

UK to become first country in Europe to adopt standardised tobacco packaging.

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On 11th March 2015 a majority of MPs voted in favour of standardised tobacco packaging, putting the UK a step closer to becoming the first nation in Europe and the second in the world to implement standardised packaging. Subject to final approval in the House of Lords, the regulations will take effect in May 2016.

Update: The regulations were approved by the House of Lords on 16th March.