

**TOWN OF WEST WARWICK**

**ORDINANCE**

**OF THE**

**TOWN COUNCIL**

**ORDINANCE NO. 2017 – 18**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 10, ARTICLE XIII, SECTION 183.  
REQUIREMENTS AND PROHIBITIONS APPLICABLE TO LICENSEES.  
OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF WEST WARWICK,**

**WHEREAS:** Section 10 – 183 prohibits the use of coupons and other promotions in the sale of tobacco to all consumers, and

**WHEREAS:** The purpose of amending the Code of Ordinances of the Town of West Warwick by adding thereto Article XIII to Chapter 10 was to prohibit the sale of tobacco products to persons under the age of 18

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED** that the Town Council of the Town of West Warwick hereby amends Section 10 – 183 of the Code of Ordinances as follows:

**Sec. 10 – 183. Requirements and prohibitions applicable to licensees.**

(g) No licensee shall:

- (1) Accept or redeem, or offer to accept or redeem any coupon that provides any tobacco product to a ~~consumer~~ person under the age of 18 without charge or for less than the full retail price,
- (2) Sell any tobacco product to a ~~consumer~~ person under the age of 18 through a multi-package discount (e.g. “buy-two-get-one-free”) or otherwise provide any tobacco product a ~~consumer~~ person under the age of 18 for less than the full retail price in exchange for the purchase of any other tobacco product,
- (3) Provide any free or discounted item to a ~~consumer~~ person under the age of 18 in exchange for the purchase of any tobacco product.

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**SPONSORED AND INTRODUCED BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT GOSSELIN**

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**COUNCIL PRESIDENT:** David C. ...

**TOWN CLERK:** Marie ...

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**THIS ORDINANCE WILL TAKE EFFECT ON: JULY 31, 2017**