

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA**

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PICTORIAL WARNINGS ON TOBACCO PRODUCTS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is going to implement new pictorial warnings on tobacco products from 1st December, 2010 as announced earlier;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the time by which a final decision is likely to be taken in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIS. GANDHISELVAN)

- (a) & (b): Government of India has notified the new pictorial health warning vide GSR no. 176 dated 05-03-2010, to be effective from 01-12-2010.
- (c) & (d): Does not arise.