitted to take all actions
45 legal with respect to state, federal, local, and House of
46 Commons Code to collect fines issued to such peoples.

47 (b) All fines collected by the Sergeant-at-Arms shall be
48 handed over to the Treasurer of the House that shall be
49 added to the expenditure account of the House.

50 (c) Statues of Limitations – The Speaker nor Sergeant-at-
51 Arms shall not request payment of fines if one of the
52 following is met by such persons, and the person is not
53 subject to pay the fines:

54 (i) Fine is not collected within 365 days from the
55 date of issuance; or

56 (ii) Fine is forgiven by the Speaker of the House
57 through a deceleration; or

58 (iii) The House Assembly passes a Resolution for
59 the forgiveness of such fines.

Speaker of the House Assenting